

## **Wearing a mask becomes mandatory in Leverkusen and NRW**

From monday, April 27th 2020, it becomes mandatory to wear a mask in certain situations in public life in Leverkusen and NRW.

When a minimum distance of 1,50 m between two persons cannot be guaranteed, there is an obligation to wear a mask: in shops, in banks and in public transportation (trains and buses). Since the beginning of april, wearing a mask is also mandatory in buildings of Leverkusen's city administration.

The use of scarfs and self-sewn masks is allowed. The requirement is that mouth and nose are covered.

Wearing a mask is mandatory from april 27th. Yet citizens are requested to wear a mask from now on.

Additional information:

<https://leverkusen.de/leben-in-lev/corona-info-leverkusen/maskenpflicht.php>

<https://www.land.nrw/de/pressemitteilung/nordrhein-westfalen-niedersachsen-rheinland-pfalz-und-das-saarland-fuehren>