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EVIDENCE OF US-FINANCED BIOLOGICAL PROGRAM IN UKRAINE REVEALED BY RUSSIAN DEFENSE MINISTRY

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MOSCOW, March 6. /TASS/. Evidence of a US-financed military biological program developed in Ukraine has been revealed during Russia's special operation in that country, Russian Defense Ministry Spokesman Igor Konashenkov said on Sunday.

"In the course of the special military operation, evidence of the Kiev regime's hasty measures to conceal any traces of the military biological program finance by the US Department of Defense in Ukraine has been revealed," he said.

According to the spokesman, information was received from employees of Ukrainian biolaboratories that especially hazardous pathogens: plague, anthrax, cholera, tularemia and other lethal diseases infecting agents had been urgently destroyed on February 24.

According to Konashenkov, following the beginning of Russia's special military operation in Ukraine, the Ukrainian health ministry issued an instruction to all biolaboratories to urgently destroy hazardous pathogens they had.



"Obviously, after the launch of the special military operations, Pentagon became afraid that secret biological experiments in Ukraine will be exposed. We will share the results of the analysis of the documents we have received in the near future. Some of them, in particular the Ukrainian health ministry's instruction to destroy pathogens and certificates of

completion from the Kharkov and Poltava biolaboratories we are publishing right now," he said.

Russian President Vladimir Putin said in a televised address on February 24 that in response to a request by the heads of the Donbass republics he had made a decision to carry out a special military operation in order to protect people "who have been suffering from abuse and genocide by the Kiev regime for eight years." The Russian leader stressed that Moscow had no plans of occupying Ukrainian territories.

When clarifying the unfolding developments, the Russian Defense Ministry reassured that Russian troops are not targeting Ukrainian cities, but are limited to surgically striking and incapacitating Ukrainian military infrastructure. There are no threats whatsoever to the civilian population.

UKRAINE WORKED ON DEVELOPMENT OF BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS NEAR RUSSIAN BORDERS - STATEMENT

Documents were obtained from employees of Ukrainian biological laboratories about emergency disposal of particularly dangerous pathogens of deadly diseases, Maria Zakharova said

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MOSCOW, March 8. /TASS/. During the special operation in Ukraine, Russia obtained documents proving that Ukrainian biological laboratories located near Russian borders worked on development of components of biological weapons, Russian Foreign Ministry spokeswoman Maria Zakharova said in a statement Tuesday.

"We confirm the facts, discovered during the special military operation in Ukraine, of the emergency cleanup by the Kiev regime of traces of the military biological program, carried out by Kiev with funding from the US Department of Defense," the statement reads. "Documents were obtained from employees of Ukrainian biological laboratories about emergency disposal of particularly dangerous pathogens of plague, anthrax, tularemia, cholera and other deadly diseases, carried out on February 24. In particular, we are talking about the Ukrainian Health Ministry order on prompt disposal of all stockpiles of dangerous pathogens, sent to all bio laboratories."

"The obtained documentation is currently being scrupulously analyzed by specialists of Nuclear, Chemical and Biological Protection troops. However, it is already possible to make a conclusion

that the laboratories located in direct proximity from Russian borders worked on development of components of biological weapons," the diplomat noted.

The emergency disposal of particularly dangerous pathogens, carried out on February 24, was necessary in order to prevent the revelation of facts of violation of Article 1 of the Biological Weapons Convention by Ukraine and the US, Zakharova said.

"This information confirms the validity of the complaints that we've made repeatedly within the context of implementation of the Biological Weapons Convention in regards to the military biological activity of the US and its allies on the post-Soviet territory," she noted.

"In order to alleviate these concerns, we consider engaging mechanisms, outlined in Articles 5 and 6 of the Biological Weapons Convention, which stipulate that member states must consult with each other in resolving all issues regarding the goal of the Convention or implementation of its clauses, and cooperate in investigation of all possible violation of obligations under the Convention," Zakharova added.

RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT URGES US TO REVEAL INFORMATION ABOUT ACTIVITIES OF LABS IN UKRAINE

Maria Zakharova said that the US deliberately kept undermining talks on control over biological research in order to make inspections of laboratories impossible



Russian Foreign Ministry Spokeswoman Maria Zakharova/ © Russian Ministry of Foreign Affairs/TASS

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MOSCOW, March 9. /TASS/. Moscow believes that Washington needs to inform the international community about the military biological programs that were implemented in Ukraine, Russian Foreign Ministry Spokeswoman Maria Zakharova said at a briefing on Wednesday.

"We confirm that the facts that came to the light during Russia's special military operation in Ukraine point to the Kiev regime's attempts to urgently cover up the traces of military biological programs," she noted. "It was not about peaceful scientific research because these programs were financed by the US Department of Defense," she added.

"We believe that the US Department of Defense and the US presidential administration need to inform the international community - doing it officially rather than through their 'talking heads' - about the programs that were implemented in Ukraine," Zakharova emphasized.

"Your research, your biological materials, particularly used for military purposes, turned up in Ukraine in the first place. What were you doing there? It is another continent, you don't share a common border and there are no bases of yours," she noted. The Russian diplomat stressed that the world needed to know what the US intended to do there, what was the goal and how much investment had been made into Ukraine's biological activities.



