

Information about Corona Self Tests

Anyone can perform a Corona self-test at home. If the result is positive, the City Health Department must be informed without fail.

This can be done

by e-mail to 53-befunde@stadt.leverkusen.de
or by fax to 0214/406-5349.

The notification must contain the following data:

- Surname, First name
- Date of birth
- The address of the main residence or usual place of residence and, if different, the address of the current place of residence,
- Current contact details such as cell phone number and e-mail address, and
- The type of corona self-test performed.

In the future, there will be more vendors of self-tests, for example drugstores and also the discounter stores. According to the German Federal Environment Agency, anyone taking a self-test at home should discard the leftovers in the appropriate residual waste, in a "tear-resistant, moisture-proof and air-tight container." The same goes for waste from those in home quarantine. Used protective masks also should be disposed in the residual waste garbage can. The city and the Leverkusen waste disposal company AVEA advise people to dispose of such waste in this way. The discarded waste is sent to the waste incineration plant as unsorted municipal waste. This reduces risks for citizens and protects employees when emptying the residual waste garbage cans.

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