Video Summary

COVAX: Ensuring global equitable access to COVID-19 vaccines (Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance):

When the world has safe and effective COVID vaccines, how can we ensure they reach the people that need them most? It is important that a successful vaccine is distributed equally, as we all need to be kept safe.

The COVAX Pillar was developed to ensure every country get fair and equitable access to successful COVID-19 vaccines. COVAX does this by acting as an insurance policy; wealthier countries have more chance to gain access to successful vaccines, so by pooling their buying power (rather than competing against one another) they enable investment in factories to allow more doses to be available when a vaccine becomes available. Any country, regardless of their ability to pay will have the same access to vaccines.