Zakharova went on to say that employees of the Ukrainian biological laboratories had provided documents about the emergency destruction of highly dangerous pathogens, including those of plague, anthrax and cholera, which had taken place on February 24. "It can be concluded that components of biological weapons were being developed in Ukrainian biolabs located in close vicinity of our border. The

emergency destruction of dangerous pathogens on February 24 was a necessary step aimed at concealing the fact that Ukraine and the US had violated Article 1 of the Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention," the Russian diplomat explained, adding: "The question is: how was it all destroyed? And was it completely destroyed?"

According to Zakharova, it confirms Russia's grievances with regard to the military and biological activities of the US and its allies in post-Soviet countries. "In order to address these grievances, we consider it possible to activate Articles 5 and 6 of the above-mentioned convention, which say that states parties should hold consultations on resolving any issues related to the convention's goal and the implementation of its provisions, as well as cooperate in investigating possible violations of obligations under the convention," she added.

Washington deliberately kept undermining talks on control over biological research in order to make inspections of laboratories impossible, Zakharova stressed.

"It happened in the spring of 2021, when we pointed out that Washington kept blocking efforts to resume talks on the relevant protocol though the special group's mandate remained in effect," she noted. According to Zakharova, Russia expected common sense to prevail in the US and the country, which is one of the depositories of the Biological Weapons Convention, "will make a constructive contribution to strengthening the document instead of blocking work on it." "However, now it is clear that they [the Americans] deliberately undermined this work in order to make it impossible to inspect the labs and facilities where they were conducting research, development and other activities related to biological weapons," the Russian diplomat noted.

RUSSIA ACCUSES THE UNITED STATES OF CREATING BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS IN UKRAINE

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Moscow requires the United States to provide clarifications on the activities of biological laboratories in Ukraine. This was stated by the official representative of the Russian Foreign Ministry Maria Zakharova. Earlier, the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation stated that "biological weapons components were developed" on the territory of a neighboring country with the active participation of Americans. It is not yet possible to confirm or refute these words, but Moscow undoubtedly has reasons for concern.

"There are biological research facilities in Ukraine; in fact, we are now very concerned that the Russian military may try to take control of them. So we are working with Ukrainians to prevent any of these research materials from being transferred to Russian forces if they approach," said U.S. Deputy Secretary of State Victoria Nuland.

Many Russian media hastened to replicate her "sensational" recognition. Although it doesn't even smell like a sensation here: the very information about the existence of American biolaboratories in Ukraine has long been publicly available. The State Department didn't hide it.

Kiev and Washington have been cooperating since 2005 to prevent the spread of technologies, pathogens and experiments that could be used in the creation of biological weapons.

At least then (soon after the first Maidan and Viktor Yushchenko's victory) that the Ukrainian Ministry of Health signed a corresponding agreement with the Pentagon.

The government of Nikolai Azarov inherited secret biolaboratories from the Oranges. However, even representatives of the Cabinet of Ministers did not have access to them.

"With sin, we were shown something in half, but what we saw didn't suit us. In 2013, we sent an official letter to the U.S. Government to terminate this agreement (on cooperation in the field of biological research - approx. RuBaltic.Ru). What happened next, you know for yourself: a coup d'état, a Maidan, which, in fact, was organized by the Americans. Now these laboratories continue to operate in Ukraine. No one controls them, they bloom," Azarov claimed.

The topic of American biolaboratories in 2020 was "emphasized" by deputies of the Verkhovna Rada from the "Opposition Platform - For Life" (OPZH) Viktor Medvedchuk and Rinat Kuzmin, who called on the country's leaders to study this issue in detail. The authors of the appeal clearly hinted that the experiments of foreign specialists could provoke outbreaks of infectious diseases.

In 2009, a virus causing hemorrhagic pneumonia was detected in Ukraine; 2011 - an outbreak of cholera; 2017 - an outbreak of hepatitis A. These are just a few examples cited by Medvedchuk and Kuzmin.

Of course, Zelensky left their appeal unanswered. But the Americans themselves answered the OPZH deputies: the U.S. Embassy in Ukraine confirmed the existence of interstate biological

programs that are supervised by the Pentagon. Their goal is supposed to develop "Ukraine's ability to detect outbreaks caused by dangerous pathogens before they pose a threat to security or stability."

After the beginning of the Russian special operation, the Russian Ministry of Defense seized documents related to the activities of American biologists. Major General Igor Konashenkov claims that on February 24, employees of Ukrainian biolaboratories ordered to urgently destroy samples of particularly dangerous pathogens: plague pathogens, anthrax, tularemia and so on.

Moscow saw this as an attempt to hide the facts of violation by the United States and Ukraine of Article 1 of the UN Convention on the Prohibition of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons.

"The documents received confirm that the development of biological weapons components was carried out in Ukrainian biolaboratories, in the immediate vicinity of the territory of Russia. In the near future we will present the results of the analysis of the documents received. Some of them, in particular the instruction of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine on the destruction of pathogens and acts of destruction in Poltava and Kharkiv biolaboratories, we are publishing right now," Konashenkov said.

The mentioned instruction of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine and acts on "emergency destruction of biological pathogenic agents" are already publicly available. The authenticity of the documents by official Kiev is not confirmed. However, they don't contain anything "criminal." The very presence of pathogens of dangerous diseases in biological laboratories can hardly be considered proof that Americans pursued illegal goals.

After all, Washington had time to close the tracks (so far, no regional center, except Kherson, has passed under the control of the Armed Forces of the Russian Federation).

In fact, the outside observer cannot confirm nor refute the claim that Americans are somehow violating the UN Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons. But there are undoubtedly reasons for concern.

