



Information on Coronavirus

As an international university it goes without saying that we are constantly monitoring the global developments – whether in the areas of politics, economics or, like at present, public health. At the same time, it is very important to us that people interact responsibly and considerately, both on and off campus.

In light of recent events, we aim to provide current information about the coronavirus and ask you to follow the links below to find out more about the virus and how to behave in order to protect yourself and others.

Please note: The following information is intended solely as initial guidance. We ask you to monitor the latest developments as the situation unfolds.

General information about the coronavirus and the situation in Baden-Wuerttemberg:

World Health Organisation (WHO)

→ Background information and Q&As about Corona

<https://www.who.int/health-topics/coronavirus>

Federal Ministry of Health

→ Q&As about the coronavirus

<https://www.bundesgesundheitsministerium.de/en/press/2020/coronavirus.html>

Robert Koch Institute

→ Current region at risk (in German only)

https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/Risikogebiete.html

→ Helpful links about the diagnosis, prevention, etc.

https://www.rki.de/EN/Home/homepage_node.html

→ More details (in German only):

https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/nCoV.html

Ministry for Social Affairs and Integration in Baden-Wuerttemberg

→ The current situation and measures taken in Baden-Wuerttemberg (in German only)

<https://sozialministerium.baden-wuerttemberg.de/de/gesundheitspflege/gesundheitschutz/infektionsschutz-hygiene/informationen-zu-coronavirus/>

DAAD – German Academic Exchange Service

→ General information about the coronavirus from our national support organization in the field of international academic cooperation

<https://www.daad.de/en/coronavirus/>

District Office Alb-Donaukreis

→ Information given by the authorities in Ulm (in German only)

<https://www.alb-donau-kreis.de/startseite/dienstleistungen+service/coronavirus.html>

Federal Center of Health Education

→ General rules of hygiene, such as washing your hands frequently, sneezing into your elbow instead of your hands, keep your distance from others, etc. (in German only)

<https://www.infektionsschutz.de/hygienetipps/>

Travel to areas affected by the coronavirus:

Please note the travel advice by the German Foreign Ministry (in German only):

<https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/de/ReiseUndSicherheit/-/2296762>

Travellers returning from affected areas:

If your answer is "yes" to any of the following statements ...

- ✓ You were in contact with anyone before leaving who had shown any flu-like symptoms within the last 14 days (fever, cough, head-cold, respiratory problems, etc.).
- ✓ You have flu-like symptoms yourself (fever, cough, head-cold, respiratory problems, etc.).
- ✓ You have spent time in any region at risk in recent weeks – updates on locations:
https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/Risikogebiete.html
- ✓ You have had contact with anyone who has been tested positive for the coronavirus in recent weeks.

Then ...

→ Please call the hotline (see number below) or go directly to the Central Emergency Room of Ulm University Hospital (Albert-Einstein-Allee 23 on Oberer Eselsberg) where specific hygiene and quarantine measures will be taken: <https://www.uniklinik-ulm.de/notfall.html>

Note for Ulm University students, for whom at least one of the four aforementioned points applies:

→ Please stay at home for 14 days and do not leave the house at all if possible. If this should lead to difficulties with your exams, please contact the Ulm University Studiensekretariat: (Registrar's Office): <https://www.uni-ulm.de/en/study/organisation/more/studiensekretariat-responsibilities-and-contact-details/>

If you suspect someone has the coronavirus, please contact the hotline of the Public Health Department of Baden-Wuerttemberg at the phone number **0711 904-39555** (on weekdays from 9 am to 4 pm; English speakers available).