



This project was funded by the European Union



A project implemented  
By the Contractor  
American University of Central Asia  
Tian Shan Policy Center

**“Program to enhance the capacity of NGOs and institutions to advocate for implementation of human rights decisions and standards to prevent torture”**

**Best-Practices Matrix – Preliminary Findings  
Safeguards for the Prevention of  
Torture and Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment**

<b>Definition of Factual Detention / Custody</b>	
<b>Best Practice</b>	
<b>Practice</b>	<b>Country</b>
When a detainee is registered registration must denote both the time of factual detention and the time of entrance into detention facility	Bulgaria
way	United States

<b>Notice of Rights</b>	
<b>Best Practice</b>	
<b>Practice</b>	<b>Country</b>
Rights must be read orally at moment of factual detention	Bulgaria
And Rights must be given in writing to the detainee upon entrance to a detention facility	
Rights must be read orally prior to any custodial interrogation	United States
Failure to do so results in any evidence obtained during the interrogation being excluded from the subsequent trial	
immediately upon arrest	Georgia

