



# Press release: Wrap-up Conference of SMURD-2/4.2/1 project

**Today, 17 october 2023, took place the Wrap-up Conference** of the project "The CBC Romania-Moldova a safer area by improving the Mobile Emergency Service for Resuscitation and Extrication (SMURD) operating infrastructure, by increasing the level of training and maintaining the capacity of professional personnel to intervene in emergency situations" – **SMURD-2**.

The project is financed by the European Union through the European Neighborhood Instrument (ENI), under the Joint Operational Programme Romania-Republic of Moldova 2014-2020, Programme Priority 4.2. – Support to joint activities for the prevention of natural and man-made disasters as well as joint action during emergency situations, Thematic Objective 8 – Common challenges in the field of safety and security.

**General objective** of the project is the increased safety and protection of the population by improving training and maintaining the capacity of intervention of professional emergency services (including SMURD) in the border area.

The project partnership is formed by the following institutions from Romania and Republic of Moldova:

- Lead Beneficiary: General Inspectorate for Emergency Situations from Romania;
- Beneficiary 1: General Inspectorate of Aviation of the Ministry of Internal Affairs Romania;
- Beneficiary 2: Ministry of Health Romania;
- Beneficiary 3: General Inspectorate for Emergency Situations from Republic of Moldova;
- Beneficiary 4: Ministry of Health of the Republic of Moldova;
- Beneficiary 5: "Mihail Sturza" Inspectorate for Emergency Situations of Iași County Romania;
- Beneficiary 6: Institute of Emergency Medicine Republic of Moldova.





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The implementation period of the project is 28.06.2019 – 27.10.2023. The total budget of the project is 10.026.409,71 euros, of which non-reimbursable financing from the European Neighborhood Instrument (ENI): 6.428.000,00 euros.

The project addresses the cross-border area between Romania and Republic of Moldova, with the following results:

- 1 training facility (polygon) for specialized training of the personnel for interventions in emergency situations;
- 7 landing platforms, out of which 3 in Romania and 4 in Republic of Moldova;
- 2 new SMURD points in Republic of Moldova;
- 2 Emergency Care Units in Republic of Moldova;
- 1 set of common procedures for emergency situations;
- Increased operational capacity in Republic of Moldova by procurement of 14 SMURD vehicles.

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