



# Nuclear Security Core Physical Protection Concepts

Basic Level Module	<div data-bbox="185 236 382 388">Nuclear Security Terms</div> <div data-bbox="424 236 620 388">Target Identification</div> <div data-bbox="663 236 859 388">Threat</div> <div data-bbox="901 236 1098 388">Risk and Risk Management</div> <div data-bbox="185 432 382 584">Physical Protection Principles</div> <div data-bbox="424 432 620 584">Test and Evaluation</div> <div data-bbox="663 432 859 584">Physical Protection Strategies/Approaches</div> <div data-bbox="185 628 382 796">Physical Protection Guidance Documents for Nuclear Materials and Facilities</div> <div data-bbox="424 628 642 796">Physical Protection Guidance Documents for Radioactive Materials and Facilities</div>
Intermediate Level Module	<div data-bbox="185 856 382 1019">Performance Metrics</div>
Advanced Level Module	
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## Nuclear Security Regime (Prevention): State

Basic Level Module	Developing a State's Nuclear Security Regime (Prevention)	Radioactive Material Hazards					
Intermediate Level Module	Establishing a State's Material Categorization Program	Developing a State's National Threat Assessment	Establishing a State System for Material Control and Accounting Program	Establishing a State's Physical Protection Program	Establishing a State's Information/Cyber Security Program	Establishing a State's Personnel Security Program	Defining a Competent Authority Architecture for Nuclear Security
Advanced Level Module							
Expert Level Module							

## Nuclear Security Regime (Prevention): Competent Authorities

Basic Level Module	Developing a State's Nuclear Security Regulatory Framework (Prevention)	Developing a State's Nuclear Security Licensing Program (Prevention)	Developing a State's Nuclear Security Inspection Program (Prevention)	Resource Management for Nuclear Security				
Intermediate Level Module	State-Level Design Basis Threat	Developing Implementation Guides	Defining Requirements for Material Control and Accounting	Defining Requirements for Physical Protection	Defining Requirements for Information/Cyber Security	Defining Requirements for Personnel Security	Defining Requirements for Transportation Security Systems	Determining Response Strategy
Advanced Level Module	Evaluating Licensee Material Control and Accounting Systems	Evaluating Licensee Physical Protection Systems	Evaluating Licensee Information/Cyber Security Systems	Evaluating Licensee Personnel Security Systems	Conducting Site Surveys	Evaluating Transportation Security Systems	Managing a State's Inventory	
Expert Level Module	Performance Testing of Material Control and Accounting Systems	Performance Testing of Physical Protection Systems	Performance Testing of Information/Cyber Security Systems	Performance Testing of Personnel Security Systems				

## Nuclear Security Regime (Prevention): Licensees

Basic Level Module	<div data-bbox="192 213 382 381"> <p>Nuclear Security Program (Prevention) Implementation</p> </div>
Intermediate Level Module	<div data-bbox="192 474 1818 812"> <div data-bbox="192 474 382 626"> <p>Target Identification</p> </div> <div data-bbox="418 474 608 626"> <p>Developing Security Concept of Operations</p> </div> <div data-bbox="665 474 855 626"> <p>Developing A Material Control and Accounting Plan</p> </div> <div data-bbox="891 474 1081 626"> <p>Developing a Physical Protection Plan</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1138 474 1328 626"> <p>Developing a Information/Cyber Security Plan</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1364 474 1554 626"> <p>Developing a Personnel Security Plan</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1611 474 1801 626"> <p>Developing a Transportation Security Plan</p> </div> <div data-bbox="192 670 382 822"> <p>Site-Specific Threat</p> </div> <div data-bbox="418 670 608 822"> <p>Transportation Security Threat</p> </div> <div data-bbox="665 670 855 822"> <p>Developing a Quality Management Program</p> </div> <div data-bbox="891 670 1081 822"> <p>Developing a Self-Assessment Program</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1138 670 1328 822"> <p>Developing a Risk Management Program</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1364 670 1554 822"> <p>Test and Evaluation Program</p> </div> </div>
Advanced Level Module	<div data-bbox="192 899 2063 1253"> <div data-bbox="192 899 382 1051"> <p>Site Characterization</p> </div> <div data-bbox="418 899 608 1051"> <p>Identifying Vital Areas</p> </div> <div data-bbox="665 899 855 1051"> <p>Developing an Intrusion Detection System</p> </div> <div data-bbox="891 899 1081 1051"> <p>Developing a Video Assessment System</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1138 899 1328 1051"> <p>Developing an Access Control System</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1364 899 1554 1051"> <p>Developing a Delay System</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1611 899 1801 1051"> <p>Developing Guard and Response Force System</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1858 899 2063 1051"> <p>Developing Alarm Communications and Display Consoles</p> </div> <div data-bbox="192 1095 382 1246"> <p>Transportation Characterization</p> </div> <div data-bbox="418 1095 608 1246"> <p>Developing Transportation Security System</p> </div> <div data-bbox="665 1095 855 1246"> <p>Evaluating Transportation Security Systems</p> </div> <div data-bbox="891 1095 1081 1246"> <p>Evaluating Physical Protection Systems</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1138 1095 1328 1246"> <p>Conducting a Vulnerability Analysis</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1364 1095 1554 1246"> <p>Conducting Trends Analysis and Recommendations</p> </div> </div>
Expert Level Module	<div data-bbox="192 1339 1081 1491"> <div data-bbox="192 1339 382 1491"> <p>Performance Testing of Material Control and Accounting Systems</p> </div> <div data-bbox="418 1339 608 1491"> <p>Performance Testing of Physical Protection Systems</p> </div> <div data-bbox="665 1339 855 1491"> <p>Performance Testing of Information/Cyber Security Systems</p> </div> <div data-bbox="891 1339 1081 1491"> <p>Performance Testing of Personnel Security Systems</p> </div> </div>

