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INTRODUCTION

- Nigeria has developed a robust CBRN National Action Plan (NAP) under the EU CBRN CoE Initiative.
- Next phase: Transitioning the NAP into a comprehensive National Policy and Strategy (Aug 2025 – Aug 2026).
- This presentation outlines the objectives, strategic considerations and expected impact.

Overview of Nigeria's CBRN National Action Plan

NAP

- Legislation and regulation for CBRN material, facilities and activities
- CBRN managing authorities
- Risk mitigating strategy
- CBRN prevention measures
- Detection of CBRN material
- Preparedness for potential CBRN incidents and response
- CBRN recovery measures
- Sustainability
- Strategic Trade Control

Government Priorities

- Coordination hierarchy
- Strengthen CBRN legal framework
- Identify key stakeholders/roles
- Threat and Risk Assessment/Risk informed Approach
- CBRN Detection Architecture
- Joint Training and Simulation Exercises
- Human Resource Development
- Security Culture
- Sustainability



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Objectives of the National CBRN Policy

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- Institutionalize a central CBRN authority
- Close regulatory and legal gaps
- Strengthen interagency coordination
- Improve national readiness through training and infrastructure
- Integrated management system
- Integrate international support into national systems

Strategic Approach

- Whole-of-Government model
- Capacity building through national curriculum and SOPs
- Regulatory reform aligned with international standards
- Risk-based planning and regular threat assessments
- Partnerships with international organizations (IAEA, UNODA, UNICRI, etc.)



Expected Impact

- A resilient national framework for CBRN risk management.
- Enhanced national security and public health protection.
- Improved international confidence in Nigeria's WMD non-proliferation efforts.
- Foundation for regional leadership in CBRN preparedness.





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