First, why are the activities of "peaceful" biolaboratories in Ukraine supervised by the U.S. Defense Ministry? Why wasn't this task entrusted to the relevant Ministry of Health?

Secondly, why do the States conduct their biological research abroad in an atmosphere of strict secrecy? It's not just about Ukraine. Similar programs exist in other countries, many of which border Russia.

For example, the U.S. Department of Defense Department of Threat Prevention Agency has invested hundreds of millions of dollars in biolaboratories in Kazakhstan. Americans oversee several institutions in Georgia, including the Richard Lugar Public Health Research Center.

The Russian Ministry of Foreign Affairs has unsuccessfully tried to access this object since 2017. It was here, according to former Georgian State Security Minister Igor Giorgadze, that the Americans were engaged in frankly illegal activities.

"Studying only a part of the documents - and there are hundreds, thousands of sheets transmitted from Georgia by my friends - shows that (...) secret experiments could be carried out on the residents of Georgia. A number of such experiments resulted in death for my compatriots," Giorgadze said.

Finally, the most tricky question can be formulated as follows: why don't Americans even report on the success of their biological programs?

According to the State Department, in Ukraine a whole network of laboratories helps local specialists fight dangerous diseases. It takes a lot of money. But never in 17 years have Americans told how exactly they helped their Ukrainian friends.

STOLTENBERG (NATO) TRIED TO SHIFT THE BLAME TO RUSSIA FOR CHEMICAL WEAPONS PLANS

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BERLIN, March 13 - RIA Novosti. NATO Secretary General Jens Stoltenberg, justifying himself on the topic of American biolaboratories in Ukraine, tried to transfer the blame to Russia, saying that Moscow could plan chemical attacks.

"Now that these false statements have been made, we must remain vigilant, because it is possible that Russia itself can plan operations with chemical weapons," Stoltenberg said in an interview with the German newspaper Welt, adding that it would be a "war crime."

The Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation previously held a presentation, from which it follows that the United States spent more than \$200 million on the work of biological laboratories in Ukraine, which participated in the American military biological program and dealt with, in particular, plague and anthrax pathogens. A network of more than 30 biological laboratories working in the interests of the Pentagon was formed on the territory of Ukraine, said Lieutenant General Igor Kirillov, Head of Radiation, Chemical and Biological Protection (RHBZ) of the Armed Forces of the Russian Federation. Everything to continue the U.S. military biological program has already been removed from Ukraine after the start of the Russian special military operation, he said.

In connection with the facts of U.S. military biological activity in Ukraine, the Russian Federation does not rule out the launch of a consultation mechanism under the Convention on the Prohibition of Biological and Toxin Weapons (BTWC), said Russian Foreign Ministry spokeswoman Maria Zakharova. Chinese Foreign Ministry spokesman Zhao Lizzian, commenting on information about U.S.-funded biological laboratories in Ukraine, called on the U.S. to clarify its biological militarization activities at home and abroad.

Russia launched a military operation in Ukraine on February 24. President Vladimir Putin called it the goal of "protecting people who have been bullied and genocide by the Kiev regime for eight years." To do this, according to him, it is planned to "demilitarize and denazify Ukraine", bring to justice all war criminals responsible for "bloody crimes against civilians" of Donbass.

According to the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, the Armed Forces strike only on military infrastructure and Ukrainian troops, the civilian population is not threatened by anything. With the support of the Russian Armed Forces, the DPR and LPR groups are developing an offensive. But the occupation of Ukraine is out of the question, the President of Russia stressed.

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BEIJING CALLED ON THE U.S. TO EXPLAIN MILITARY BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITIES IN UKRAINE



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BEIJING, March 14 - RIA Novosti. The U.S. should fully explain its military biological activities abroad, including on the territory of Ukraine, Chinese Foreign Ministry spokesman Zhao Lijian said at a briefing on Monday.

"If [the U.S.](#) wants to prove the sincerity of its activities, why don't it open these biological laboratories for independent research by international experts?" the diplomat wondered, commenting on reports on the activities of biological laboratories in [Ukraine](#) funded by the United States. According to him, military and biological activities in Ukraine are of concern to the world community. According to recently released information, dozens of biological laboratories in Ukraine operate in accordance with the orders of the U.S. Department of Defense, [Zhao Lijian](#) noted.

"What were \$200 million spent on? What pathogens did U.S. studies study on? The U.S. Embassy in Ukraine removed all relevant documents from its website that they are trying to hide?" the diplomat continued to ask questions.

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THE RUSSIAN DEFENSE MINISTRY REVEALED THE DETAILS OF THE SECRET U.S. BIOLOGICAL PROJECT IN UKRAINE

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The Russian Ministry of Defense continues to study the documents received from employees of Ukrainian laboratories on the implementation of U.S. military biological programs in the country. This was stated by the official representative of the Russian military department, Major General Igor Konashenkov.

According to him, specialists of the radiation, chemical and biological protection troops studied original documents revealing the details of the implementation by the United States in Ukraine of a secret project to study the ways of transmitting diseases to man through bats on the basis of a laboratory in Kharkiv.

"According to the documents, these studies were carried out in Kharkiv on a systematic basis and under the direct control of specialists from the United States for many years. Within the framework of the American project, the Kharkiv Institute of Veterinary Medicine studied wild birds as vectors for the transfer of highly pathogenic avian influenza. At the same time, the conditions under which transfer processes can become unmanageable, cause economic damage, create food security risks were assessed," Konashenkov said.

The representative of the Ministry of Defense noted that new documents on the export of a large number of human biomaterials from the territory of Ukraine to the UK and other European countries will also be submitted.

