



# North Carolina - Moldova State Partnership Program (SPP)



MDASPP1401877ICE – Consequence Management and  
Disaster Preparedness Assessment 9-16 Nov 2013



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- 1 Burial site for radioactive waste dating back to 1960
- 2 MAJ Merritt inside the radioactive waste storage facility
- 3 Expired Draegar test tubes and sampling kit
- 4 1 of 4 real world Level A suits in the MOD (only 6 to 8 within Moldova)

**WHO:** 2 x NCARNG 42<sup>nd</sup> CST  
(WMD) Leaders

**WHAT:** Conduct a visit to MDA to  
assess the current status of the  
WMD capability in MDA

**WHEN:** 09-16 November 2013

**WHERE:** vic. Chisinau, Moldova

**WHY:** To assess and develop gap  
analysis in Moldova's WMD  
HAZMAT capabilities and also  
assess gaps within disaster  
preparedness through out the  
government and MOD.

**RESULTS:** WMD HAZMAT  
equipment and capabilities were  
examined, and gaps were  
identified with training and  
equipment maintenance. Other  
gaps were identified with level A  
suits and first responder level  
chemical assessment. Moldovan  
Emergency Situations has  
developed a new EOC and is this  
process on developing an SOG for  
operation.