# Nuclear Security Program: Physical Protection

Basic Level Module	Physical Protection Program Overview
Intermediate Level Module	Physical Protection Requirements Definition Physical Protection System Design Operation and Maintenance of Physical Protection Systems Physical Protection System Evaluation Quality Assurance Program Threat Analysis Target Analysis Compensatory Measures
Advanced Level Module	Characterization of Facilities Vital Area Identification Access Control Systems (Personnel & Vehicle) Assessment Systems Delay Systems Vulnerability Analysis for Fixed Facilities System Effectiveness Evaluation for Fixed Sites Personnel identification Systems Consequence Analysis Intrusion Detection Systems Inspection Systems Alarm Display, Assessment and Communication System Guards and Response Forces Adversary Path Analyses Scenario Analysis and Analysis Tools Characterization of Transport Event Design of Transportation Security System Vulnerability Analysis for Transportation Events System Effectiveness Evaluation for Transportation Events
Expert Level Module	Performance Testing for Exterior Intrusion Detection Sensors Performance Testing for Interior Intrusion Detection Sensors Performance Testing for Passive and Active Barriers Operational Testing of Physical Protection Equipment Functional Testing of Physical Protection Equipment Performance Testing for Response Forces Analysis of Evaluation Data

# Nuclear Security Prevention Program: Material Control and Accounting

Basic Level Module	Material Control and Accounting Program Overview
Intermediate Level Module	Material Control System Material Accounting System Tracking and Reporting System Classification and Protection of Radioactive Materials Quality Assurance Program Material Control and Accounting Plan
Advanced Level Module	Material Control and Accounting Statistical Concepts and Analyses Non-Destructive Assay Evaluation of Material Control and Accounting System
Expert Level Module	

# Nuclear Security Prevention Program: Personnel Security

Basic Level Module	Personnel Security Program Overview
Intermediate Level Module	Personnel Trustworthiness Staff Security Training Personnel Identification System Personnel Security Plan
Advanced Level Module	Assessing the Performance of Personnel Security System Trends Analysis & Recommendations
Expert Level Module	

# Nuclear Security Prevention Program: Information/Cyber Security

Basic Level Module	Information/Cyber Security Program Overview
Intermediate Level Module	Administrative Controls for Information/Cyber Security Technical Controls for Information/Cyber Security Physical Protection for Information/Cyber System Assets Mitigation and Recovery of Critical Information/Cyber Systems Classification and Protection of Sensitive Information Information/Cyber Security Plan Identifying Information/Cyber Security System Requirements System Evaluation of Information/Cyber Systems Security
Advanced Level Module	Assessing the Performance of Information/Cyber Security Systems Security Audit of Information/Cyber Systems Certification and Accreditation of Information/Cyber Systems
Expert Level Module	Penetration Testing of Information/Cyber Systems Performance Analysis of Information/Cyber Systems Security Secure Configuration of Information/Cyber Systems Data Log Analyses & Recommendations

# Nuclear Security Program: Physical Protection for Fixed Facilities

Basic Level Module	Physical Protection Program Overview
Intermediate Level Module	Physical Protection Requirements Definition Physical Protection System Design Operation and Maintenance of Physical Protection Systems Physical Protection System Evaluation Quality Assurance Program Threat & Target Analysis Physical Protection System Alarms Compensatory Measures
Advanced Level Module	Characterization of Facilities Vital Area Identification Access Control Systems (Personnel & Vehicle) Assessment Systems Delay Systems Vulnerability Analysis for Fixed Facilities System Effectiveness Evaluation for Fixed Sites Personnel identification Systems Consequence Analysis Intrusion Detection Systems Inspection Systems Alarm Display, Assessment and Communication System Guards and Response Forces Adversary Path Analyses Scenario Analysis and Analysis Tools Insider Analysis Characterization of Transport Event Design of Transportation Security System Vulnerability Analysis for Transportation Events System Effectiveness Evaluation for Transportation Events Site Surveys Neutralization Analysis Tradeoff Analysis
Expert Level Module	Performance Testing for Exterior Intrusion Detection Sensors Performance Testing for Interior Intrusion Detection Sensors Performance Testing for Passive and Active Barriers Operational Testing of Physical Protection Equipment Functional Testing of Physical Protection Equipment Performance Testing for Response Forces Analysis of Evaluation Data

# Nuclear Security Program: Physical Protection in Transportation Security

Basic Level Module	Physical Protection Program Overview
Intermediate Level Module	Physical Protection Requirements Definition Physical Protection System Design Physical Protection System Evaluation Threat Analysis Target Analysis Compensatory Measures
Advanced Level Module	Characterization of Facilities Intrusion Detection Systems Alarm Display, Assessment and Communication System Delay Systems Guards and Response Forces Adversary Path Analyses Scenario Analysis and Analysis Tools Insider Analysis Consequence Analysis Characterization of Transport Event Design of Transportation Security System Vulnerability Analysis for Transportation Events System Effectiveness Evaluation for Transportation Events Personnel Identification Systems Neutralization Analysis Tradeoff Analysis
Expert Level Module	Performance Testing for Exterior Intrusion Detection Sensors in Transporters Performance Testing for Interior Intrusion Detection Sensors in Transporters Performance Testing for Passive and Active Barriers in Transporters Operational Testing of Physical Protection Equipment Functional Testing of Physical Protection Equipment Performance Testing for Response Forces Analysis of Evaluation Data

**Nuclear Security Prevention – Core Knowledge and Skills**

**A. Definitions – Terms in the Nuclear Security Glossary**

**B. Principles – Guiding rules for Physical Protection Regime**

- a) Security Culture and Security Management
- b) Risk Management, Targets, and Consequences
- c) Threat Assessment and Design Basis Threat
- d) Graded Approach and Defense-in-Depth
- e) Quality Assurance and Sustainability
- f) Security and Contingency Plans
- g) Confidentiality and Trustworthiness

**C. Approaches – An understanding and ability to apply the following for Physical Protection System design and implementation:**

