

Information regarding patient contribution fees

Dear Patient

As an adult insured in the statutory health insurance you are obliged to make an equity contribution of 10.00 Euros per day, if you receive an inpatient treatment during your hospital stay. However, if you are exempt from this contribution, then you will not have to pay. This duty of contribution is limited to a maximum of 28 days per calendar year.

The legislator has now assigned the hospitals to collect these contributions.

The hospitals are therefore **legally obligated** to collect these contributions by coercive, if needed. The contributions are, however, a claim from your health insurance company and **are not withheld** by the hospitals, but will be transferred to your health insurance company. The hospitals only deal **on behalf** of your health insurance company.

We kindly ask you to pay the due contributions after your stay to avoid any inconvenience.

Your careful attention to this matter will be much appreciated. Thank you.

Kind regards

Your Hospital