**Measures for protection from the infection**

The City of Ludwigsburg is urgently appealing to all citizens: Take the coronavirus seriously. Do not treat your health and the health of your fellow human beings lightly. Avoid the risks of getting infected at all costs. Pay strict attention to the personal maintenance of the distancing and hygiene rules. Reduce social contacts to a necessary minimum and stay at home.

**Current Rules of Conduct:**

**Gatherings and building of groups**

Staying in public space is only permitted alone, with an additional person **not** living in the household or in the circle of members of a household. Families or people who live together can continue to go out on the street together.

Contacts outside the own household are to be reduced to a minimum.

In public, a distance of 1.50 meters to other people must be maintained.

These rules will be strictly controlled, enforced and if necessary penalized.

**Mouth-Nose-Protection**

At the time of shopping and while travelling in public transport, mouth-nose-protection masks or the so-called daily life masks must be worn. This is compulsory from Monday, 27th April.

**Travel and transit through Baden-Württemberg**

Entry and transit of persons from international corona risk areas to Baden-Württemberg is prohibited. Exceptions are trips to the place of work, to the place of residence to transport important goods and special cases of hardship, such as a death in the family.

**Restaurants and hairdressers:**

All restaurants and bars in the country have to close down. Takeaway and food on order will however still be available. Hairdressers need to close completely.

**Furthermore, the following regulations apply among others:**

The following will remain open:
Retail shops for food items,
Weekly markets, collection and delivery services,
Beverage stores,
Pharmacies,
Medical supply stores,
Drugstores,
Gas stations,
Banks and savings banks,
Post offices,
Dry cleaners, self-service laundry saloons,
the sale of newspapers,
Construction, horticultural and pet supply markets as well as wholesalers
Farm shops and Raiffeisen markets
Automobile Dealers
Bicycle Dealers
Book Shops
Shops with sales area of not more than 800 square meters

These points of sale can now also be opened on Sundays and public holidays.

All other retail outlets not belonging to the above-mentioned institutions will be closed.

The operation of the following institutions is prohibited:

- Cultural facilities of any kind, especially museums, theatres, playhouses, open-air theatres,
- Educational institutions of all kinds, especially academies and further education institutions, adult education centres,
- Cinemas,
- Swimming and indoor pools, thermal and fun pools, saunas,
- all public and private sports facilities and sports venues, especially fitness studios, and similar facilities
- Adult education centres and youth centres,
- Public libraries,
- Places of entertainment, in particular amusement arcades, casinos, betting shops
- Prostitution, brothels and similar establishments
- Ice cream parlors, bars, shisha bars, clubs, discos, pubs and similar establishments,
Trade fairs, exhibitions, leisure and animal parks and providers of leisure activities (also outside closed rooms), special markets

- Public playgrounds and football grounds.
- Hair Dressers

Out-of-home sales is permitted in restaurants, ice cream parlours and cafés.

Events:

- Prohibited are meetings in clubs and other sports and leisure facilities as well as offers from adult education centres, music schools and other public and private educational institutions in the extracurricular sector and coach tours.
- Meetings or gatherings in churches, mosques, synagogues and meetings of other religious communities are prohibited.
- All other events are also prohibited.

Health related questions

Telephone-Hotlines

For health-related questions with respect to Coronavirus, Hotlines have been set-up.

State Health Office

For all questions related to coronavirus, the State Health Office has set up a hotline for citizens seeking advice. You can reach the staff on weekdays between 9 AM and 4 PM by phone under 0711 904-39555.

District Health Office

The district health office has also set up a hotline. You can reach it from Monday to Friday: 8:00 hrs to 18:00 hrs under 07141 144-69400

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