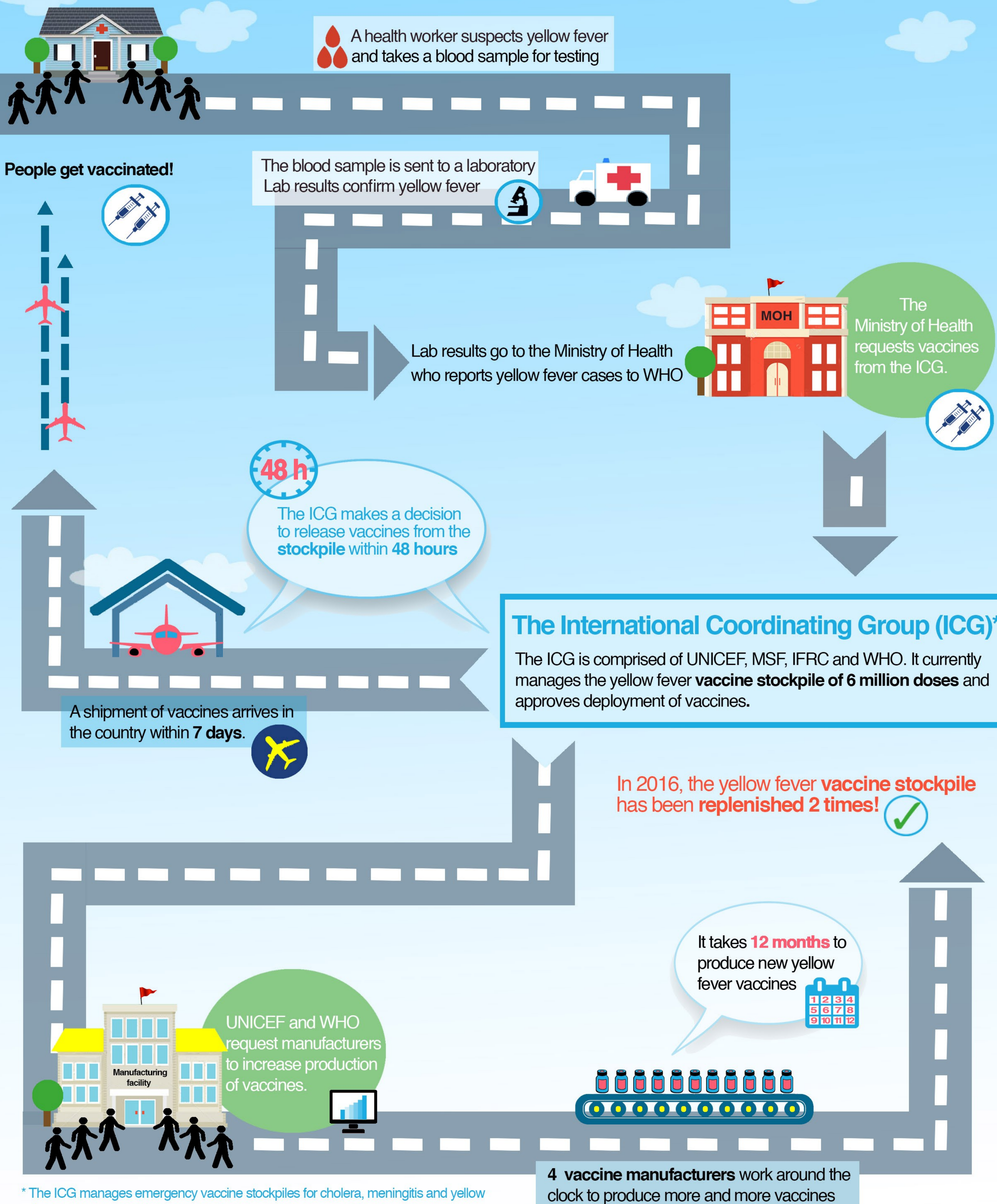



# Yellow fever vaccine supply in an emergency



 A health worker suspects yellow fever and takes a blood sample for testing

People get vaccinated!

The blood sample is sent to a laboratory  
Lab results confirm yellow fever

Lab results go to the Ministry of Health  
who reports yellow fever cases to WHO

The Ministry of Health requests vaccines from the ICG.

**48 h**

The ICG makes a decision to release vaccines from the stockpile within **48 hours**

## The International Coordinating Group (ICG)\*

The ICG is comprised of UNICEF, MSF, IFRC and WHO. It currently manages the yellow fever **vaccine stockpile of 6 million doses** and approves deployment of vaccines.

A shipment of vaccines arrives in the country within **7 days**.

In 2016, the yellow fever **vaccine stockpile** has been **replenished 2 times!**

UNICEF and WHO request manufacturers to increase production of vaccines.

It takes **12 months** to produce new yellow fever vaccines

**4 vaccine manufacturers** work around the clock to produce more and more vaccines

\* The ICG manages emergency vaccine stockpiles for cholera, meningitis and yellow fever to ensure availability of sufficient supply when responding to emergencies.