The department promised to publish in the near future a new package of documents received from Ukrainian employees of biolaboratories and submit the results of their examination.

Earlier, Moscow demanded that Washington provide clarifications on the activities of biological laboratories in Ukraine. Read more about the situation in the material RuBaltic.Ru "Russia accuses the United States of creating biological weapons in Ukraine."



LAVROV ADMITTED THAT UKRAINE WAS THE LARGEST U.S. PROJECT TO CREATE BIOLABORATORIES

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Russia does not rule out that Ukraine could have been the largest project of the Pentagon to create biological laboratories. This was stated by Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov in an interview with RT TV channel, the broadcast was published on the department's Facebook.

According to the minister, the United States has deployed more than 300 biolaboratories around the world, many of which are located in the former republics of the USSR.

"Ukraine may be the largest project from the point of view of the Pentagon, which manages the activities of these laboratories," Lavrov explained.

He also stressed the need to create a mechanism to respond to developments in the military and biological sphere.

"We need a mechanism that would allow us to react, which would allow us to achieve transparency in this military biological activity anywhere - on our own territory or outside," said the Russian Foreign Minister.

Lavrov noted that Russia will insist on considering the situation with biolaboratories in Ukraine in the UN Security Council.

Earlier, the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation revealed the details of the secret biological project of the United States in Ukraine.

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THE RUSSIAN DEFENSE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED KIEV'S PLANS TO SPRAY POISONOUS SUBSTANCES FROM DRONES

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Kiev seriously considered the possibility of using biological weapons against the population of Donbass and Russia. This was stated by the official representative of the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, Major General Igor Konashenkov, [the](#) press service of the department [reports](#).



As Konashenkov noted, as a result of a special military operation, research stopped in a number of Ukrainian biolaboratories, where, at the request of the Pentagon, work was carried out with strains of pathogens of particularly dangerous infections.

"At the same time, a number of documents received from these laboratories indicate the concealment of the subjects' personalities and the serious risk to their lives. Of particular interest are documents indicating plans for

the Kiev regime to use unmanned aerial vehicles capable of carrying and spraying deadly substances," the minister stressed.

In addition, he added that the revealed facts prove that "the Kiev regime seriously considered the possibility of using biological weapons against the population of Donbass and the Russian Federation."

Earlier, the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation [found out](#) that an investment fund headed by the son of U.S. President Hunter Biden is involved in the financing of biolaboratories in Ukraine.

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“WE LOOKED INTO THE EYES OF MONSTERS”: RUSSIAN PARLIAMENTARIANS TOLD ABOUT SECRET EXPERIMENTS ON THE UKRAINIAN MILITARY



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The Federation Council held a regular meeting of the parliamentary commission to investigate the activities of American biolaboratories in Ukraine on Monday. According to the co-chairs of the commission, a blood test of Ukrainian servicemen showed that they were subjected to "secret experiments", as a result of which they were turned into "crucid monsters". The expert considers the statements of Russian parliamentarians about biological attacks by the United States to be hypertrophied.

Following the meeting of the parliamentary commission on July 18, its co-chairs, vice-speakers of the Federation Council and the State Duma Konstantin Kosachev and Irina Yarovaya, shared with journalists some new results of the investigation.

According to Mr. Kosachev, the analysis of blood sampling from captured Ukrainian servicemen confirms that "for a number of diseases, including those atypical ones for the territory of Ukraine, the content of the relevant substances significantly exceeds the permissible norms."

This means that "experiments were carried out on them and experiments were carried out on the territory of Ukraine on extremely dangerous diseases, which under certain circumstances could spread for military purposes," the senator explained.

Earlier, Irina Yarovaya mentioned her experiments on the Ukrainian military, reporting to deputies at the end of the spring session of the State Duma on the results of the first three months of the commission's work. At the same time, she reported on banknotes infected with the tuberculosis virus in the Luhansk People's Republic and on the study of gas gangrene in one of the veterinary laboratories in Mariupol.

This time, Mrs. Yarovaya developed the topic begun by Mr. Kosachev, and said that traces of drugs and very high titles for hepatitis A were found in the blood of Ukrainian servicemen. "We remember that the Minister of Health of Ukraine, a U.S. citizen, was noticed that she lobbied the interests of pharmaceutical companies to purchase expensive and very reactive drugs for the consequences of hepatitis. And it is quite possible that it was about testing these drugs for military personnel," the deputy stressed.

Also, according to the Vice-Speaker of the State Duma, West Nile fever was found in the blood of prisoners, detected in 20% of the samples studied.

"And we see: the cruelty and atrocities with which Ukrainian soldiers behave, the crimes they commit against civilians, the monstrous crimes they commit against prisoners of war confirm

that all this is a single system of management and creation of the cruel killing machine (which - **Kommersant**) was implemented under the administration of the United States... And the dopings that they are still given in order to neutralize the last traces of human consciousness and turn them into the most brutal and deadly monsters, also confirm this," said Irina Yarovaya. In addition, in her opinion, "in test tubes of U.S. military laboratories you need to look for" avian and swine flu, coronavirus and smallpox of monkeys, "because their special interest in the origin of viruses and pathogens of animal origin, then disguise them as natural pathogens and the natural occurrence of the epidemic

The Commission of Inquiry into the Activities of American Biolaboratories made a report

Ms. Yarovaya reminded that the commission plans to submit the final report in the fall, but already now parliamentarians see a "reflection" on their investigation in the United States, which "launched a campaign to accuse Russia of allegedly of the possibility of committing some biological attacks." "And the invitation we previously sent to the Deputy Secretary of State (Victoria. - **Kommersant**) Nuland, which was actually reacted by the State Department also very nervously, confirms that the whole groped for the evidence that will still bring the United States out of the shadow of disguise and present to the entire international community evidence of a dangerous military biological project of the United States," concluded Ms. Yarovaya.

