

OSCE Projects on Biological Safety and Security in Ukraine

In line with the UN Security Council Resolution 1540 (2004)

Funded by – EU



Implemented by – OSCE



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Overview

- Harmonization of legislation
- Improvement of veterinary surveillance
- Training of specialists

EUR 1 913 900

3 years

[EU Council Decision \(CFSP\) 2019/1296 of 31 July 2019 in support of strengthening biological safety and security in Ukraine in line with the UN Security Council Resolution 1540 \(2004\) on non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery](#)



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Chronology

2018 – review of biological safety and security in Ukraine

2018 – development of a concept note followed by three project proposals in coordination with national counterparts

2019 – EU Council Decision for financial contribution

2020 – launch of projects



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Harmonization of existing Ukrainian regulations on biosafety and biosecurity with international legal framework

- Ministry of Health of Ukraine

Establishing of the veterinary surveillance system sustainability in Ukraine for EDP-related diseases (especially dangerous pathogens)

- State Service of Ukraine for Food Safety and Consumer Protection

Awareness raising, education and training for life scientists on biosafety and biosecurity

- Ministry of Health of Ukraine



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Harmonization of existing Ukrainian regulations on biosafety and biosecurity with international legal framework

- Drafting of the **Law of Ukraine on biological safety and security**
- **Preparation of by-laws** for enhancing biological safety and security, in particular in institutions working with pathogenic micro-organisms



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Providing for the veterinary surveillance system sustainability in Ukraine for EDP-related diseases

- **Equipping a laboratory** to improve the effectiveness of infectious disease monitoring
- **Development of tools for operative diagnostics** of especially dangerous diseases and registration dossiers



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Awareness raising, education and training for life scientists on biosafety and biosecurity

- Training **national trainers** to disseminate knowledge on biological safety, security and ethics, as well as best laboratory practices and methods for managing biorisks
- Establishing a **distant learning system** to spread knowledge and raise awareness of biological safety, security and ethics



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