

ART 6.9.5.1 Conduct Weapons of Mass Destruction Forensic Evidence Collection

Weapons of mass destruction (WMD) forensic evidence collection is conducted after a WMD incident to establish facts for attribution. The analysis of WMD forensic evidence has produced emerging needs and capabilities in support of intelligence functions, operational activities, protection, host-nation legal support, personnel recovery, and identification of superiority in different environments. (ATTP 3-11.23) (USACBRNS)

NO.	Scale	Measure
01	Yes/No	Unit collected WMD material in accordance with applicable law, policies, and regulation that govern WMD operations.
02	Yes/No	Unit obtained legal coordination and authorization with appropriate government agency prior to WMD forensic evidence collection.
03	Yes/No	Unit conducted appropriate collection and handling procedures.
04	Yes/No	Force included personnel trained in collection and handling procedures for WMD forensic evidence.
05	Yes/No	Unit had protective packages and containers available to safely package and transport materials.
06	Yes/No	Unit located and safeguarded key witnesses documents and other forensic evidence related to key ongoing or potential investigations.
07	Yes/No	Unit processed items of evidence for forensics analysis.
08	Yes/No	Unit maintained chain of custody.

Supporting Collective Tasks:

Task No.	Title	Proponent	Echelon
03-5-0002	Conduct CARA Mobile Expeditionary Laboratory (CMEL) Analytical Functions	03 - CBRN (Collective)	Team (TOE)
03-5-0003	Emplace a CARA Mobile Expeditionary Laboratory (CMEL)	03 - CBRN (Collective)	Team (TOE)
03-5-	Displace a CARA Mobile Expeditionary	03 - CBRN	Team

0004	Laboratory (CMEL)	(Collective)	(TOE)
03-5-0006	Displace a Light Mobile Expeditionary Laboratory (LMEL) from an Exploitation Site	03 - CBRN (Collective)	Team (TOE)