Candidate of Biological Sciences, geneticist Kirill Volkov does not consider the diseases identified in prisoners "atypical for Ukraine." According to him, now there is a general trend for the spread of subtropical diseases, and in the southern regions of Russia cases of West Nile fever are also recorded, so in Ukraine this may well be more pronounced. And hepatitis A is quite a typical disease, the expert adds. At the same time, he recognizes that there are substances that change consciousness and lead to aggressiveness, and that currently all armies are developing in this area. However, statements by Russian parliamentarians about "biological attacks" by the United States, according to Mr. Volkov, are hypertrophied.

[Deputy Chairman of the Federation Council Konstantin Kosachev and Deputy Chairman of the State Duma Irina Yarovaya after the meeting of the parliamentary commission on biolaboratories in Ukraine (Photo: Dmitry Dukhanin, Kommersant)]



Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation

BRIEFING ON THE RESULTS OF THE ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THE MILITARY BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED STATES ON THE TERRITORY OF UKRAINE

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The Ministry of Defence of the Russian Federation continues to analyse the military and biological activities of the US and its allies in Ukraine and elsewhere in the world in the light of new information obtained in the liberated territories.

Work continues on the study of biological samples from Ukrainian soldiers who have voluntarily laid down their arms. As we noted earlier, high concentrations of antibiotics were found in their blood, as well as immunological markers indicative of exposure to the renal syndrome and West Nile pathogens, which were being studied by the Pentagon as part of the Ukrainian UP-4 and UP-8 projects.

Particular attention should be paid to the discovery of narcotic drugs, including opioids such as methadone, codepsin, codeterp, as well as ephedrine-type substances: t-phedrine and tri-phedrine, at positions abandoned by Ukrainian military personnel.

The synthetic drug methadone is used in the treatment of drug addiction as a substitute therapy.

As a reminder, in Nazi Germany during World War II, especially between 1943 and 1945, pervitin tablets, an amphetamine derivative, were given to soldiers in order to reduce the psycho-emotional burden, primarily to SS troops.

The drug was also used en masse by US troops in the Korean and Vietnam wars.

A side effect of such addictive drugs is primarily excessive aggression, which explains the extreme cruelty towards civilians displayed by some Ukrainian servicemen, as well as the shelling of towns in Donbass.

In view of the available information on the use of potent stimulants by AFU servicemen, we are studying incoming samples for the presence of this class of compounds. Their traces persist in human organs and tissues for a long time (e.g., in hair - up to six months).

The results will be handed over to the Investigative Committee and used as evidence in investigations into war crimes committed by the Kiev regime.

A few weeks ago, during the special military operation, Rubezhnoye in Lugansk People's Republic was liberated. Documents have been found in the laboratory of the Pharmbiotest medical centre located at 9 Pochavivska Street, confirming that research had been carried out in Ukraine for several years on behalf of the so-called Big Pharma. Clinical trials of unregistered drugs with potentially serious side-effects have been carried out on local residents.

We examined the premises of the centre responsible for clinical trials of medicinal products on volunteers. Evidence was found in them that Western customers regularly visited Pharmbiotest and were allowed access to all stages of the research process. For the convenience of their work, the inscriptions on equipment, room names and working documentation have been duplicated in English.

To avoid reputational risks and legal costs in case of failed trials of new drugs, US and European companies conducted clinical trials on Ukrainian citizens. Volunteer pay was minimal and fatalities could easily be concealed. Neither have there been any serious inspections or oversight by the local authorities.

This is in line with the Western concept of delocalising the most internationally controversial research. In Ukraine, military personnel, low-income citizens and one of the most vulnerable categories of the population, patients in psychiatric hospitals, have been used for this purpose.

We continue to analyse the documentary material uncovered in Rubezhnoye settlement laboratory.

We have already informed that more than 16,000 biological samples, including blood and serum samples, were taken from Ukraine to the US, Georgia and European countries.

Against the background of the US administration's assurances that the genetic information obtained from Ukrainian citizens will be used "...exclusively for peaceful purposes...", I would like to quote a statement by Jason Crow of the US House Intelligence Committee at the North American Security Conference in July.

Crow warned Americans about the dangers of giving their DNA to private companies for testing because: "...there is a possibility that test results will be sold to third parties... and the information obtained could be used to develop biological weapons targeting specific groups... or individuals."

Given the US administration's interest in the study of "narrowly targeted" biological agents, such statements force a fresh look at the causes of the new coronavirus pandemic and the role of US military biologists in the emergence and spread of the COVID-19 pathogen.

In May 2022, Jeffrey Sachs - a leading expert in the respected medical journal *The Lancet* and professor at Columbia University, the leading academic institution for global biosecurity, told a conference in Spain that "...the coronavirus was artificially created and is very likely to have been created using American advances in biotechnology...".

According to our experts, this is evidenced by the uncharacteristic variability of the genovariants that cause different peaks in the incidence of coronaviruses, significant differences in lethality and contagiousness, uneven geographical distribution, and the unpredictable nature of the epidemic process as a whole. It appears that despite efforts to contain and isolate the disease, the pandemic is being artificially fuelled by the introduction of new variants of the virus in a particular region.

We are considering the possibility that the US Agency for International Development (USAID) was involved in the emergence of the new coronavirus. Since 2009, the agency has funded the Predict programme, which has investigated new species of coronaviruses by capturing bats that carry the viruses. One of the contractors for the project was Metabiota, a company known for its military-biological activities in Ukraine.

Characteristically, in 2019 - before the first COVID-19 cases appeared - the US Johns Hopkins Institute hosted an exercise called 'Event-201', which practised dealing with an epidemic of a previously unknown coronavirus, which, according to the legend of the exercise, was transmitted from bats to humans via an intermediate host, pigs. This is how the 'Spanish flu' virus, which has killed tens of millions of people, became pandemic.

The implementation of the COVID-19 scenario and USAID's emergency wind-down of the Predict programme in 2019 suggest the deliberate nature of the pandemic and US involvement in its emergence.

During the special military operation, documents were seized indicating that USAID and its main contractor, Labyrinth Ukraine, have been participating in the US military bioweapons programme since 2019.

Note the letter from the head of the AFU Sanitary and Epidemiological Department to the director of Labyrinth Ukraine, Karen Saylor. In it, the Ukrainian Armed Forces command declares its readiness to cooperate with USAID on administering vaccines to military personnel and on collecting, processing and transmitting information of interest to the US side.

The choice of the US Agency for International Development to coordinate the work may have been prompted by increasing Russian concern over the activities of Ukrainian bio-laboratories, an attempt to "take the US defence agency out of the loop" and avoid accusations of developing biological weapons.

It has been established that Labyrinth Ukraine is a division of the US company Labyrinth Global Health, and its founders are former employees of Metabiota, a key Pentagon contractor in the military-biological field.

Labyrinth Ukraine took part in UP-9 and UP-10 projects, which studied the spread of African swine fever in Ukraine and Eastern Europe.

I would like to point out that as part of the US Department of Defense's biological threat reduction programme, one of Labyrinth Global Health's research areas has been the study of coronaviruses and monkeypox virus.

On July 23, the World Health Organisation declared the outbreak of monkeypox an international health emergency, and to date the disease has been reported in 76 countries, with over 26,000 cases.

Thus we see a clear trend: infectious disease agents that reach the Pentagon's zone of interest are subsequently pandemic, with US pharmaceutical companies and their patrons, the leaders of the US Democratic Party, as the beneficiaries.

We have previously documented the use of biological weapons by the United States in Cuba. It was about the deliberate spread of Dengue, African swine fever and diseases of economically important crops on the island. I would like to give another example from the US military biology dossier.

In 1997, the Cuban government brought to the attention of the world community the fact that the United States had violated the requirements of the Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention. The charge was based on the testimony of a Cuban pilot who recorded the spraying from a US aircraft of a quarantine biological agent, the palm thrips, which could damage one of Cuba's key agricultural industries.

Although it was possible to initiate an extraordinary meeting of BWC States Parties on this issue, the incident was not investigated due to the lack of a Convention verification mechanism, which the Russian Federation insists on establishing.

Such impunity has contributed to the continued use of bioweapons technology by Washington in Latin America, including the assassination of undesirable politicians.

On July 18, 2022, the President of the Republic of Venezuela, Nicolas Maduro, publicly declared the involvement of the United States in the assassination of former head of state Hugo Chávez.

According to information available to Venezuela, U.S. security services have been working since 2002 on possible ways to eliminate the Venezuelan leader, who has pursued an active anti-American policy. Numerous assassination attempts involving members of the US embassy in Caracas were uncovered and thwarted.

In violation of international law, the United States has been involved in the development of drugs that, when administered in the short term, cause chronic disease and develop various forms of cancer. According to the Venezuelan side, a similar drug was used to poison Chávez by Claudio Díaz, a member of the presidential entourage. She fled Venezuela with the assistance of US intelligence agencies and was subsequently removed to the US to avoid possible publicity about the details of her cooperation with US intelligence agencies.

A causal link between the Venezuelan leader's death and the development of biological weapons is confirmed by forensic evidence and the testimony of Cuban doctors who treated Chavez about the atypical course of the disease and its resistance to the use of medicines.

Thanks to the special military operation, the threats posed by US bio-objects have come to the attention of many international and governmental organisations.

Mass demonstrations against Pentagon-funded biolaboratories have taken place in a number of countries around the world. The Eurasian Economic Union's civil society organisations have passed a resolution to close such biosites.

In this context, we are already seeing a change in the approach of the US military's work in the biological field in other countries. For example, states in which the US conducts dual-targeted research have been asked to sign a collective statement of cooperation with the US solely to "...enhance global health security and reduce the impact of infectious diseases on populations...". It is the word "global" and the rest of the text that draws attention: "led by the United States".

However, additional funding will be available through the Biohazard Reduction Programme for countries loyal to the US initiative.

The Russian Ministry of Defence will continue to analyse the documentary evidence of the US bioweapons programme in Ukraine and will keep you informed of the results.

NOTICING PLAGUE TRACES: THE U.S. HOPES TO HIDE THE ACTIVITIES OF BIOLABORATORIES IN UKRAINE

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Until February 24, any statements on the topic of American biolaboratories in Ukraine were automatically attributed to "Kremlin propaganda". But with the beginning of the special military operation (SVO), the Russian Defense Ministry began to publish data confirming that Washington has still been developing biological weapons for many years. The Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation stated that it was ready to provide the international community with evidence of malicious activities of Americans, the victims of which were residents not only of Ukraine and the republics of Donbass, but also of the border territories of Russia.

Igor Kirillov, Chief of Radiation, Chemical and Biological Protection Troops of the Armed Forces of the Russian Federation, said at a briefing on September 3, that Russia at a meeting of participants of the Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention (BTWC) will provide the international community with evidence of violations by the United States and Ukraine of Articles



I and Ukraine, which read: "Under no circumstances should not acquire or accumulate biological weapons" and "Accept the necessary changes to its legislation". "Currently, more than 50 biolaboratories modernized at the expense of the Pentagon and controlled by it are located in close proximity to the borders of the Russian Federation. In total, according to the Chinese Foreign Ministry, 336 biolaboratories in 30 countries of the world are under the control of the U.S. military department," Kirillov stressed.

He also added that since 2010, in the bordering territories of the Russian Federation, there has been an increase in the incidence of brucellosis, Congo-Crimean fever, West Nile fever, African swine fever, and also reported an uncharacteristic expansion of disease vector ranges.

Even though in early March at a hearing in the Foreign Affairs Committee of the U.S. Senate, Senior Deputy Secretary of State Victoria Nuland confirmed that the U.S. has a number of "research facilities" in Ukraine, the data of which should not fall into the hands of the Russian military, the Kiev regime continues to deny their presence.

Thus, in Geneva, during a consultative meeting of the BTWC member states, the head of the Ukrainian delegation, Ambassador-at-Large of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Yuri Klimentko is expected to call the statements of the Russian Federation manipulative, designed to distract the attention of the parties to the Convention from "numerous war crimes committed against the people of Ukraine, as well as concealment of Russia's activities bypassing the BTWC".

The statement of the Ukrainian side only in other terms repeats the words of the U.S. State Department published on March 9 this year, where Washington rejects any accusations against it and shifts its sins to Moscow.

Russia has been talking about the activities of American biolaboratories in Ukraine for a long time, since the Orange Maidan, when Viktor Yushchenko was brought to power in the country.

But since the beginning of the CWO, the statements of the Ministry of Defense on this matter have become regular. Also, the Russian Federation's evidence of the development of biological weapons in Ukraine was expressed by the top officials of the state: for example, Deputy Chairman of the Security Council of the Russian Federation Dmitry Medvedev and President Vladimir Putin.

A special resolution on the establishment of a joint commission of the State Duma and the Federation Council to investigate the activities of American biolaboratories in Ukraine was adopted back in March. It consisted of 14 deputies, 14 senators, and the co-chairs were Vice-Speaker of the State Duma Irina Yarovaya and Vice-Speaker of the Federation Council Konstantin Kosachev.

According to Yarovaya, the members of the commission did not set a deadline for the end of the study in advance, which, according to the law, may last at least a year. In turn, Kosachev promised to carry out the work as quickly as possible. The result of the work of the commission should be a dossier to be sent to the President, the government and international organizations.

At the end of June, it became known that the commission intends to submit the final report this autumn.

Yarovaya noted that a number of services affiliated with the Pentagon were involved in the work of American biolaboratories, which operated as trainers.

On June 16, Kirillov said during a briefing that earlier the United States had issued an official statement admitting the fact of funding 46 Ukrainian biolaboratories and the connection of the U.S. Department of Defense with the Ukrainian Science and Technology Center (STC).

He also stressed that the data provided by the American side are a screen that allows to hide the activities of the Pentagon bypassing international agreements.

At the same time, the Russian Embassy in the United States noted that this information about the allegedly civil nature of the laboratories used is false.

And the emergence of more and more evidence of interaction between Washington and Kiev in the military and biological sphere shows "the categorical reluctance of the administration to give explanations to the international community in this regard."

The Network has already leaked data that the U.S. is intensively looking for sources of "draining" of confidential information among participants in its projects in Ukraine, as well as among intelligence officers. Thus, one of the suspects is the former head of the Main Department of Internal Security of the SBU Andrey Naumov, who can get asylum in the Russian Federation in exchange for testimony against the head of the Kiev regime Vladimir Zelensky.

This is probably the reason for the publication by the State Department of a joint statement with nine countries, including Ukraine, published on August 29.

The text notes that ongoing joint projects are aimed at detecting and controlling outbreaks of infectious diseases, as well as improving laboratory biosafety and biosecurity - "These partnerships pursue exclusively peaceful purposes; they have nothing to do with weapons."

The official representative of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation Maria Zakharova said that Russia considers "this information stuffing as part of the U.S. propaganda campaign aimed at ensuring the further unimpeded implementation by the Pentagon of military and biological research outside the national territory (including in close proximity to the Russian borders) under the guise of allegedly "purely peaceful" and "without anything to do with bioweapons".

To this it is worth adding Kirillov's information voiced at the briefing that the United States intends to hastily transfer its Ukrainian biolaboratories to the Czech Republic, Bulgaria and the Baltic countries.

At the moment, we see that Washington is expected to refuse the development of biological weapons on the territory of Ukraine, completely denying the accusations and trying to shift responsibility to Russia, as it was before.

In the past, the United States and its satellites have repeatedly accused the Russian Federation of using biological weapons without any evidence. And they still continue to use this lie in their propaganda, posing them off as a proven truth.