- a) Characterization, design, and evaluation processes for physical protection
- b) Target identification for theft and sabotage
- c) Threats – insider, outsider, cyber/information
- d) Risk and system effectiveness based design and evaluation
- e) Relationship between detection, assessment, communication, delay, and response
- f) The role of each physical protection element (intrusion detection, access control, delay systems, response force communications, etc.) in physical protection system design, analysis, and testing
- g) Multiple, complementary, and continuous lines of detection; detection layers
- h) Balanced protection
- i) Tamper protection and self-test
- j) Alarm prioritization
- k) Response Force Interruption and Neutralization
- l) Adversary and response timelines for timely detection, with critical detection point
- m) Need-to-know and least-privilege
- n) Relationship between physical protection, material control and accounting, information/cyber security, and personnel security

**D. Guidance Documents – Familiarity with the following international instruments that provide guidance and recommendations on ways to ensure physical protection of nuclear and other radioactive material and associated facilities:**

- a) Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Materials (CPPNM) and its Amendment
- b) Recommendations for the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities (INFCIRC/225)
- c) Recommendations for the Physical Protection of Radioactive Material
- d) Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources
- e) Measures to Improve the Security of Nuclear Materials and Other Radioactive Materials (GC(45)/INF/14)]
- f) IAEA Nuclear Security Series

**A. Module Title: Prevention Nuclear Security International Instruments**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the international instruments that provide guidance and recommendations on ways to ensure the physical protection of nuclear and other radioactive material and associated facilities.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces participants to the international instruments that provide guidance on nuclear security prevention as well as guidance and recommendations on physical protection. Copies of the latest versions of these instruments will be provided and a summary of State participation in each of these international instruments where relevant.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

**Nuclear Security Series Framework**

- Nuclear Security Fundamentals
- Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Materials (CPPNM) and its Amendment
- Nuclear Security Recommendations on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities (INFCIRC/225)
- Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources
- Measures to Improve the Security of Nuclear Materials and Other Radioactive Materials (GC(45)/INF/14)]
- Published IAEA Nuclear Security Series Documents

**Other International Instruments**

- IAEA International Instruments & Guidance Documents Relevant to Understanding & Carrying Out Nuclear Security Responsibilities (under development)

**A. Module Title: Nuclear Security Fundamentals**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline what a nuclear security regime should do for nuclear security.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides national policy makers, legislative bodies, competent authorities, institutions, and individuals involved in the establishment, implementation, maintenance or sustainability of a State's nuclear security regime with the Objective and Essential Elements of the nuclear security regime. The Fundamentals sets forth the basis for the Nuclear Security Series of publications. The Fundamentals also explains how the binding and non-binding international instruments in nuclear security relate to the Nuclear Security Series of publications.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Introduction

Objectives of a State's Nuclear Security Regime

Essential Elements of a State's Nuclear Security Regime

- State Responsibility
- Identification and Definition of Nuclear Security Responsibilities
- Legislative and Regulatory Framework
- International Transport of Nuclear Material and Other Radioactive Material
- Offenses and Penalties Including Criminalization
- International Cooperation and Assistance
- Identification and Assessment of Nuclear Security Threats
- Identification and Assessment of Targets and Potential Consequences
- Use of Risk-Informed Approaches
- Detection of Nuclear Security Events
- Planning for, Preparedness for, and Response to a Nuclear Security Event
- Sustaining a Nuclear Security Regime

Glossary of Terms

**A. Module Title: Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Materials and Its Amendment**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to state the elements of the CPPNM that provide the legal basis for a State's nuclear security regime.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides participants with information regarding the international legal basis for the physical protection of nuclear materials, namely, the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (CPPNM)

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Background and Current Status

Amendment to CPPNM: Nuclear Security – Measures to Protect Against Nuclear Terrorism and Current Status

Article 1 – Definitions

Article 1A – Purpose of the Convention

Article 2 – Use of Nuclear Material for Peaceful Purposes

Article 2A – Physical Protection Regime

Article 3 – Legal Framework

Article 4 – Export, Import, and Transport of Nuclear Material

Article 5 as Amended – Central Authority and International Cooperation

Article 6 as Amended – Confidentiality

Article 7 as Amended – Punishable Offenses

Article 8 – Criminal Jurisdiction

Articles 9, 10, 11, 11A, 11B – Extradition

Articles 12, 13 – Criminal Proceedings

Article 13 A - Transfer of Nuclear Technology to Strengthen The Physical Protection of Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities

Article 14 as Amended & Article 22 – Depositary and Its Responsibilities

Article 15 – Annexes

- Levels of Physical Protection to be Applied in International Transport of Nuclear Materials as Amended

- Categorization of Nuclear Material as Amended

Article 16 as Amended - CPPNM Conferences

Article 17 – Disputes

Articles 18, 19 – Ratification, Entry into Force, and Current Status

Article 20 – Amendments

Article 21 – Denunciation

Article 23 – Languages

**A. Module Title: Nuclear Security Recommendations on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline the essential elements of nuclear security and identify the recommended requirements for physical protection of nuclear material and nuclear facilities.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides national policy makers, legislative bodies, competent authorities, institutions, and individuals involved in the establishment, implementation, maintenance or sustainability of a State's nuclear security regime with the recommended requirements to achieve the four physical protection objectives.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Introduction

Definitions

Objectives of a State's Physical Protection Regime

Elements of a State's Physical Protection Regime for Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities

Requirements for Measures Against Unauthorized Removal in Use and Storage

Requirements for Measures Against Sabotage of Nuclear Facilities and Nuclear Material in Use and Storage

Requirements for Measures against Unauthorized Removal and Sabotage of Nuclear Material During Transport

References

**A. Module Title: Elements of a State's Physical Protection Regime for Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline the essential elements of nuclear security and identify the recommended requirements that should be met by States for the application of the fundamental principles.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides national policy makers, legislative bodies, competent authorities, institutions, and individuals involved in the establishment, implementation, maintenance or sustainability of a State's nuclear security regime with the recommended requirements to apply the twelve fundamental principles of physical protection.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

State Responsibility (Fundamental Principle A)

International Transport (Fundamental Principle B)

Assignment of Physical Protection Responsibilities

Legislative and Regulatory Framework (Fundamental Principle C)

