

## Corona News new rules new numbers October 15, 2020

**38.6 million infections worldwide, Germany reached 344,000 with 9,725 deaths**

**TOP 4 world infection rates: USA 7.9 million, Brazil 5.1 million, India 7.3 million, Russia 1.3 million. The 3 largest EU infection countries: Spain around 908,000 cases, Italy around 381,000 and France 820,000 cases. Almost 1,094,000 deaths worldwide.**

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Politicians are constantly appealing to the population to keep disciplined when it comes to Corona, comply with the rules, refrain from celebrations and unnecessary get-togethers and more. Federal Chancellery spokesman Braun even says that the current rules are too small, so citizens should do more than is required. The Prime Ministers and the Chancellor yesterday were unable to come to an agreement about why we should. They should. When it comes to the ban on accommodation, everyone continues to cook their own soup, another meeting is to take place on November 8th to discuss this and possibly further measures again. Sure, of course.

Wait instead of strictly acting. But we already know that from politics. Don't tackle upcoming problems beforehand, no, wait until they cannot be postponed and then talk about how great the work was again in the short time that remained. The fact that the reported new infection numbers have now reached the highest daily value since the outbreak of the pandemic with 6683 today, no longer seem to interest or upset anyone. On the contrary, it is popular to make fun of it. You would test a lot more, that would be normal that the numbers would then increase. Oh, and why are the measures tightened when everything is normal?

On the photo you can see an overview of all German cities and regions that have torn the number of 50 infections per 100,000 inhabitants, as of October 15, 2020 RKI.

### Die Infektionszahlen 7 Tages Schnittwert pro 100.000 Einwohner für Deutschland (rote Bereiche)

Aachen 50.6	Baden Baden 52.6	Bentheim 75.1
Berchtesgadener Land 72.7	Berlin Reineckendorf 80.9	Berlin Spandau 59.4
Berlin Charlottenb.-Wdorf 68.8	Berlin Tempelhof-Schöneberg 87.2	Berlin Neukölln 153.2
Berlin Mitte 116.7	Berlin Friedrichshain-Kreuzberg 83.7	Bochum 53.3
Bremen 80.2	Cloppenburg 76.2	Dortmund 50.7
Duisburg 64.8	Düsseldorf 55.6	Eichsfeld 67
Eifelkreis Bitburg-Prüm 131.2	Emsland 50.5	Essen 52.9
Esslingen 80.2	Erzgebirgskreis 68.7	Frankfurt Main 69.2
Fürstfeldbruck 57.9	Gelsenkirchen 65.9	Groß Gerau 71.4
Hagen 55.6	Hamm 76.1	Heilbronn 51.3
Herne 92	Kassel 97.5	Köln 69.2
Leverkusen 75.7	Ludwigsburg 51.2	Main Taunus Kreis 54.9
Mainz 66.8	Mettmann 63	Mühdorf Inn 73.4
Mühlheim 59.8	München 54.6	Neunkirchen 66.2
Olpe 54.5	Recklinghausen 70	Regen 78.8
Rosenheim Landkreis 54	Rosenheim Stadt 64.5	Rottal-Inn 81.5
Schwäbisch Hall 50.3	Schweinfurt Stadt 67.4	Schweinfurt Land 60.6
Stuttgart 71.4	St. Wendel 120.7	Unna 63.8
Vechta 76.3	Weiden Oberpfalz 72.5	Wuppertal 84.5

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Klaus Reinhardt from the German Medical Association also makes things small. In NDR Info this morning, he prefers to talk about the fact that thousands of intensive care beds are still unoccupied and that only around 660 people are in the hospital because of corona ventilation. And the health sector is far from being overwhelmed, and it wasn't back then either. Great, then we'll just wait until the time comes, and then, Mr. Reinhardt? What he does not mention, of course, that at that time masks, protective gowns, disinfectants, were simply gaps everywhere and were not available and sometimes hand-made protective utensils had to be used. But no problem, you just have to have a bit of craftsmanship, then that was fine. The light at the end of the tunnel is offered today by Mr. Spahn, who started the mass tests in nursing and old people's homes and other areas as of today. At least legally. To what extent this will work and if at all, we'll wait and see.

Now to the decisions of the Chancellor and Prime Minister's meeting yesterday. Furthermore, citizens should urgently and precisely comply with the hygiene and distance rules, use the Corona Warn app and ventilate their homes regularly. In areas with 35 infections / 100,000 inhabitants, the meeting limit of 25 people is public, private 15 people. In addition, there is a mask requirement in public areas, where people cannot keep a minimum distance. There are also curfew in the catering trade. Events are further limited in consultation with the local health department. Due to restrictions imposed by various commercial enterprises, the federal government is extending the aid measures until the end of 2021. (Note: This is typical, when the measures for OPERATIONS are extended, everyone is involved, including the trade associations; a broad resistance to the announcement of the extension of the short-time allowance FOR EMPLOYEES ) From 50 new infections per 100,000 inhabitants, further mask-wearing obligations come into effect (without this having been specifically agreed), events are limited to 100 people, unless the local health department allows more due to a hygiene concept, alcohol is prohibited and gastronomic curfew and restrictions from 11 p.m. the number of people in public and private rooms to 10 people, in the room a maximum of 2 households. If within 10 days the increase does not stop, further measures are taken, reducing the gathering of people to 5. (Others not specified)

Travel to and from areas that have 50 or more infections per 100,000 residents should be avoided. Checks by health authorities are supported by the federal police and public order offices for reasons of overload. Due to the overload of the health authorities in terms of contact tracking, the state supervisory authorities and the RKI are brought on board. The administrations at all levels are encouraged to provide support.

Employees of the Bundeswehr, between 5,000 and 15,000, help with tracking contacts. The local health authorities are encouraged to recruit additional volunteers and students and to train them accordingly so that further tasks can be taken on. Hospitals, nursing homes, retirement homes and facilities for the disabled should be given special protection and their staff, patients, visitors and residents should be checked with rapid tests; Adjustment of the measures depending on the corona situation. Due to the expected increase in intensive care cases, the federal states are encouraged to carry out appropriate controls and controls so that they are available in sufficient numbers. Provisions and regulations for and after trips abroad will be formulated uniformly by the federal states on November 8th. (No speed issue). The federal government expects vaccines to be approved in the coming year and will involve the federal states in all necessary processes of distribution, transport, order quantities, storage, etc. in good time. The funds for research, early availability and high volume production have been increased.

About yesterday's meeting. Apart from the postponement of the ban on accommodation to November 8th, some federal states have registered special regulations in their federal states, which I am bringing here in the wording as from the protocol of the federal government / press office: As before, Rhineland-Palatinate / Hesse / North Rhine-Westphalia will be due to the considerable interference in the inviolability of the apartment only express restrictions on the number of participants for meetings in one's own private premises as an urgent recommendation. Lower Saxony registers a reservation for the binding implementation of the regulation for private rooms. Saxony adheres to the regulation based on the MPK resolution of 29.9.2020 for family celebrations.

Finally, the latest message that, from Monday, employees can call themselves sick again if they have symptoms of illness that could indicate Corona. The regulation applies until the end of the year, in which federal states, please check the Internet yourself.

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