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# Anesthesia technical assistant from third countries Apply for permission to use the professional title

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Leistungsschlüssel	99150094001000, 99150094001000
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Anesthesia technical assistant from third countries Apply for permission to use the professional title
Leistungsbezeichnung II	
Typisierung	3 - Bundesaufsichtsverwaltung: Regelung
Quellredaktion	Hessen
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	fachlich freigegeben (gold)
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	Leistungsobjekt mit Verrichtung
Leistungsgruppierung	Anerkennung Ausländischer Berufsqualifikationen (150)

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Verrichtungskennung	Erteilung (001)
SDG-Informationsbereich	Anerkennung von Qualifikationen zum Zwecke der Beschäftigung in einem anderen Mitgliedstaat
Lagen Portalverbund	Anerkennung ausländischer Berufsqualifikationen (1040400)
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	12.01.2023
Fachlich freigegeben durch	Hessian Ministry of Social Affairs and Integration
Handlungsgrundlage	<a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-g/BJNR276810019.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-g/BJNR276810019.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-aprv/BJNR229510020.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-aprv/BJNR229510020.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-g/BJNR276810019.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-g/BJNR276810019.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-aprv/BJNR229510020.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/ata-ota-aprv/BJNR229510020.html</a>
Teaser	Would you like to work as an anaesthesia technical assistant in Germany? Then you need a state permit. In order to obtain the state permit, you can have your foreign professional qualification recognized.
Volltext	<p>The profession of anaesthesia technical assistant is regulated in Germany. This means that in order for you to be able to work as an anaesthesia technical assistant in Germany, you need a state permit. With this permit, you may use the professional title "anesthesia technical assistant" or "anesthesia technical assistant" and work in the profession.</p> <p>Even with a professional qualification from a so-called third country, you can obtain state permission from the competent authority in Germany. Third countries are all countries that do not belong to the European Union (EU), the European Economic Area (EEA) or Switzerland. In order to obtain the permit, you must have your foreign professional qualification recognized.</p>

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In the recognition procedure, the competent authority compares your professional qualification with the German professional qualification and checks its equivalence. The equivalence of the professional qualification is an important prerequisite for the issuance of the state permit. In addition to the equivalence of the professional qualification, you must meet other requirements for the granting of the permit. Other requirements are, for example, sufficient German language skills and health suitability.

If your professional qualification comes from the EU, EEA or Switzerland, different regulations apply.

You can also apply for the procedure from abroad.

## Erforderliche Unterlagen

The competent authority will tell you which documents you need to submit. Important documents are generally:

- Proof of identity (ID card or passport)
- Birth certificate (if your name has changed due to marriage)
- Curriculum vitae
- Proof of your professional qualification (e.g. certificates, professional certificate)
- Proof of training
- Proof of your relevant professional experience as an anesthesia technical assistant
- Proof of further relevant knowledge for working as an anesthesia technical assistant
- You don't live or work in the EU, the EEA or Switzerland yet? Then you have to prove that you want to work in the profession in Germany. Evidence can be: applications for a job, proof of your application for an entry visa for gainful employment or a business concept.

You usually hand in these documents later. The competent authority will inform you when you should hand in the documents:

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- Proof of your personal aptitude: extract from the criminal record or certificate of good conduct from your country of origin
- Proof of your health fitness: Medical certificate.
- Proof of your German language skills: Language certificate at language level B2 according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)

The competent authority will tell you which documents you need to submit as a simple copy, as a certified copy or in the original.

## Voraussetzungen

- You have a professional qualification as an anaesthesia technical assistant from a third country.
- You want to work in Germany as an anaesthesia technical assistant.
- Personal suitability: You are reliable for working as an anaesthesia technical assistant and have no criminal record.
- Health suitability: You can work mentally and physically as an anaesthesia technical assistant.
- You have German language skills at the required language level. This is usually the language level B2 according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

## Kosten

The fees are inherited from the Administrative Cost Regulations plus expenses.

## Verfahrensablauf

**\*\*Application\*\***

You submit an application for permission to use the professional title "anaesthesia technical assistant" or "anaesthesia technical assistant" to the competent authority.

You can submit the application with the documents to the competent authority or send it by post. Do not send originals. Sometimes you can also send the application electronically. The competent authority will inform you.

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### **\*\*Examination of equivalence\*\***

The competent authority will then check whether you meet all the requirements. An important prerequisite is the equivalence of your professional qualification. The competent authority compares your professional qualification with the German professional qualification as an anaesthesia technical assistant. The professional qualification is equivalent if there are no significant differences between your foreign professional qualification and the German professional qualification.

### **\*\*Possible results of the test\*\***

If your professional qualification is equivalent, your foreign professional qualification will be recognised. The competent authority can confirm the result to you in writing. You still have to meet the other requirements. Then you will receive permission to use the professional title "anesthesia technical assistant" or "anesthesia technical assistant".

Are there any significant differences between your professional qualification and the German professional qualification? Perhaps you can compensate for the differences through your professional practice, other knowledge or skills (lifelong learning). You must prove that you have professional experience. Knowledge and skills must be certified by an authority of the state in which you acquired the knowledge or skills.

However, it may be that the essential differences cannot be compensated for by this knowledge. In this case, your foreign professional qualification will not be recognised. In this case, you are not allowed to work as an anaesthesia technical assistant in Germany.

However, the competent authority will tell you the essential differences and why you cannot compensate for the essential differences through your professional practice.

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In most cases, you can make a compensatory measure. This allows you to compensate for the significant differences.

**\*\*Compensatory measures\*\***

There are various compensatory measures:

- Adaptation period: The adaptation period lasts a maximum of three years.
- Knowledge test: The knowledge test tests your knowledge in specific subjects and areas. The knowledge test includes an oral and practical part.

You can often choose between an adaptation period or a knowledge test.

If you successfully complete the compensatory measure and meet all other requirements, you will receive permission to use the professional title "anesthesia technical assistant" or "anesthesia technical assistant".  
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**Bearbeitungsdauer**

6 - 12 Monat(e)

**Frist**

There is no deadline. Sometimes documents are still missing in the procedure. The competent authority will then inform you by when you have to submit the documents.

**weiterführende Informationen**
**Hinweise**

**\*\*Notice of equivalence\*\***

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	<p>In the approval procedure, the equivalence is also checked (recognition procedure). You can apply for a separate notification for the result of the examination.</p> <p><b>**Procedure for ethnic German repatriates**</b></p> <p>As a late repatriate, you can go through the recognition procedure either according to the laws mentioned here or according to the Federal Expellees Act. You can decide for yourself. The competent authority will advise you on which procedure is right for you.</p>
Rechtsbehelf	<p>You can take legal action against the decision of the competent authority within a certain period of time (e.g. file an objection). The decision will then be reviewed. Details can be found in the information on legal remedies at the end of your decision. We recommend that you first talk to the competent authority before taking legal action against the decision.</p>
Kurztext	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply for recognition as an anaesthesia technical assistant with a professional qualification from third countries.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In Germany, you need a state permit to work as an anaesthesia technical assistant.</li> <li>• With permission, you can officially call yourself an "anesthesia technical assistant" or "anesthesia technical assistant" and work in the profession.</li> <li>• Even with a professional qualification from a so-called third country, you can obtain a state permit in Germany. Third countries are all countries that do not belong to the European Union (EU), the European Economic Area (EEA) or Switzerland.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Ansprechpunkt	<p>Please contact the Hessian State Office for Health and Care.</p>
Zuständige Stelle	<p>Since 01.01.2023, the Hessian State Office for Health and Care (HLfGP) has been responsible.</p>
Formulare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Forms: Forms can be obtained from the competent authority.</li> <li>• Online procedure possible: Ask the competent authority whether you can submit the application</li> </ul>

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	<p>online.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Personal appearance required: no</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://hlfgp.hessen.de/gesundheitsfachberufe/auslaendische-abschluesse/formulare-und-informationen">https://hlfgp.hessen.de/gesundheitsfachberufe/auslaendische-abschluesse/formulare-und-informationen</a></p> <p><a href="https://hlfgp.hessen.de/gesundheitsfachberufe/auslaendische-abschluesse/formulare-und-informationen">https://hlfgp.hessen.de/gesundheitsfachberufe/auslaendische-abschluesse/formulare-und-informationen</a></p>
<b>Ursprungsportal</b>	<p>Anesthesia technical assistant from third countries</p> <p>Apply for permission to use the professional title,</p> <p>Anästhesietechnische Assistentin oder</p> <p>Anästhesietechnischer Assistent aus Drittstaaten</p> <p>Erlaubnis zum Führen der Berufsbezeichnung</p> <p>beantragen</p>