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# Residence permit for the purpose of employment in the public interest: Apply for an extension

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Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99010020020012
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Residence permit for the purpose of employment in the public interest: Apply for an extension
Leistungsbezeichnung II	
Typisierung	2/3b - Bund: Regelung, Land: Ausführungsvorschriften, Kommune: Vollzug
Quellredaktion	Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	fachlich freigegeben (silber)
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	Leistungsobjekt mit Verrichtung
Leistungsgruppierung	Aufenthaltstitel (010)
Verrichtungskennung	Verlängerung (020)
SDG-Informationsbereich	Anforderungen in Bezug auf Aufenthaltskarten für





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	Unionsbürger und ihre Familienmitglieder, einschließlich Familienmitglieder, die keine Unionsbürger sind
Lagen Portalverbund	
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	10.08.2023
Fachlich freigegen durch	Ministry of the Interior, Building and Digitalization Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania
Handlungsgrundlage	§ Section 8 (1) in conjunction with. § Section 19c (3) AufenthG
	§ Section 19c (3) Residence Act (AufenthG)
	§ Section 39 (3) Residence Act (AufenthG)
	§ Section 35 Employment Ordinance (BeschV) https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/ind ex.html#BJNR195010004BJNE000904310 https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/beschv_2013/inde x.html#BJNR149910013BJNE003801311 https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/aufenthg_2004/ind ex.html#BJNR195010004BJNE000904310 https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/beschv_2013/inde x.html#BJNR149910013BJNE003801311
Teaser	You can apply for an extension of your residence permit to pursue an occupation in which there is a public interest, in particular a regional, economic or labor market policy interest, if its validity is about to expire.
Volltext	The residence permit for employment in which there is a public interest, in particular a regional, economic or labor market policy interest, is issued for a limited period. It can be extended if the employment is to be continued beyond the period of validity of your residence permit.  Apply for an extension of your residence permit at least eight weeks before the expiry date at the





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immigration authority responsible for your place of residence.

The same conditions apply for the extension as for the issue. In particular, there should still be a public interest in your employment. A public interest in employment can be justified, for example

- if there is a regional or supra-regional public interest in the products or services of an employer or if there is a shortage of certain goods or services at the employer's location (regional interests). Supply or municipal policy reasons may also play a role here.
- if substantial investments and/or a significant number of jobs are created or secured; if the establishment of the company is associated with a sustainable improvement in the sales or market opportunities of domestic companies or if it involves the establishment of a production plant for technically high-quality (future-proof) and/or particularly environmentally friendly products (economic interests).
- if the employment maintains or creates jobs (labor market policy interests).

The private economic, operational interest of an employer alone is not sufficient to justify a public interest in employment.

Your qualifications are not decisive for the extension of your residence permit.

The Federal Employment Agency approved your residence permit when it was first issued. If the validity of the approval has expired, it must be granted again for the extension of your residence permit.

You may have been obliged to take part in an integration course when your residence permit was first issued. If this is the case, this must be taken into account when extending your residence permit. If you have not yet taken part in an integration course, the immigration authority may reject your application to extend your residence permit. If you have not yet completed the integration course, the residence permit will generally only be extended for one year at a time





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until you successfully complete it or provide proof that you have been integrated into society and social life in another way.

If your residence permit is extended, it will be limited in time again. The duration of the time limit depends on the duration of your employment contract or the period of validity of the approval of the Federal Employment Agency.

As a rule, the residence permit cannot be extended if this was already ruled out when the residence permit was issued or last extended.

# Erforderliche Unterlagen

- valid passport
- current residence permit
- Original of your employment contract or a binding job offer (please use the nationwide standardized Declaration of Employment form for this purpose)
- Current biometric photo
- current registration certificate
- Proof of your health insurance
- tenancy agreement

## Voraussetzungen

- You have a recognized and valid passport or passport substitute and a valid residence permit for employment in the public interest.
- Your residence permit will expire in the near future.
- There is no interest in deporting you.
- Your stay does not jeopardize or impair the interests of the Federal Republic of Germany.
- You have a new employment contract or a new binding job offer with the same or another employer.
- There is still a public interest in your employment, in particular a regional, economic or labor market policy interest.
- You can continue to secure your livelihood and health insurance cover independently without claiming public benefits.
- You have the approval of the Federal Employment Agency to take up employment or this has been renewed (approval is usually obtained from the immigration authority). For approval to be granted, your working conditions (in particular salary) must be comparable to those of a German employee in the





