



QUESTIONNAIRE

To assist in the production of the MDD (mine detection dog) information webpage of the GICHD (Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining)

Name of your organisation:

Name and contact details of the person who filled out this questionnaire:

How are you involved in humanitarian demining with dogs?

- More than one answer may apply to your organisation; please tick the right answer(s):
- Training dogs? Yes Please go to **Section 1**
- Operational mine clearance? Yes Please go to **Section 2**
- Assessment of mine detection dogs performance? Yes Please go to **Section 3**
- Research into capabilities of mine detection dogs? Yes Please go to **Section 4**
- Providing training courses for dog handlers? Yes Please go to **Section 5**
- Other involvement? Please specify: _____

SECTION 1. DOG TRAINING

In which countries and by which organisations have your dogs been used?
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Which breeds do you train as mine detection dogs? How many dogs of each breed have you trained so far?
German Shepherd: Yes Number of dogs: _____ *Belgian Malinois:* Yes Number of dogs: _____
 Others: _____

Do you train dogs for: Operational work in mine fields REST (Remote Explosive Scent Tracing)

Since when have you been training mine detection dogs?
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Since when have you been training dogs in general?
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Please tell us which written standards or guidelines you use and whether you would be prepared to provide us with a copy of them: SOP: Yes Copy can be provided: Yes No (see comment at end of questionnaire)
Other, please specify:.....

Copy can be provided: Yes No

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SECTION 2. OPERATIONS

<p>Since when have you been using dogs for operational mine clearance?</p>
<p>In which countries do you use the dogs, and how many dogs do you currently use in each country?</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>
<p>Who funds your work?</p>
<p>Do you use the dogs for: Area reduction? No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> Verification? No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> As primary tool for demining (clearing mine fields systematically)? No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> In REST projects? No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Do you train the dogs yourself? No <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>If you do not train the dogs yourself, from which country/organisation do you obtain them from?</p>
<p>Which breeds of dogs are you using? German Shepherds <input type="radio"/> Belgian Shepherds (Malinois) <input type="radio"/> Others:</p>
<p>Please tell us which written standards or guidelines you use and whether you would be prepared to provide us with a copy of them: SOP: Yes <input type="radio"/> Copy can be provided: Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> (see comment at end of questionnaire) <i>Other, please specify:</i>..... </p> <p>Copy can be provided: Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/></p>
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SECTION 3. ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION OF MINE DETECTION DOGS

<p>In which countries have you assessed the performance of mine detection in the field?</p>
<p>How frequently are/were the dogs assessed?</p>
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FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS OF THIS QUESTIONNAIRE:

The GICHD mine detection dog information webpage will also contain links to published results of any kind that deal with training, deployment, assessment or research of/on mine detection dogs. Do you have any electronic document(s) that you would like us to include in this webpage? If yes, please provide us with the information on these documents below (name, in which form it exists: as word document, as Adobe document, as http link) and provide us with a copy of the document (no copies are required for http documents, of course) to:

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COMMENTS: