Life in Osnabrück – Health

The healthcare system in Osnabrück is excellent: a high density of doctors, hospitals and pharmacies guarantees outstanding treatment.

Important phone numbers

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<td>Poison Control Center for Lower Saxony</td>
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Doctors

Important information:

- If you are sick, make an appointment with the doctor.
- If you get ill suddenly, call the doctor in the morning and ask whether and when you could come by that day.
- Doctors usually close on Wednesday afternoons and often on Friday afternoons.
- If you are badly injured and need immediate medical care go to the emergency department of the closest hospital.
- If you are unable to get there yourself or with the help of a friend, call 112 for an ambulance.
- Do not go to hospital or an emergency department or call an ambulance if you have a normal cold.

You can find a list of doctors, who speak English and other languages, below. They are all general practitioners.

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<td>Dr. med. Eduard Andres (English)</td>
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Dr. med. Michael Karsch (English, Spanish)  Parkstraße 42 49080 Osnabrück  0541 47875

Dr. med. Charlotte Bisping (English, French)  Natruper Straße 95 49076 Osnabrück  0541 61350

Dr. med. Bernhard Schürhaus (English, French)  Wartenbergstraße 24 49082 Osnabrück  0541 53322

Hospitals

Christliches Kinderhospital Osnabrück (for children)  Johannisfreiheit 1 49074 Osnabrück

Franziskus Hospital - Niels-Stensen-Kliniken  Alte Rothenfelderstraße 23 49124 Osnabrück

Klinikum Osnabrück  Am Finkenhügel 1 49076 Osnabrück

Marienhospital Osnabrück - Niels-Stensen-Kliniken  Bischofsstraße 1 49074 Osnabrück

Paracelsus Klinik  Am Natruper Holz 69 49076 Osnabrück

Pharmacies

- There is no self-service in German pharmacies.
- For some medication, you need a prescription form the doctor.
- Costs for prescribed medicine may amount to 5 €; Medicine without a prescription can be more costly.
- The opening hours of German pharmacies are rather limited and do not always correspond with regular shopping hours. Please note that there is always a pharmacy on-duty around the clock. A list of pharmacies that are on-duty 24 hours can be found on the door of every pharmacy or you can check online: https://www.aponet.de/service/notdienstapotheke-finden/suchergebnis/0/49074.html.