



National Program 104: Veterinary, Medical, and Urban Entomology
Deployed War-fighter Protection Research Program Review December 2009

The Annual Review of the USDA ARS portion of the Deployed War-fighter Protection Research Program took place December 1-3, 2009, at the Area Wide Pest Management Research Unit, Southern Plains Agricultural Research Center, College Station, Texas. The year's results were presented on research toward development of products for protection of deployed military personnel from insects that transmit pathogens. The work involves development of new public health pesticides, personal protection systems for individuals, and optimization of application systems. The following USDA ARS laboratories presented:

- Invasive Insect Biocontrol and Behavior Laboratory, Beltsville, MD
- Mosquito and Fly Research Unit, Gainesville, FL
- Area Wide Pest Management Research Unit, College Station, TX
- Natural Products Utilization Research Unit, Oxford, MS
- Knippling-Bushland US Livestock Insect Research Laboratory, Kerrville, TX