

## Dealing with COVID 19 symptoms

### With which symptoms are students and staff members allowed to visit Leipzig University?

Students with clear symptoms of a contagious disease, especially a cold, stay at home and consult their doctor if necessary.

Students with a mild cold can visit Leipzig University while observing all hygienic safety measures. If this cold gets worse or if there are additional symptoms (see point 3), visiting the university is no longer permitted.

Students who are known to have symptoms such as coughing and can be assigned to a non-infectious underlying disease such as asthma can also continue to visit the university.

Students with symptoms that indicate COVID-19 are not allowed to enter Leipzig University.

This is the case if you have **one** of the following symptoms:

- fever from 38 degrees Celsius
- coughing
- diarrhea
- vomiting
- general feeling of illness (exhaustion, headache)
- odor or taste disorders.

Students with one of the above symptoms (especially if the symptoms worsen) are asked to contact a doctor they trust or to contact the medical on-call service, which is available around the clock on 116117.

If students show general cold symptoms without a clear suspicion of COVID-19, they should stay at home for observation for at least two days and be free of fever for at least 24 hours before visiting Leipzig University again.

### What happens in the event of infection or if quarantine is ordered?

Students report their infection or the officially ordered observation / quarantine / activity ban / contact restriction centrally by email to **coronastud@uni-leipzig.de**. The e-mail address is managed by the Academic Administration Department.

Please register only via student email address, please voluntarily indicate the positive test result and give details of the courses you have attended as well as the lecturers you were (face to face) in touch with over the last 14 days.

Official orders (such as observation / quarantine / prohibition of activities / contact restrictions) are issued exclusively by the local health authorities and its instructions must be followed.

Students who work as student assistants for the university report the infection to their direct supervisor or their direct superior (analogous to the report for employees).

In addition to sending an e-mail to the university's central administration, we kindly ask you to also send an e-mail to Martina Keilbach ([keilbach@uni-leipzig.de](mailto:keilbach@uni-leipzig.de)), which is of course voluntary but will help us to keep you and your fellow students safe.