

CBIAC Core Program

The Chemical and Biological Defense Information Analysis Center (CBIAC) is a full-service Department of Defense (DoD) Information Analysis Center (IAC) operated by Battelle Memorial Institute under contract SP0700-00-D-3180 to the Defense Technical Information Center (DTIC). CBIAC services are available to DoD and Federal Agencies, DoD and Federal Agency Contractors, State and Local Government Agencies and Emergency Responders.

The CBIAC maintains three distinct programs in order to accomplish its mission and objectives: The Core Program, the Knowledge Management and Development (KM&D) Program, and the Technical Area Task (TAT) Program.

The CBIAC Core Program

acquires, generates, processes, analyzes, synthesizes, and disseminates Chemical and Biological (CB) Defense and Homeland Security (HLS) scientific, technical, and operational information by offering the following resources to qualified users:

Bibliographic Database (BD)

- Centralized Repository of CB Defense and HLS Information
- Accessible Online with Password.

Current Awareness and Outreach Program

- Quarterly Newsletters in Hardcopy and Electronic Format
- Comprehensive, Interactive Web Site
- CB Defense and HLS Conference Participation
- Briefings.

Scientific, Technical, and Operational Information Products

- Handbooks and Databooks
- State-of-the-Art Reports
- Critical Reviews and Technology Assessments
- Databases
- Training Aids.

Inquiry and Referral Services— Free to Authorized Users

- Technical
- Informational
- Bibliographic
- Referral.



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A DoD-Sponsored Information Analysis Center Serving the CB Defense and HLS Communities



The CBIAC Core Program

The **CBIAC Core Program** systematically acquires and generates CB Defense and HLS scientific, technical, and operational information. This information is processed, analyzed, synthesized, and stored in the **CBIAC Database**. The database is password protected. Qualified users can obtain a **CBIAC Database** account by applying online or contacting the CBIAC.

Under the Current Awareness and Outreach Program the CBIAC maintains the CBIAC Homepage, a public accessible Web site; publishes the CBIAC Newsletter, a free quarterly publication available in hardcopy or PDF on the CBIAC Homepage; supports key CB Defense and HLS conferences; and provides briefings as appropriate.

A wealth of CB Defense and HLS information is available on the CBIAC Web site. Visit the CBIAC online to access CB Defense:

- Current Patents
- Current Headlines
- Journal Literature
- Key CB Defense and HLS Documents
- Calendar of Events
- Internet Directory.

A key feature of the **CBIAC Core Program** is its **Inquiry and Referral Services**. Authorized users can submit requests for database searches, technical information, or referrals to individuals or organizations for CB Defense and HLS information by phone, fax, or online using the interactive *Inquiry Request Form*. Assistance for up to four hours is provided free of charge.

CBIAC Information Products in the form of Handbooks, Databooks, State-of-the-Art Reports, Critical Reviews, and Interactive Information Databases may be purchased by authorized organizations and individuals. The latest *Basic Products Catalog* can be found on the CBIAC Web site. Product orders can be faxed to the CBIAC or submitted online using the *Product Request Form.* The CBIAC strictly adheres to the Government distribution limitations established for each product.



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