

TK Contributions as of 1 January 2025

Contribution rates:

Health insurance	
General contribution rate	14.60 % ¹
Reduced contribution rate	14.00 %1
TK-specific supplementary contribution rate	2.45 %2
Long-term care insurance	3.60 %4
The supplementary contribution for mebers without children (does not apply to members who have not yet attained the age of 23 or who have been born before 1940)	0.60 %
Pension insurance	18.60 %
Unemployment insurance	2.60 %

Monthly contributions for students subject to compulsory insurance⁵:

to health insurance (including the TK-specific additional contribution of 20.95 EUR)	108.33 EUR
to long-term care insurance (in- cluding a supplementary contribu-	35.91 EUR ³
tion for members without children)	

(Annual) limit for social security threshold in health insurance:

The ceiling subject to compulsory 73,800 EUR health insurance cover.

Social security contribution assessment ceilings: (The ceiling subject to contributions.)

Health and long term care insurance		Pension and unemployment insurance	
per month	5,512.50 EUR	8,050 EUR	
per year	66,150 EUR	96,600 EUR	

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Contributions for voluntary insured employees:

(after exceeding the social security ceiling)

The monthly contributions are calculated as a percentage of the social security contribution assessment ceiling (5,512.50 EUR).

Entitlement to sick pay	Health insurance		Long-term care insurance	
	Amount/EUR	Contribution rate	Amount/EUR	Contribution rate
yes	804.83	14.60 %	198.45 oder 231.53 ^{3,4}	3.60 % oder 4.20 % ^{3;4}
Contribution paid by employer	402.41		99.23	
no	771.75	14.00 %	198.45 oder 231.53 ^{3,4}	3.60 % oder 4.20 % ^{3;4}
Contribution paid by employer	385.88		99.23	
TK-specific additional contribution rate	135.06	2.45 %		
Contribution paid by employer	67.53	1.225 %		

Employee and employer each pay half of the general or reduced contribution rate (7.30 per cent or 7.00 per cent). In the case of retirees subject to compulsory insurance both retiree and pension insurance institution each pay half of the general contribution rate.

Employee and employer as well as retiree and pension insurance institution each pay half of the TK-specific additional contribution rate (1.225 per cent).

⁴ As of 1 July 2023, insurees with two or more children receive financial assistance. You will find more information in German on this at **tk.de**, **search code 2149438**.

As of 1 July 2023, contribution rates for long-term care insurance for students may differ. You will find more information on this at **tk.de**, **search code 2099012**.

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including a supplementary contribution for members without children (does not apply to members who have not yet attained the age of 23 or who have been born before 1940).