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The Institute of the History, Philosophy and Ethics of Medicine (Director: Professor Dr. Florian Steger) has a vacancy from 1.1.2024 for the position of a

## Research Assistant (f/m/d) (100 %)

in a third-party funded project "Fertility Protection Research Centre Ulm - FePro-Ulm  
the contract is for 3 years. An extension of the employment is possible.

Reproductive health is of great importance for every individual, for society and for the health of future generations. It involves physical and medical as well as psychosocial and medico-ethical dimensions. A central aspect of reproductive health is the protection of fertility. The aim of the ethical sub-project within the framework of "FePro-Ulm" is to conduct accompanying research on ethical, legal, social, and cultural challenges related to the improvement of existing and the development of new methods of fertility protection for different social groups. The sub-project will consider several aspects: a) technology assessment in relation to benefits and risks for users, b) issues of informed consent, c) responsible use of personal data, d) issues of societal and family pressures on individual decision-making, e) challenges posed by differences in international and national regulatory frameworks, f) issues of discrimination against minority groups in access to fertility protection.

### Work tasks:

- scientific cooperation in the organization and implementation of research within the framework of the third-party funded project.
- coordination of research activities with the project partners
- scientific cooperation in the presentation and publication of research results

### Our offer:

- payment according to TV-L tariff and company pension scheme
- company health promotion program
- support in balancing family and career
- job ticket

### Your profile:

- completed university studies of medicine, humanities or social science, a Ph.D. degree is of advantage
- proven knowledge in applied ethics and empirical social research
- proven ability to cooperate across various scientific disciplines and work as part of a team
- proven experience in coordinating scientific research projects
- very good knowledge of the English language, both written and spoken

### Have we raised your interest?

Please send your application by post or e-mail until 30.11.2023 to:

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Recruitment is carried out by the administration of the hospital in the name of and on behalf of the state of Baden-Württemberg. Severely disabled applicants will be given priority in the case of equal suitability. The University of Ulm aims to increase the proportion of women in research and teaching and therefore strongly encourages qualified female academics to apply.