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	same position.
Kosten	Extension of residence permit:
	<ul> <li>for a further stay of up to three months: EUR 96.00</li> <li>for a further stay of more than three months: EUR 93.00</li> </ul>
	Under certain conditions, a fee reduction or fee exemption may be possible.
	Note: The residence permit in the form of the electronic residence permit must be reissued for the extension. The fee for reissuing the card body is EUR 67.00.
Verfahrensablauf	You must apply for an extension of your residence permit at the foreigners authority responsible for your place of residence. The procedure is as follows:  • Depending on the foreigners authority and your request, it may be possible to apply via the Internet. Find out whether your foreigners authority offers electronic application for a residence permit.  • If you can only apply in person, make an appointment with the immigration office.  • During the appointment, your application will be accepted and your supporting documents checked (bring these with you to the appointment). Your fingerprints will be taken for the renewal of the electronic residence permit (eAT card).  • In the case of an electronic application, the Immigration Office will contact you after receiving your application to arrange an appointment at the Immigration Office. During the appointment, your documents will be checked (bring them with you to the appointment) and your fingerprints will be taken for the renewal of the electronic residence permit (eAT card).  • If your application is approved, the Foreigners'
	Registration Office will arrange for the eAT card to be issued.  • After about six to eight weeks, you can collect the eAT card from the immigration office.

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• The eAT card must always be collected in person.





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	<ul> <li>There is a fee for extending the residence permit. The time and form of payment vary depending on the authority.</li> </ul>
Bearbeitungsdauer	about six to eight weeks
Frist	• The extension should be applied for at least eight weeks before your valid residence permit expires. • In the event of an extension, the new residence permit will again be issued for a limited period. The validity depends on the period of validity of your employment contract and the approval of the Federal Employment Agency. • Objection period: 1 month
weiterführende Informationen	You can also obtain free advice on the topics of entry, residence and employment from the "Working and Living in Germany Hotline" of the Federal Government's portal for skilled workers from abroad.  Telephone: +49 30 1815-1111 Service hours: Monday to Friday from 8:00 to 16:00
Hinweise	
Rechtsbehelf	
Kurztext	<ul> <li>Residence permit for the purpose of gainful employment; extension for the purpose of employment in the public interest</li> <li>The residence permit for the purpose of employment due to a public interest, in particular a regional, economic or labor market policy interest, can be extended if the time limit of the residence permit ends and the employment is to be continued.</li> <li>The extension must be applied for at least eight weeks before the temporary residence permit expires.</li> <li>The same conditions apply for the extension as for the issue.</li> <li>If the period of validity of the approval obtained when the residence permit was issued has expired, the approval of the Federal Employment Agency must be obtained again.</li> <li>If the obligation to attend an integration course was stated when the residence permit was issued, proof must be provided that this obligation has been fulfilled. If the integration course has not yet been completed,</li> </ul>





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	the foreigners authority can refuse to extend the residence permit or only extend it for one year until the course has been successfully completed or proof has been provided that integration into society and social life has taken place in another way.  • In the course of the extension, the residence permit is again limited in time.  • An extension is excluded if this was already ruled out by the immigration authority when the permit was issued or when it was last extended.  • Depending on the foreigners authority and your request, you can apply online or in person.  • Fees are charged for the extension. The time and form of payment vary depending on the authority.  • Responsible: the foreigners authority responsible for the applicant's place of residence
Ansprechpunkt	the foreigners authority responsible for the applicant's place of residence
Zuständige Stelle	the foreigners authority responsible for the applicant's place of residence
Formulare	<ul> <li>Forms: Declaration of employment (standardized nationwide); you can obtain other forms specific to the authorities from your foreigners authority; these may also be available online</li> <li>Online procedure occasionally possible</li> <li>Written form required: yes</li> <li>Personal appearance required: yes https://www.bmi.bund.de/SharedDocs/downloads/DE/veroeffentlichungen/themen/migration/feg-anwendungshinweise-anlagen/anlage2.pdf?blob=publicationFile&amp;v=5</li> <li>https://www.bmi.bund.de/SharedDocs/downloads/DE/veroeffentlichungen/themen/migration/feg-anwendungshinweise-anlagen/anlage2.pdf?blob=publicationFile&amp;v=5</li> </ul>
Ursprungsportal	Residence permit for the purpose of employment in the public interest: Apply for an extension, Aufenthaltserlaubnis zum Zweck der Beschäftigung bei öffentlichem Interesse: Verlängerung beantragen