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Take the examination for the sale of over-the-counter medicines

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Leistungsschlüssel	99005010031000, 99005010031000
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Take the examination for the sale of over-the-counter medicines
Leistungsbezeichnung II	Take the examination for the sale of over-the-counter medicines
Typisierung	2/3 - Bund: Regelung (2 oder 3), Land/Kommune: Vollzug
Quellredaktion	Brandenburg
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	fachlich freigegeben (silber)
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	Leistungsobjekt mit Verrichtung
Leistungsgruppierung	Arzneimittel (005)
Verrichtungskennung	Abnahme (031)
SDG-Informationsbereich	Erlangung von Lizenzen, Genehmigungen oder Zulassungen im Hinblick auf die Gründung und

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	Führung eines Unternehmens
Lagen Portalverbund	Aus-, Weiterbildung und Sachkunde (2030300), Befähigungs- und Sachkundenachweise (2010200), Prüfung und Nachweise für Sachkunde und Sicherheit (2120300)
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	15.10.2020
Fachlich freigegeben durch	Association of German Chambers of Industry and Commerce
Handlungsgrundlage	https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/amg_1976/_50.html https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/amsachkv/index.html#BJNR007530978BJNE000600311
Teaser	In order to be able to offer so-called over-the-counter medicines in the trade, you must prove the corresponding expertise by passing an examination.
Volltext	In principle, medicines may only be sold in pharmacies. However, there are exceptions for so-called over-the-counter medicines. These can be, for example, teas, ointments or tablets containing herbal substances such as valerian. If you want to sell these products in your shop, an employee with proven expertise must always be on site. You can demonstrate this expertise by taking the exam. In the exam, you must be able to answer questions on, for example, the proper storage of over-the-counter medicines, possible hazards of overdosing on the active ingredients, and legal regulations on handling and selling. The questionnaire includes 50 multiple-choice questions and 5 open-ended questions. You should prepare for the exam in terms of content, for example by attending a preparation course. However, this is not a prerequisite for registering for the exam.

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	With a university degree or vocational training in the field of pharmacy, you may already have the expertise and do not need to prove this through a separate examination, more on this can be found in the further information.
Erforderliche Unterlagen	• Photo ID for identification during the test
Voraussetzungen	• none
Kosten	Costs will be incurred. The exact amount can be found in the fee schedule of the local IHK.
Verfahrensablauf	First, you register in writing or online with the responsible IHK. • The IHK confirms your registration • You take the examination on the chosen date • If you pass the examination, you will receive a certificate. After receiving the certificate, you are allowed to sell medicines that are not subject to compulsory pharmacy sales.
Bearbeitungsdauer	You will usually receive the certificate within a few days of passing the exam.
Frist	• none
weiterführende Informationen	Here you will find a list of the professional qualifications recognised as an alternative to the expert knowledge examination: § 10 of the Ordinance on Proof of Expertise in the Retail Trade of Over-the-Counter Medicinal Products.
Hinweise	
Rechtsbehelf	Detailed information on how to appeal against an examination result can be found in the decision on failing the examination.
Kurztext	• Examination of expertise for the trade with over-the-counter medicinal products • The examination can be taken at the responsible IHK. • Registration at the IHK, in writing or online • Different fees depending on the fee schedule of the

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	respective IHK
Ansprechpunkt	
Zuständige Stelle	Chamber of Industry and Commerce https://www.ihk.de/?fdialog=ihk-finder%2F%2F https://www.ihk.de/?fdialog=ihk-finder%2F%2F
Formulare	• Form: Registration Form • Online procedure: Online registration partly possible • Written form requirement: no • Personal appearance: You must appear in person for the examination.
Ursprungsportal	Sachkenntnisprüfung zum Verkauf freiverkäuflicher Arzneimittel ablegen, Take the examination for the sale of over-the-counter medicines