

The Family Service Office offers free and confidential counselling.

Counselling can be provided in person, by telephone, by email or online. Make an appointment or visit our website for opening times.

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Ideas and suggestions for improving the university's family friendliness are welcome.

The Family Service Office is organisationally linked to the Equal Opportunities Office.

FAMILY SERVICE OFFICE

Services for employees and students at the University of Siegen



Family concept of the University of Siegen

„For the University of Siegen, the family concept includes all communities in which long-term social responsibility for others is perceived. In addition to the core family, this includes single mothers and fathers, unmarried and same-sex relationships, patchwork and foster families. Employees and students with elderly relatives in need of care are also included.

For employees and students with families it is a particular challenge to organize their everyday life. This is why the University of Siegen has been carrying out the "family-friendly university" audit since 2006. With the award of the certificate from berufundfamilie Service GmbH the university of Siegen has committed to taking measures to increase family friendliness.

Among other things, the Family Service Office was set up as part of the audit. The Family Service Office supports students and employees of the University of Siegen with family responsibilities in a variety of compatibility issues.

The Family Service Office provides:

- Information and counselling for families on a wide range of issues
- Information and joint search for individual solutions for childcare
- Information on financial support options for (student) parents
- Information on parental leave, parental allowance and maternity leave
- Information and Support for family carers through information and placing
- Organisation of information events and workshops on compatibility issues
- Counselling and Contacts within the University of Siegen and organisations in the region.
- Providing a family-friendly infrastructure on the different campuses

