

## Bridging aid 2, November aid and short-time work allowance

Dear entrepreneurs,

we know about your major economic challenges at the present time. For this reason, we would like to encourage you to apply for the economic aid provided by the federal government if necessary.


### **Bridging aid 2**

Bridging aid is a grant in the event of a **Corona-related decline in sales**. Bridging Aid II covers the **funding months from September to December 2020**. Applications for this period can be submitted immediately. To apply for bridging assistance, please contact a tax advisor, auditor, sworn accountant or lawyer..

### **November aid**

The federal government supports affected companies or self-employed persons with an "extraordinary economic aid", the so-called November aid. They receive help quickly and unbureaucratically in the form of grants. The subsidy amounts to **75 percent of the respective average turnover in November 2019**, on a daily basis pro rata for the duration of the corona-related closings.

The self-employed can alternatively use the average monthly turnover in 2019 as a comparison turnover. For those eligible to apply who **started their business activities after October 31, 2019, the monthly turnover in October 2020 or the monthly average turnover since foundation** can be selected as the comparison turnover.

**Important!**  **The application period for both types of assistance ends on January 31, 2021.**

**Important!**  **Both types of assistance must be requested from an auditing third party (tax advisor, auditor, sworn accountant or lawyer)**

**Important!**  **Online search for tax consultants and auditors**  
<https://www.dstv.de/suchservice/steuerberater-suchen>

**Important!**  **More information and the application process at**  
<https://www.ueberbrueckungshilfe-unternehmen.de>

### **Short-time allowance**

Short-time working allowance helps your company to retain valuable workers, even if your employees temporarily have too little work. For the period of short-time working, it reimburses part of the remuneration for your employees. You will also receive a flat-rate reimbursement of social security contributions minus unemployment insurance.

**Important!**  **Your way to short-time work benefits**  
<https://www.arbeitsagentur.de/m/corona-kurzarbeit/>

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