

Data usage with the Corona-Warn-App at TU Dresden



1. How do we use the Corona-Warn-App in the TU Dresden self-test center?

In the test center, the check-in function is used in two instances:

- 1) As a day-by-day record in the title of the event when you complete a supervised self-test at the test center with a negative result. This is valid for two days (48h) for 3G checks in lectures.
- 2) For contact tracing for people who are in the test center at the same time as you. By default, the length of stay is set to 15 min. If you have been at the center longer due to waiting time, please correct this length of stay in the app afterwards. If a person present at the same time as you receives a positive PCR test and scans it in the app, the Corona-Warn-App app will inform you automatically and anonymously.

2. What happens with the data?

(Source: Federal Government)

The app is active when your smartphone is on and is intended to be our constant companion. However, it will never get to know us. It never learns our name, our telephone number nor our location. This means that it cannot tell anyone else who or where we are. Data protection remains intact throughout your entire usage in every case. The same applies to 3G checks in lectures.

- No registration: It does not need an email or a name.
- No conclusions about personal data: When you come into contact with another person, the smartphones only exchange random codes. These measure the distance and duration of the encounter. They do not allow conclusions to be made about specific individuals your location is not traced.
- Decentralized storage: The data is only stored on your smartphone and is deleted after 14 days.
- No third-party access: The data of individuals who register a documented infection and those who are notified cannot be traced – not by the federal government, not by the Robert Koch Institute, not by other users and not by the operators of the app stores.

3. What do I do if I do not have or do not want to use a Corona-Warn-App?

We strongly recommend installing and using the app on your smartphone. This expedites the spread of information regarding a positive test in lectures.

For all those tested without an app, we also have a paper version of the confirmed negative test available.