Competent Authority (Fundamental Principle D)

Responsibilities of the License Holders (Fundamental Principle E)

International Cooperation and Assistance

Identification and Assessment of Threats (Fundamental Principle G)

Risk-based Physical Protection System and Measures

- Risk Management
- Graded Approach (Fundamental Principle H)
- Defense in Depth (Fundamental Principle I)

Sustaining the Physical Protection Regime

- Security Culture (Fundamental Principle F)
- Quality Assurance (Fundamental Principle J)
- Confidentiality (Fundamental Principle L)
- Sustainability Program

Planning for, Preparedness for, and Response to Nuclear Security Events (Fundamental Principle K)

**A. Module Title: Requirements for Measures Against Unauthorized Removal in Use and Storage**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify categories of nuclear material and outline the recommended physical protection requirements for measures against unauthorized removal of nuclear material in use and storage for each category of nuclear material.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides those responsible for the State's physical protection regime with the recommended requirements for physical protection of nuclear material in use and storage. It will demonstrate the grade approach to physical protection based on the category of nuclear material.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Basis for Concern

Categorization of Nuclear Material

Requirements for Physical Protection Against Unauthorized Removal in Use and Storage

Requirements for Categories I, II, and III Nuclear Material

Additional Requirements for Categories I and II Nuclear Material

Additional Requirements for Category I Nuclear Material

Summary Comparison of Physical Protection Requirements

**A. Module Title: Requirements for Measures To Locate and Recover Missing or Stolen Nuclear Material**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline recommended actions for the coordinated response for the location of recovery of missing or stolen nuclear material.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides recommendations for the State and operator for a coordinated response for the location and recovery of missing or stolen nuclear material. This module will also include on-site operations and assistance that can be provided by operators to assist State organizations for the off-site operations needed to locate and recover nuclear material.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Requirements for the State

Requirements for the Operator

Summary of Recommended Coordination for Response

**A. Module Title: Requirements for Measures Against Sabotage of Nuclear Facilities and Nuclear Material in Use and Storage**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe the consequences of a sabotage event and identify what physical protection measures can be used to mitigate sabotage threats to nuclear facilities.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides recommendations for nuclear facilities (nuclear power plants and research reactors) and nuclear fuel cycle facilities (including conversion, enrichments, fabrication, reprocessing, and storage facilities to address the threat of sabotage using physical protection measures using a consequence-based approach.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

General

Unacceptable Radiological Consequences

Requirements for Process to Design Physical Protection System Against Sabotage

Requirements for Physical Protection Against Sabotage at Nuclear Facilities

- Requirements for High Consequences Facilities such as Nuclear Power Reactors
- Requirements for Other Nuclear Facilities and Nuclear Material

Requirements for Associated Measures to Mitigate or Minimize the Radiological

Consequences of Sabotage

- Requirements for the State
- Requirements for the Operator

**A. Module Title: Requirements for Measures Against Threats to Nuclear Material During Transport**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline the graded approach for the physical protection against sabotage and unauthorized removal during transport of nuclear material.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides recommended requirements for the physical protection of nuclear material during transport.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Nuclear materials of concern

General Requirements for Transport of Nuclear Material

Requirements for Category I, II, and III Nuclear Material

Additional Requirements for Category I and II Nuclear Material

Additional Requirements for Category I Nuclear Material

State and Carrier Requirements for Measures to Locate and Recover Nuclear Material

Missing or Stolen During Transport

Physical Protection of Nuclear Material Against Sabotage During Transport

- Requirements for the State
- Requirements for the Carrier

**A. Module Title: Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline the recommended physical protection requirements for radioactive sources.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides recommended requirements for the physical protection of IAEA radioactive sources of concern including legislation, regulation, and import/export.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Status of the Code of Conduct

Definitions

Scope and Objectives

Basic Principles

Legislation and Regulations

Regulatory Body

Import and Export of Radioactive Sources

Role of the IAEA

Sources Covered by the Code

**A. Module Title: Nuclear Security Recommendations on Radioactive Material and Associated Facilities**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline the recommendations for instituting a nuclear security regime for the security of radioactive material and associated facilities.

**C. Module Description:**

Radioactive material is used throughout the world for a wide variety of beneficial purposes. Security measures are needed to prevent the acquisition of such material for a malicious act causing a radiological hazard. This module will provide participants with familiarity with the nuclear security recommendations for implementing a comprehensive nuclear security regime. It includes obligations and commitments associated with international instruments related to the security of radioactive material.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Introduction

Objectives a of State's Nuclear Security Regime for Radioactive Material, Associated Facilities, and Associated Activities

Elements of a State's Nuclear Security Regime for Radioactive Material, Associated Facilities, and Associated Activities

- State Responsibility
- Assignment of Nuclear Security Responsibilities
- Legislative and Regulatory Framework for the State, Regulatory Body, Operator/Shippers
- International Cooperation and Assistance
- Identification and Assessment of Threats
- Risk-Based Nuclear Security Systems and Measures
- Sustaining the Nuclear Security Regime
- Planning and Preparedness for and Response to Nuclear Security Events
- Import and Export of Radioactive Material
- Detection of Nuclear Security Events

Security of Radioactive Material, Associated Facilities, and Associated Activities

- Threat Assessment
- Graded Approach
- Categorization of Radioactive Material
- Regulatory Approach
- Security of Radioactive Material in Use and Storage
- Security Management
- Security of Radioactive Material in Transport
- Additional References

**A. Module Title: Measures to Improve the Security of Nuclear Materials and Other Radioactive Materials (GC(45)/INF/14)]**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline the Physical Protection Objective and Fundamental Principles.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides the four Physical Protection Objectives for nuclear security and the twelve Fundamental Principles of Physical Protection of Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Physical Protection Objectives

Fundamental Principles of Physical Protection of Nuclear Material and Nuclear Facilities

**A. Module Title: IAEA Nuclear Security Series**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the four types of documents in the Nuclear Security Series and how to access them.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides the overall architecture of the Nuclear Security Series including, fundamental, recommendation, implementation, and guidance documents. This module will also cover where to find these documents and the status of each document in the series.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Nuclear Security Fundamentals (Objectives and Essential Elements)

Recommendations Documents

Implementing Guides

Technical Guidance for Nuclear Security Prevention

Technical Guidance for Nuclear Security Prevention

Other Nuclear Security Series Documents

Status of Nuclear Security Series Documents

IAEA Link to Nuclear Security Series

**A. Module Title: Introduction to Characterization, Design, and Evaluation Processes for Physical Protection**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the types of design and evaluation approaches, describe the systems engineering approach to physical protection.