Now Russia, judging by the statement of the Ministry of Defense, has a lot of evidence of Washington's involvement in the creation of biological weapons and is ready to present them. But this is unlikely to impress the enemy, who will calmly declare in response that white is black and black is white. Therefore, the only way is to continue the denazification and demilitarization of the Kiev regime to the end, as well as the dismantling of the American world order.

RUSSIA REQUESTED UN SECURITY COUNCIL MEETINGS ON THE USE OF UAVS AND BIOLABORATORIES IN UKRAINE



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RUSSIAN BIOLAB COMMISSION TO INVITE US REPRESENTATIVES TO MEETING: SENIOR LAWMAKER

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MOSCOW (Sputnik) - The Commission on the biological program in Ukraine intends to invite renowned economist and chairman of the Lancet COVID-19 Commission Jeffrey Sachs and former director of Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA) Kenneth Myers to its next meeting, deputy chairwoman of the Russian lower house Irina Yarovaya said on Monday.

"We propose to additionally invite Jeffrey Sachs, who just headed the Lancet commission on COVID. We propose to invite this scholar because we consider it fundamentally important, since the position of the Russian parliament is absolutely transparent, open, as is Russia's position regarding the provision of evaluation evidence, evidence, and we have repeatedly initiated the need for an international investigation into the dangerous activities of the Pentagon, the conclusions of German scholars on the artificial origin of [COVID](#)," Yarovaya said.

According to the lawmaker, the position of these scholars should be heard in order to correlate it with the materials of the parliamentary investigation, and the commission is also ready to transfer the materials to the academic community in the future, in order to assess the real scale of those "possibly dangerous actions that are being implemented by the United States all over the world."

"In addition, we believe that it would be right to invite former director of DTRA Kenneth Myers because the report that has become the subject of discussion in the United States... The invitation of Kenneth Myers would be an indicator in terms of how ready today for an open and public dialogue are those implementing a secret military biological project in Ukraine in other countries of the world are actually trying to disguise and hide this activity in every possible way on the territory of the United States," Yarovaya added.

Konstantin Kosachev, deputy speaker of Russia's upper house of parliament, said that the next meeting of the Commission will take place on February 6, and both houses of parliament will discuss its report on March 15.

"Both houses of Parliament approve the report of the commission. There is a convenient date — March 15, when the State Duma and the Federation Council hold plenary sessions," Kosachev said.

In September, a consultative meeting of the states parties to the BTWC was held at Russia's initiative. In October, Moscow brought the issue of violations of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological and Toxin Weapons and on their Destruction (BTWC) by Ukraine and the United States to the UN Security Council. The US, the United Kingdom and France voted against the resolution on the international investigation into the case, while Russia and China supported the document. Other countries, including India, Mexico and NATO member Norway, abstained from voting.

During its special military operation in Ukraine, Russia says it has discovered a network of more than 30 biological laboratories on Ukrainian territory. According to Moscow, Washington has spent over \$200 million to develop biological weapons at the facilities. Russia also said that the labs revealed in Ukraine constitute only a small part of a global network of over 300 similar facilities.

US BRINGS MILITARY BIOLOGICAL EQUIPMENT FROM UKRAINE TO POLAND, BALTIC STATES — TOP BRASS

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MOSCOW, January 30. /TASS/. The United States has transferred military biological equipment from Ukraine to chemical and pharmacological sites in Poland and the Baltic States, Chief of Russia's Radiation, Chemical and Biological Protection Force Igor Kirillov said on Monday.

"As part of activities to wind down military biological operations in Ukraine, the United States are proactively engaging the material base of chemical and pharmacological plants of Poland and the Baltic States; furthermore, equipment from the Ukrainian territory was delivered there," the official said.

The Pentagon aims at creating biological weapons components and testing them on the population of Ukraine and other countries along the perimeter of the Russian border, Kirillov said. "During the special military operation, Russian servicemen obtained more than 20,000 documents and reference and analytical materials; witnesses and participants in US military biological programs were questioned. The aforementioned materials confirm the Pentagon's intention to create biological weapons components and test them on the population of Ukraine and other countries along the perimeter of our borders," he noted.

Washington is also transferring the functions of contracting military biological activities to civilian agencies, Kirillov said. "Under pressure from the global community, Washington is changing its approaches towards organization of military biological activity, shifting the customer functions to purely civilian agencies - the Department of Health, the Department of Energy, and the Agency for International Development," the official noted. This will enable the US administration to avoid criticism on international platforms and put the US Department of Defense and the Defense Threat Reduction Agency "out of harm's way," he added.

THE ACTING HEAD OF THE DPR SPOKE ABOUT THE USE OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS BY KIEV

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Ukrainian troops use chemical weapons in the Artemov and Ugddar directions, said Denis Pushilin, acting head of the Donetsk People's Republic (DPR), on Russia 24 TV channel. According to him, these facts are reported for at least three weeks.

"According to the statements of our units, commanders who came out with such information, not only in the Artemov direction, but also in the Ugddar direction, there are facts of the use of

chemical compositions that cause malaise among our servicemen. In fact, these appeals have already come to me for at least three weeks," Pushilin said.

Military-political expert, adviser to the acting head of the DPR Jan Gagin told TASS that on February 5, Ukrainian troops used chemical weapons in the Soledar and Artemov directions. According to him, these are not the first facts of the Ukrainian side's use of chemical weapons.

Gagin specified that Ukrainian units do not hide the presence of prohibited types of weapons, showing on video foreign-made gas grenades and helicopter-type drones for their discharge.

The day before, a local resident [died](#) in Donetsk as a result of shelling by the Armed Forces of Ukraine.