

Genetics, narcotics, infectious substances, biological agents ... Which regulations are relevant?

All regulations stipulate that

The handling of substances or processes is only permitted if all legal requirements have been met in advance.

- Applications/permits/approvals/notifications other official procedures
- Structural/technical requirements
- Organizational requirements
- Qualifications, special expertise or specialist knowledge



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Regulations on biological substances:

-Occupational Safety and Health Act/Biological Agents Ordinance (State of North Rhine-Westphalia; Regional Office for Occupational Safety)

-Genetic Engineering Act/Genetic Engineering Safety Ordinance

(State of North Rhine-Westphalia; Regional

Office for the Environment)

-Infection Protection Act

(City of Do Health Authority)

-Narcotics and Precursors

(BAfArM Federal Opium Agency)

Structural requirements:

German Social Accident Insurance (DGUV): 213-086 Biological Laboratories DIN EN 12128 Microbiological Laboratories

Not considered further here:

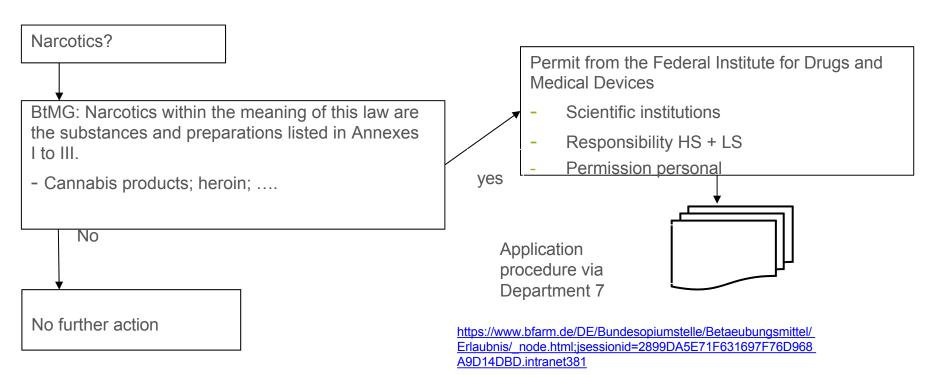
General laboratory rules for hazardous substances (TRGS 526; DGUV I 213-850)

Special plant imports from outside the EU (NRW Plant Inspection Ordinance), laboratory animal husbandry

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Procedure? Backwards by process of elimination



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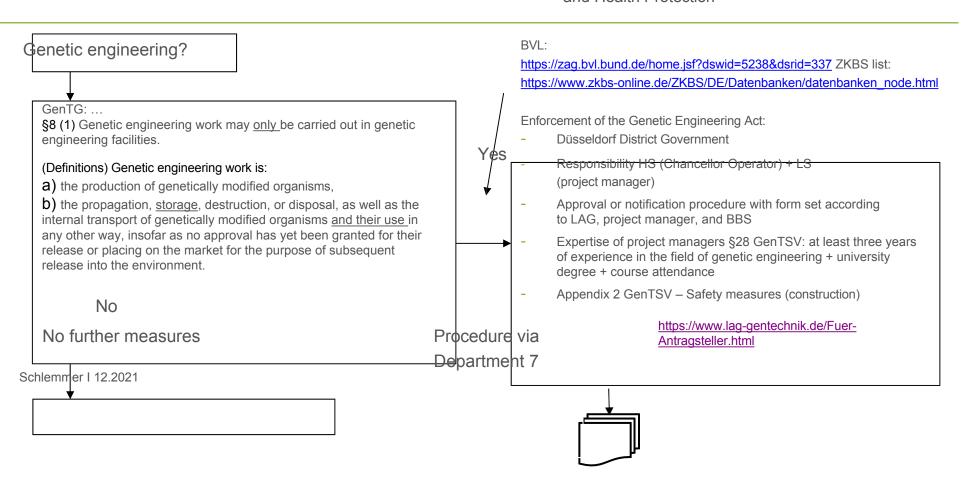
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Infection control? Federal Center for Health Education: https://www.infektionsschutz.de/infektionskrankheiten/ erregerarten/ IfSG: Section 44 Permit requirement for activities involving pathogens: Anyone who wishes to import, export, store, dispense, or work with pathogens within the scope of this Permission under Section 44 of the Infection law, carry them out, store them, dispense them, or work with them Protection Act: yes requires a permit from the competent authority. Dortmund Public Health A pathogen is an agent capable of reproduction (virus, bacterium, Department fungus, parasite) or any other biologically transmissible agent that can cause infection or communicable disease in humans. Responsibility HS + LS Permission personal No Procedure via No further measures Department 7

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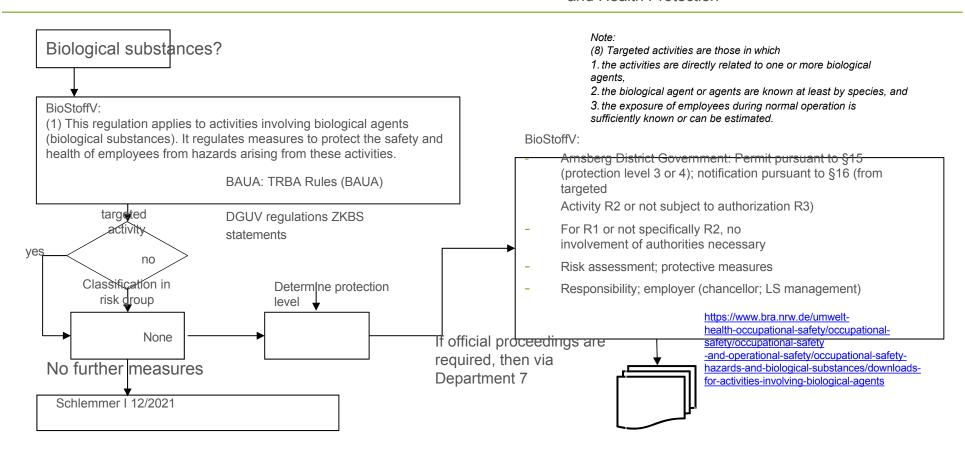


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