**C. Module Description:**

This module discusses types of design and evaluation methods for physical protection. It further describes a performance-based system engineering process to characterize, design, and evaluate physical protection systems (PPS).

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Types of Design and Evaluation Approaches (Expert, Prescriptive, Component-Based, Performance)

Performance Based System Engineering Process

Defining PPS Requirements

PPS Functions

Design Principles for Physical Protection

System Effectiveness

Risk Definition and Risk Management

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection System Functions**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify physical protection system functions and the elements that perform those functions.

**C. Module Description:**

This module discusses physical protection functions and describes the elements of physical protection systems that perform those functions.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Physical Protection System Functions – Detection, Delay, and Response

The Relationship between Detection, Assessment, Communication, Delay, and Response

Detection Processes

Delay Processes

Response Processes

The Role of Each Element in the Physical Protection System

Response Force Interruption and Neutralization

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection System Design Approaches**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe the design approaches used in the design of physical protection systems.

**C. Module Description:**

This module discusses design approaches that are used characterize, design, and evaluate physical protection systems (PPS).

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Multiple, Complementary, and Continuous Lines of Detection

Detection Layers

Balanced Protection

Tamper Protection and Self-test

Need-to-know and Least Privilege

Timely Detection and Response – Adversary and Response Timelines

**A. Module Title: Introduction to Risk Management**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the elements of risk and the role of risk management in physical protection.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides participants the introduction to risk in physical protection and management of this risk in physical protection system design and evaluation.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

PPS Objectives

Role of Risk Management in Physical Protection

Security Risk Elements

Three Ways to Reduce Risk

Two Approaches to Establishing Risk Requirements for Physical Protection Systems

**A. Module Title: Introduction to Target Identification**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the types of targets considered during physical protection system characterization, design, and evaluation.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides participants the introduction to target identification concepts and the use of targets in physical protection system design and evaluation.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

PPS Objectives

Target Types (Theft/Sabotage)

Unacceptable Radiological Consequences

Theft Targets – Material of Concern

Sabotage Methods

Vital Areas Concepts

Target Identification Concept Application

Targets and Security Policy

**A. Module Title: Introduction to Physical Protection Threats**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the types of threats considered during physical protection system characterization, design, and evaluation.

**C. Module Description:**

This module provides participants the introduction to threat characterization and the use of threats in physical protection system design and evaluation.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

PPS Objectives

Role of Threat in Physical Protection

Threats to Nuclear Materials – Outsiders, Insiders, Cyber/Information Threats

Threat Assessment and Design Basis Threat

Organization Involved in Both

Policy Considerations

Decisions to Be Made

**A. Module Title: Alarm Prioritization**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the types of alarms, designate alarm levels, be able to decide the basis for alarm prioritization, and describe the role of alarm assessment.

**C. Module Description:**

This module discusses the types and levels of alarms, the need for alarm prioritization and schemes for alarm prioritization. It also discusses the role of alarm assessment and what recommended information is associated with an alarm.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Types of Alarms (real, false, nuisance)  
The Need for Alarm Prioritization  
Some Example Alarm Prioritization Schemes  
Designating Alarm Levels  
Alarm Assessment  
Useful Information Associated with an Alarm

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection and Other Nuclear Security Prevention Programs**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe the relationship between physical protection and other nuclear security prevention programs.

**C. Module Description:**

This module discusses nuclear security programs and describes how elements of other nuclear security prevention programs impact the design and operation of physical protection systems.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Nuclear Security Overview

Nuclear Security Prevention Programs

The Impact of Material Control and Accounting on Physical Protection Systems

The Impact of Information/Cyber Security on Physical Protection Systems

The Impact of Personnel Security on Physical Protection Systems

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection Requirements Definition Analyses**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the analyses conducted in association with physical protection systems.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to various analyses used in the requirements definition, design, characterization, and evaluation of physical protection systems.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Lifecycle of Physical Protection Systems

Consequence Analysis

Threat Analysis

Target Analysis

Vital Area Identification Analysis

Tradeoff Analysis

**A. Module Title: Consequence Analysis**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe the consequences resulting from malicious acts using nuclear and radioactive materials.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the consequences resulting from theft of nuclear and other radioactive material and sabotage to associated facilities. This module also addresses consequences resulting from malicious acts committed during transport of nuclear and other radioactive material.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Nuclear Event Scale

Theft Consequences

Sabotage Consequences

Unacceptable Radiological Consequences

Understanding Consequences Associated with Facilities

Understanding Consequences Associated with Transport

**A. Module Title: Threat Analyses**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify malicious threats to nuclear and other radioactive materials.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to threat analyses used as a basis for generating a design basis threat used in the requirements definition, design, characterization, and evaluation of physical protection systems.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Threat Types – Terrorists, criminals, protestors, insiders, etc.

