If you are a **Non-EU** citizen and **below 30** years old, you need to get health-insured mandatorily by a German state health insurance for students. If you wish to apply for a German state health insurance from home and use it also for visa application, please visit the following <u>website</u>

Foreign or private health insurances can only be accepted, if you present an official proof of being exempt from our German state health insurance.

For that matter, you can get your prioritized health insurance contract checked and verified by sending a copy to any German state health insurance company (TK, AOK, BEK, DAK, etc) and apply for getting exempt.

Private health insurances usually offer 3 different categories out of which the premium version is mostly considered equal into a German state health insurance. The cheaper versions such as **basic or comfort are very often not considered equal**!

You will need to present your confirmation of being exempt from a German state health insurance along with your enrolment documents to our registration office (Immatrikulationsamt). Such a confirmation can be requested from one of the abovementioned health insurance companies within the first 3 months of your enrolment.

More information can be found <a href="here">here!</a>

Please also read the <u>information on health insurance requirements</u> in case of distance studying from your home country!