



OSCE – led Components Stakeholder’s engagement for uranium legacy sites remediation in Central Asia.

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OSCE activities overview - ULS

- **OSCE works on radioactive safety issues in Central Asia since 2002 (water supply projects in Taboshar of Tajikistan, local governmental authorities capacity building in Kyrgyzstan);**
- **OSCE supports the activities of the network of the Aarhus Centres in Central Asia since 2003;**
- **OSCE is a member of the IAEA - CGULS;**
- **OSCE took part in drafting Strategic Master Plans for Uranium Legacy Sites Remediation in Central Asia (SMPs) – stakeholders engagement components;**



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OSCE partners in project areas

International partners: EC, UNDP, EBRD, WISUTEC and others

Kyrgyzstan: Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Emergency Situations, Local governmental authorities in Mailuu-Suu, Minkush and Shekaftar, Aarhus Centre in Osh and other partners.

Tajikistan: Nuclear, Radiological, Chemical and Biological Safety Agency under the Academy of Science, Aarhus Centre in Khujand, Local governmental authorities of Istiqlol town and B. Gafurov district, Mass-media and other partners.

Uzbekistan: Ministry of Emergency Situations, State Committee for Environmental Protection, Ministry of Health, Public Organization Eco-Maktab, Local governmental authorities in Yangiabad and Charkesar areas and other partners.



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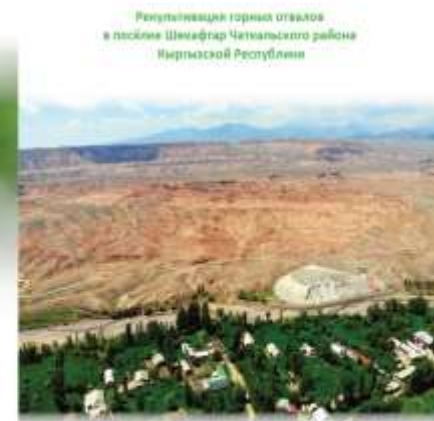


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Main achievement OSCE – led components (2019-2022)

- More than **10.000 local population** covered through awareness raising campaigns in Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan and Uzbekistan;
- Around **1.000 visitors** of the Museum of the Nuclear History in Mailuu-Suu, Kyrgyzstan (June-October);
- **25 schools + 120 teachers + 2500 school children + around 100 school completions** on environment and security and radioactive safety;
- **Capacity building Social – economic development initiatives** in local level (budgeting, planning, forums);





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Main achievement OSCE – led components (2019-2022)

- Development of the **stakeholders engagement strategic document** in national and local levels in Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan and Uzbekistan;
- Support in **establishment of the Association of the cities and locations with ULSs**;
- **Regional co-operation and experience exchange activities**;
- **Regular consultations and long term planning mechanisms** with the national and international partners.



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Activities in Tajikistan

Capacity building trainings on radioactive safety

- Around 30 representatives from Mass Media and press offices from Istiqlol, B. Gafurov, Khujand, Adrasman;
- Around 40 representatives from the local governmental authorities in Sughd region;
- Trainings on development local stakeholder's engagement plans for uranium legacy site remediation

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Activities in Tajikistan



Information Campaigns

- Coverage of the publication in social media – 74 0984
- Coverage of video materials – more that 1 000 000
- Web sites– more than 16 240 users
- 10 Information boards





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Activities in Tajikistan

Creation of «Working Groups» on radioactive safety

- Istiqlol and B. Gafurov;
- Approved by the local governmental authorities;
- Around 10 thematic meetings;
- Action Plans on Radioactive safety developed;
- Capacity building trainings conducted.





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Activities in Tajikistan

Support of the Green patrols in the schools

- 10 classes on radioactive and environmental safety;
- 2 competitions on radioactive and environmental safety;
- Around 1500 school children;
- Trees planting activities around the ULSs;
- Around 20 practical environmental activities with involvement of the local population



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Up-coming plans

- Continue **activities on awareness raising and outreach campaigns on radioactive safety and stakeholder's engagement during the ULSs remediation process** in Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan and Uzbekistan in 2023-2026;
- Provide support of the initiative of the Kyrgyzstan on **Establishment of International co-operation among cities and municipalities (Central Asia, CIS and Europe) with Uranium Legacy Sites (ULS) on their territories**”;



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Thank you!