Characterization of Threats – Motivation, capability, access, resources

Collusion Threat

Sources of Information

Prioritization of Threats

Design Basis Threat

**A. Module Title: Target Analyses**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the targets associated with nuclear and radioactive material facilities and transport.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to processes to identify targets used in the requirements definition, design, characterization, and evaluation of physical protection systems.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Target Types – Theft Sabotage  
Unacceptable Radiological Consequences  
Theft Targets – Materials of Concern  
Identifying Theft Targets  
Sabotage Methods  
Vital Area Concepts  
Identifying Sabotage Targets – Direct and Indirect  
Information Included in a Target Listing  
Target Analysis Uses  
Protection of Sensitive Information

**A. Module Title: Vital Area Analyses**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to identify the vital areas associated with nuclear and other radioactive material facilities.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the processes associated with vital area analysis to identify potential sabotage targets and to group and prioritize areas for physical protection.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Definitions

Safety Basics

Policy Considerations

Operational States

Vital Area Identification Analysis Process

Management and Organization to Support Vital Area Identification Analysis

**A. Module Title: Safety Systems Basics**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to recognize the role of safety analyses in vital area analysis, the use of Probabilistic Safety Analysis, event trees, and fault trees.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the nuclear safety terms, tools, and sources of information for use in a vital area analysis.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Definition of Terms

Purpose and Types of Safety Analysis

Defense-in-Depth and Safety Levels

Deterministic Safety Analysis (DSA)

Probabilistic Safety Analysis (PSA)

PSA Process

Event Trees

Fault Trees

Using DSA and PSA Information in Vital Area Identification

**A. Module Title: Policy Considerations and Operational States**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe policy considerations that affect vital area identification/analysis.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to seven policy considerations and competent authority policy decisions affecting vital area identification analysis.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Seven Policy Considerations

- Unacceptable Radiological Consequences
- Facility Operational States and Facility Safe States
- Treatment of Random Failures
- Treatment of Maintenance
- Availability of Equipment not Located in Vital Areas
- Recovery Actions
- Human Errors

Competent Authority Policy Decisions

- Facility Operational States
- Safe State
- Random equipment failures
- Maintenance
- Availability of equipment not located in vital areas
- Treatment of recovery actions and human error

**A. Module Title: Vital Area Identification Process**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe the five steps for vital area identification.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to a process for vital area identification analysis.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Baseline Vital Area Identification Approach

Definition of Terms

Five Step Process

1. Identify sources of radioactive releases and possible MAIEs
2. Sabotage fault tree modeling
3. Collect and model location data
4. Identify candidate sets of vital areas
5. Select vital areas

**A. Module Title: Vital Area Identification Process - Identifying Malevolent Acts and Sources of Radioactive Releases**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe how to identify malevolent act initiating events and to use them as part of a vital area identification analysis.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the terms associated with malevolent act initiating events (MAIEs) and the use of safety analysis to generate MAIEs.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Definition of Terms

Approaches to Identifying Malevolent Act Initiating Events (MAIEs)

Determination of Safety Functions and Associated Systems

Assessment of Systems

Grouping and Bounding of MAIEs

Documentation

**A. Module Title: Sabotage Fault Tree Modeling**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe how fault trees may be used to model sabotage events and consequences for use in vital area identification.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the use of safety analysis information and fault tree modeling to generate system sabotage fault trees for use in vital area identification analysis.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Vital Area Sabotage Logic Model

Fault Trees

Event Trees

Difference Between Event and Fault Tree Models

System Sabotage Fault Tree

Generating Sabotage Fault Trees

**A. Module Title: Collection and Modeling of Location Data**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe methods for collecting location data its integration with sabotage fault trees.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the strategies and types of data to be collected to support vital area identification analysis.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Objectives for Location Data Collection

Strategies

Data to be Collected

Incorporation of Location Data in a Sabotage Fault Tree

Three Scenarios for Linking Sabotage locations to Acts of Disabling Equipment, Components, or Devices

**A. Module Title: Identification of Candidate Sets of Vital Areas**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe how to identify vital areas using sabotage fault trees and use this information for generation protection location trees.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the concepts of Boolean algebra and its application in solving sabotage fault trees. This module will also describe how to use Boolean algebra and the complement of the facility sabotage fault tree to generate protection location trees.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Definition of Terms  
Basic Boolean Algebra  
Development of Protection Location Tree  
Minimal Path Sets  
Solution of Protection Location Tree

**A. Module Title: Selection of Vital Areas**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe how to select vital areas using sabotage fault trees and consider impacts, reliability, and cost in prioritizing vital area protection.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to cost, reliability, and impact to physical protection systems for consideration in prioritization of identified vital areas.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Consideration for Selection of Vital Areas

Ease, Effectiveness and Cost of Protection

Impacts Physical Protection

Reliability of Protected Components, Equipment, and Devices

Documentation

Trade-off Analysis

**A. Module Title: Trade-off Analysis**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to describe the role of trade-off analysis and some considerations for trade-off analysis.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the concepts of trade-off analysis and its application in the evaluation of solutions considered in physical protection systems.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

- Definition of Terms
- Role of Trade-off Analysis
- Cost Factors
- Safety Factors
- Operational Impact Factors
- Performance Factors
- Weighting Factors
- Conducting Trade-off Analysis

**A. Module Title: Management and Organization in Support of Vital Area Identification Analysis**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to outline the team composition and quality assurance measures for vital area identification analysis.

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to the typical vital area identification analysis team composition based on skills and knowledge and the associated roles and responsibilities for each member. This module also introduces the quality components and associated quality assurance reviews to sustain vital area identification.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Vital Area Identification Team Composition  
Roles and Responsibilities  
Quality Components  
Quality Assurance Reviews

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection Sustainability Program**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module students will be able to:

1. Identify sustainability components
2. Describe the role of each sustainability component
3. Identify the sustainability decisions to be made

**C. Module Description:**

This module introduces participants to the strategies and principles associated with the sustainability of physical protection systems.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

The Role of Physical Protection Systems

The Need for a Sustainability Program

Sustainability Strategies

Sustainability Components

- Performance/Capability Assurance
- Configuration Management
- Procedures/Process
- Training
- Organization/Personnel
- Life Cycle Management

Equipment Maintenance Logistics

Sustainability Decisions to Be Made

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection National Training Program**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module students will be able to plan and design a national training program for physical protection systems.

