

# **The Path to Achieving Resilient and Sustainable UHC**

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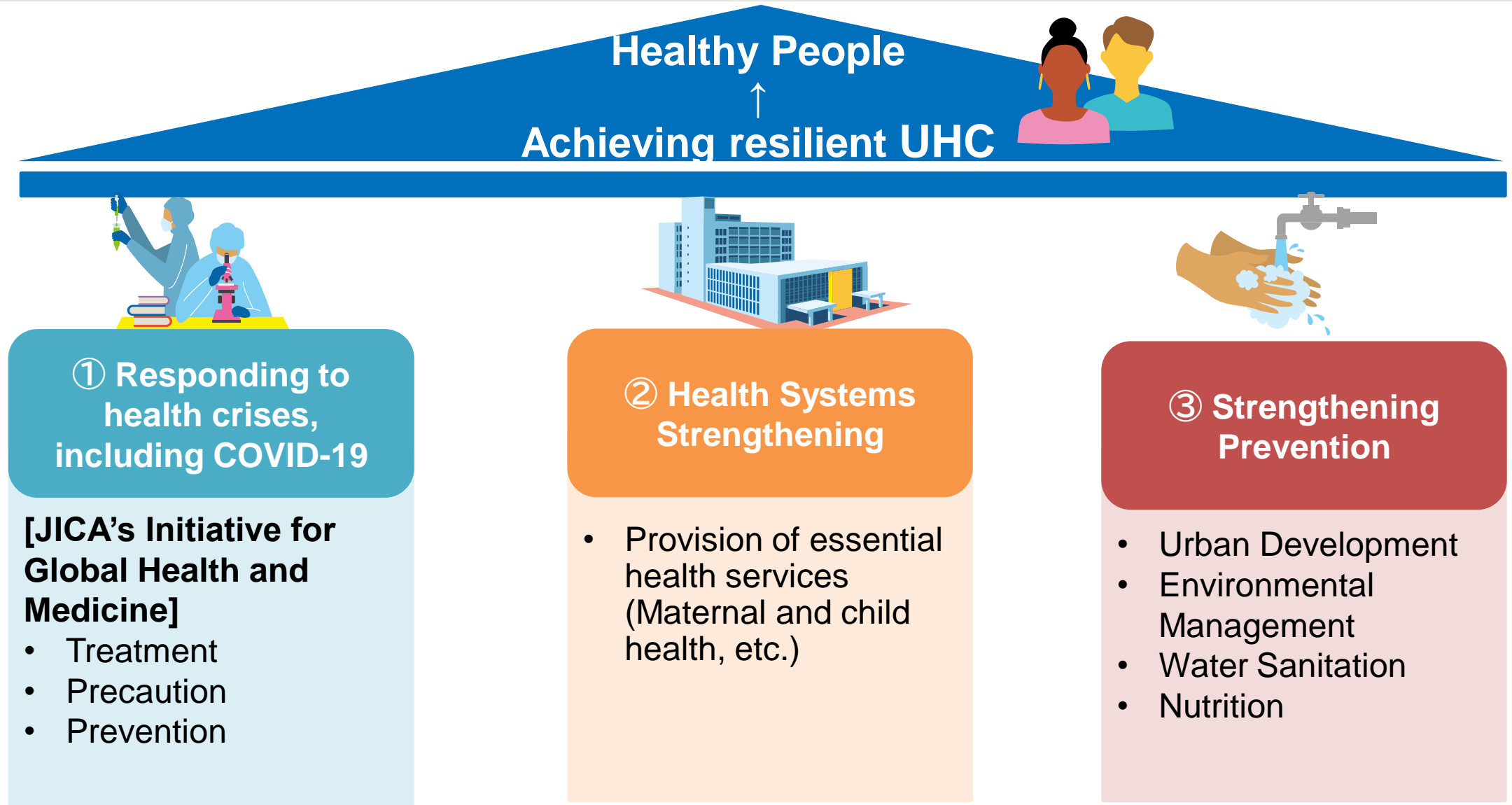
## ● What is "UHC" in the context of COVID-19 and future pandemics?

- Access to safe, effective and quality medicines, vaccines, and health products
- Access to quality essential health-care services for diseases and health issues other than COVID-19

## Lessons Learned from COVID-19 Reflections on "UHC"

- National, regional and global disparities of efforts in prevention, precaution, and treatment
- Reduction of services due to difficulties in responding to other pandemics and health issues caused by lack of financial and human resources
- Lack of perspective of strengthening social determinants of health

- Acceleration of research and development
- Creation a system of production and supply of medical goods locally and globally
- Importance of Prevention, Preparedness and Response (PPR)
- Capacity building for health workers
- Appropriate allocation of available resources in health systems
- Importance of a multi-sectoral approach to build a health-promoting society





## E.g. 1 | Prevention

### Vaccines for all with “Last One Mile Support”

JICA launched new grant aid projects in Malawi, Mozambique, Ghana, and Senegal, to provide equipment such as cooling refrigerators and transport vehicles that are necessary for the cold chain (low-temperature distribution) infrastructure.

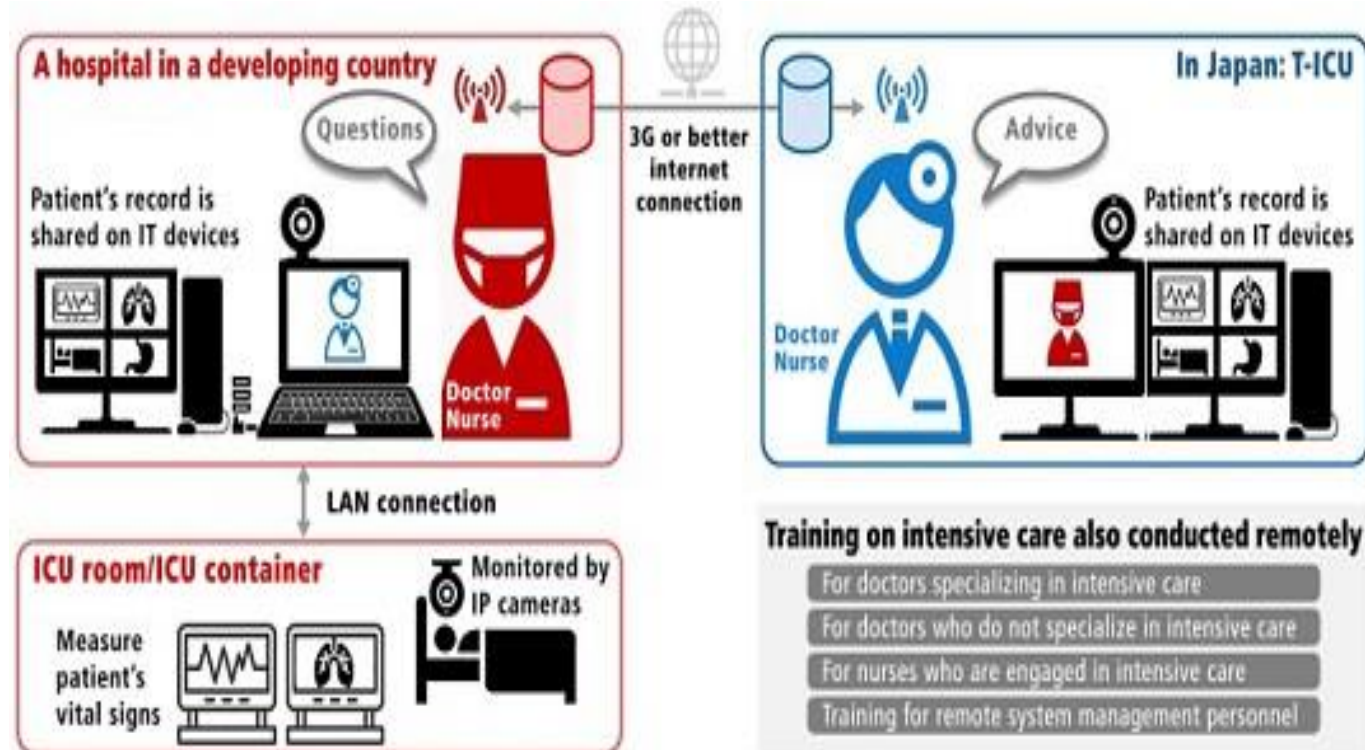


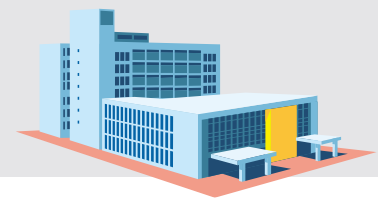
A portable refrigerator provided to ensure cold chain for vaccine delivery

## E.g. 2 | Treatment

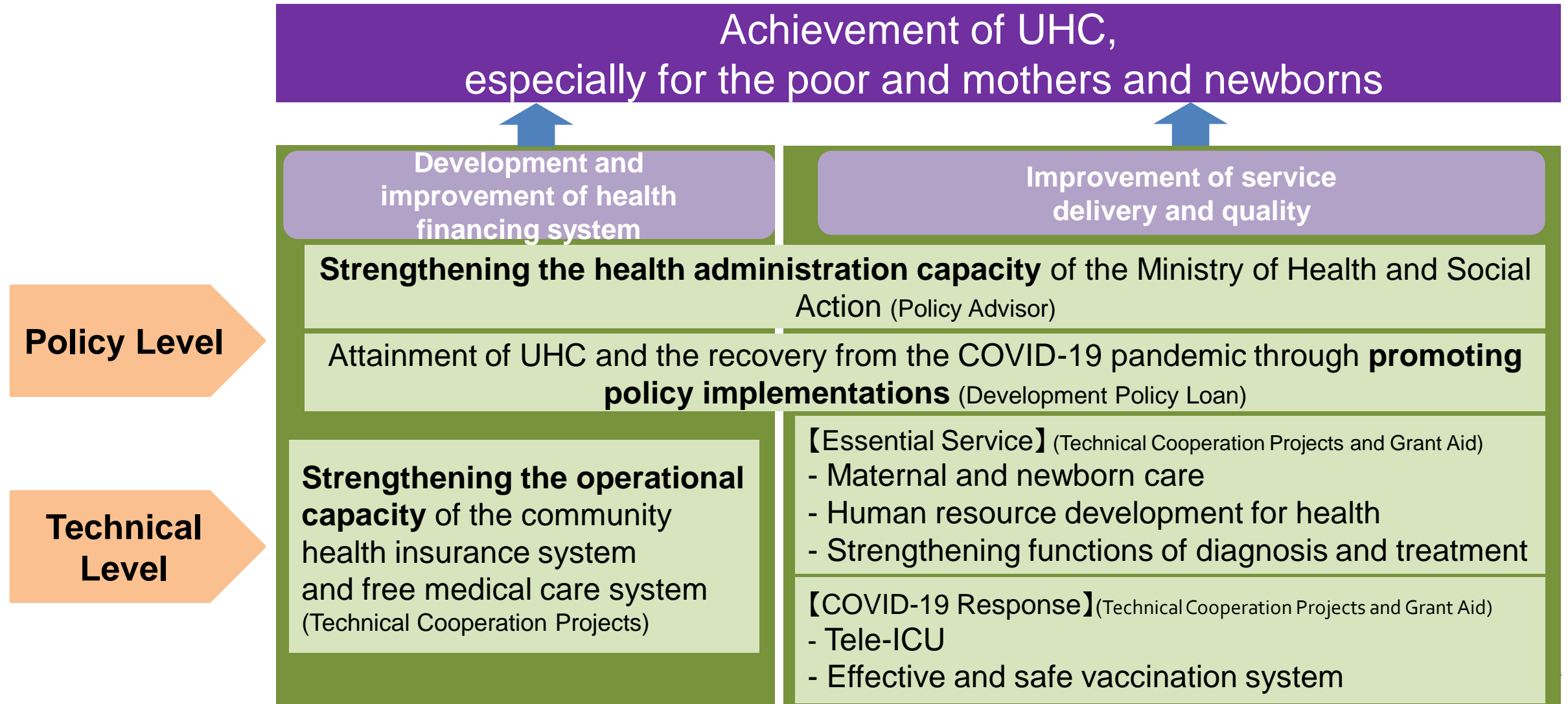
### Remote treatment support for COVID-19

JICA began conducting a world-wide-scale-survey to formulate health projects using remote technology to support ICU care provision in Kenya.





## E.g. 1 | Strengthening Health Systems to Achieve Universal Health Coverage in Senegal





## E.g. 1 | A Three-pronged Approach to End Malnutrition in Niassa, Mozambique