**C. Module Description:**

There are three main facets to physical protection – the people, procedures, and equipment. In order to sustain an effective physical protection program, a training program is needed to help ensure that capable staff are available to operate and maintain physical protection systems. This module provides participants with the aspects of a national physical protection training program and the options to be considered.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

- Personnel Associated with a Physical Protection Program
- Levels of Physical Protection Training
- Types of Physical Protection Training
- Frequency of Training
- Assessing Effectiveness
- Training Records
- National Training Center Versus Site Training
- Decisions to Be Made

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection Configuration Management**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module students will be able to discuss the role and processes associated with configuration management.

**C. Module Description:**

Physical Protection configuration management is the discipline of identifying, recording, evaluating, tracking, coordinating, reporting and controlling aspects of physical protection program by processes that maintain the integrity of these aspects through out the life cycle of the physical protection system.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Goals of configuration management

Classic operational aspects of configuration management

Identifying and addressing configuration management needs

Configuration Management Functions

- Configuration Management Planning and Management
- Configuration Identification
- Configuration Change Management
- Configuration Status Accounting, and
- Configuration Verification & Audit

**A. Module Title: Physical Protection System Life Cycle**

**B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module students will be able to discuss the lifecycle phases of a physical protection system.

**C. Module Description:**

Physical protection systems have a lifecycle – a beginning, and end, and existence in between. This module discusses the lifecycle of physical protection systems with emphasis on sustainability.

**D. Module Topics/Outline:**

The Life Cycle of Physical Protection Systems

Inception

Creation

Implementation

Sustainable Operation

Modification

Termination

Evaluation and Tradeoff Analysis

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **Nuclear Security Regime Prevention Overview**

### **A. Module Title: Developing a State's Nuclear Security Regime – Prevention**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- State the prevention responsibilities for a Member State
- Identify the entities that make up a nuclear security regime
- Identify the prevention programs that support a nuclear security regime
- Distinguish between prevention and detection

### **C. Module Description:**

This module introduces the participants to nuclear security objectives and Member State responsibilities with a focus on prevention.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Nuclear Security Definition

Nuclear Security International Instruments

Member State Responsibilities for Nuclear Security

Nuclear Security Regime Entities

Nuclear Security Prevention Programs and Their Role

Decisions to Be Made

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

Core Nuclear Security Knowledge

# **Nuclear Security Regime Material Categorization**

## **A. Module Title: Developing a State's Material Categorization Program**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Interpret INFCIRC/225 Material Categorization Tables
- Interpret Table 1 in the “Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources”
- Define a State-level Material Categorization Table

### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to determine their country's nuclear and radioactive material categorization. An optional exercise to create a draft program may be included.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Purpose of a Material Categorization Program

INFCIRC/225 Material Categorization Tables

Table 1 from “Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources”

Determining Material Attractiveness

Determining and Identifying Accepted Material Within the State

Determining Thresholds of Unacceptable Radiological Consequences

Determining Authorized Facilities

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
Purpose of a Material Categorization Program	
INFCIRC/225 Material Categorization Tables	1.1.1.1.a
Table 1 from “Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources”	1.1.1.1.b
Determining Material Attractiveness	1.1.1.1.c
Determining and Identifying Accepted Material Within the State	1.1.1.1.d
Determining Thresholds of Unacceptable Radiological Consequences	1.1.1.1.e
Determining Authorized Facilities	1.1.1.1.f, 1.1.1.1.g

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **National Threat Assessment**

### **A. Module Title: Developing a State's National Threat Assessment Equivalent to IAEA-NSS12/NSM6**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Identify national threat assessment requirements
- Conduct a threat assessment
- Document a threat assessment

### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to conduct a national threat assessment to be used as the basis for physical protection design basis threat.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Role of National Threat Assessment

Elements of a Threat Assessment

Data Required for a Threat Assessment

Identifying National Targets and Strategic Locations

Describing Non-State, Domestic, and Indigenous Threats

Protecting Threat Assessments

Maintaining Threat Assessments

Role of Design Basis Threat and Beyond Design Basis Threat

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
Role of National Threat Assessment	1.1.2.1.c, 1.1.2.1.e, 1.1.2.1.f
Elements of a Threat Assessment	1.1.2.2.a, 1.1.2.3.a, 1.1.2.3.c, 1.1.2.3.d
Data Required for a Threat Assessment	1.1.2.2.b, 1.1.2.3.b
Identifying National Targets and Strategic Locations	1.1.2.1.a, 1.1.2.1.g
Describing Non-State, Domestic, and Indigenous Threats	1.1.2.1.b, 1.1.2.1.d
Protecting Threat Assessments	
Maintaining Threat Assessments	1.1.2.4.a, 1.1.2.4.b
Role of Design Basis Threat and Beyond Design Basis Threat	1.1.2.3.e, 1.1.2.5.a-c

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **State-Level Material Control and Accounting**

### **A. Module Title: Establishing a State System for Nuclear Material Control and Accounting**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Define the requirements for material control and accounting of nuclear material during use and storage, and during transport
- Establish the legal framework to govern material control and accounting
- Establish a State-level nuclear material inventory baseline
- Establish a State-wide material control system

### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to establish a State's nuclear material control and accounting program.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

International Instruments and Resources

Material Control and Accounting Concepts

Defining a State's Nuclear and Radioactive Material and Associated Facilities

Techniques for Material Control and Accounting

Inventory and Reporting Requirements

Material Custody

Legal Framework for Material Control and Accounting

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
International Instruments and Resources	1.1.4.2.c
Material Control and Accounting Concepts	1.1.4.1.a-b
Defining a State's Nuclear and Radioactive Material and Associated Facilities	1.1.4.1.c-d, 1.1.4.3.f
Techniques for Material Control and Accounting	1.1.4.1.e-g, 1.1.4.4.a-b
Inventory and Reporting Requirements	1.1.4.2. c
Material Custody	1.1.4.3.a-e, 1.1.4.4.d, 1.1.4.4.e
Legal Framework for Material Control and Accounting	1.1.4.2. a-d, 1.1.4.4.c

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **Physical Protection Regime**

### **A. Module Title: Establishing a State's Physical Protection Program**

#### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Define the requirements for physical protection of nuclear material during use and storage, and during transport
- Establish the legal framework to govern physical protection
- Define requirements, roles, and responsibilities for response to sabotage and theft incidents

#### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to establish a State's physical protection program.

#### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

International Instruments and Resources for Physical Protection

Physical Protection Fundamental Principles

National Threat Assessment

Defining a State's Nuclear and Radioactive Material and Associated Facilities

Radiation Hazards

Response to Events

Physical Protection Approaches

Defining Requirements for Physical Protection

Defining Competent Authority(s) for Physical Protection

Legal Framework for Physical Protection

#### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
International Instruments and Resources for Physical Protection	1.1.3.1.a
Physical Protection Fundamental Principles	1.1.3.1.b
National Threat Assessment	1.1.3.1.d
Defining a State's Nuclear and Radioactive Material and Associated Facilities	1.1.3.2.a-b
Radiation Hazards	1.1.3.3.b
Response to Events	1.1.3.3.c-g
Physical Protection Approaches	Core Physical Protection Knowledge
Defining Requirements for Physical Protection	1.1.3.1.c, 1.1.3.3.a
Defining Competent Authority(s) for Physical Protection	1.1.3.2.c, 1.1.7.g-h
Legal Framework for Physical Protection	

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **Information/Cyber Security Regime**

### **A. Module Title: Establishing a State's Information/Cyber Security Program**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Define the requirements for information/cyber security
- Define a State system for information and material classification
- Establish the legal framework to govern information/cyber security

### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to establish a State's information/cyber security program.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Sensitive Information Categorization

Forms of Information

Physical Protection Requirements for Sensitive Information

Maintenance of Classification System

Defining Competent Authority(s) for Information/Cyber Security

Legal Framework for Information/Cyber Security

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
Sensitive Information Categorization	1.1.5.1.a, 1.1.5.1.b, 1.1.5.2.a
Forms of Information	1.1.5.1.a
Physical Protection Requirements for Sensitive Information	1.1.5.2.b
Defining Competent Authority(s) for Information/Cyber Security	1.1.5.2.c, 1.1.7.g-h
Maintenance of Classification System	1.1.5.2.c
Legal Framework for Information/Cyber Security	1.1.5.3.a

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **Personnel Security Regime**

### **A. Module Title: Establishing a State's Information/Cyber Security Program**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Define the requirements for personnel security
- Define a State system for security personnel qualification
- Establish the legal framework to govern personnel security

### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to establish a State's personnel security program.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Personnel Trustworthiness

Nuclear Security Culture

Requirements for Personnel Trustworthiness Program and Human Reliability Program

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
Sensitive Information Categorization	1.1.5.1.a, 1.1.5.1.b, 1.1.5.2.a
Forms of Information	1.1.5.1.a
Physical Protection Requirements for Sensitive Information	1.1.5.2.b
Defining Competent Authority(s) for Information/Cyber Security	1.1.5.2.c, 1.1.7.g-h
Maintenance of Classification System	1.1.5.2.c
Legal Framework for Information/Cyber Security	1.1.5.3.a

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **Competent Authority Architecture**

### **A. Module Title: Defining a Competent Authority Architecture for Nuclear Security**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Identify the entities and programs associated with a nuclear security regime
- Define the architecture for competent authorities associated with nuclear security

### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to assign the responsibilities associated with nuclear security to the appropriate competent authority.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

International Instruments and Resources  
Roles and Responsibilities  
Decisions to Be Made  
Conflict Resolution

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
International Instruments and Resources	1.1.7.1.a-b
Roles and Responsibilities	1.1.7.1.c
Decisions to Be Made	1.1.7.1.d-g
Conflict Resolution	1.1.7.1.h

# Nuclear Security Regime

## Legal Framework

### A. Module Title: Legal Framework for Nuclear Security (Prevention) (Equivalent to IAEA-NSS12/NSM2)

### B. Module Objectives:

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Identify the entities and programs associated with a nuclear security regime
- Define the architecture for competent authorities associated with nuclear security

### C. Module Description:

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to develop the necessary legal framework to support nuclear security.

### D. Module Topics/Outline:

International Instruments and Resources

Roles and Responsibilities

Criminal, Unauthorized, Malicious Acts

Consequences of these Acts

Defining Criminal Offenses and Commensurate Penalties

Legal Authorities

Legal Aspects of Import/Export and Transit of Nuclear and Other Radioactive Materials

Other Indicators

### E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping

Topic	Knowledge and Skill References
International Instruments and Resources	Core Physical Protection Knowledge
Roles and Responsibilities	1.1.7.1.d
Criminal, Unauthorized, Malicious Acts	1.1.1.2.a
Consequences of these Acts	1.1.1.1.e
Defining Criminal Offenses and Commensurate Penalties	1.1.1.2.b
Legal Authorities	1.1.7.1.d
Legal Aspects of Import/Export and Transit of Nuclear and Other Radioactive Materials	1.1.1.3.a-e, 1.1.1.4.a-e
Other Indicators	1.1.1.5.a-e

# **Nuclear Security Regime**

## **Radioactive Material Hazards**

### **A. Module Title: Radioactive Material Hazards**

**Equivalent to parts of IAEA-NSS12/NSM5**

### **B. Module Objectives:**

At the end of this module participants will be able to:

- Identify nuclear and radioactive materials
- Estimate the consequences of malicious incidents involving these materials and acc

### **C. Module Description:**

This module provides the participants with the foundation upon which to understand the hazards from radioactive materials.

### **D. Module Topics/Outline:**

Types of Radiation  
Hazards Associated with Radioactive Material  
Indicators of Radiation Exposure  
Systems for Indicator Detection  
Response to Radiation Exposure Events

### **E. Knowledge and Skills Mapping**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Knowledge and Skill References</b>
Types of Radiation	1.1.1.5.a
Hazards Associated with Radioactive Material	1.1.1.5.a
Indicators of Radiation Exposure	1.1.1.5.b
Systems for Indicator Detection	1.1.1.5.c-d
Response to Radiation Exposure Events	1.1.1.5.e