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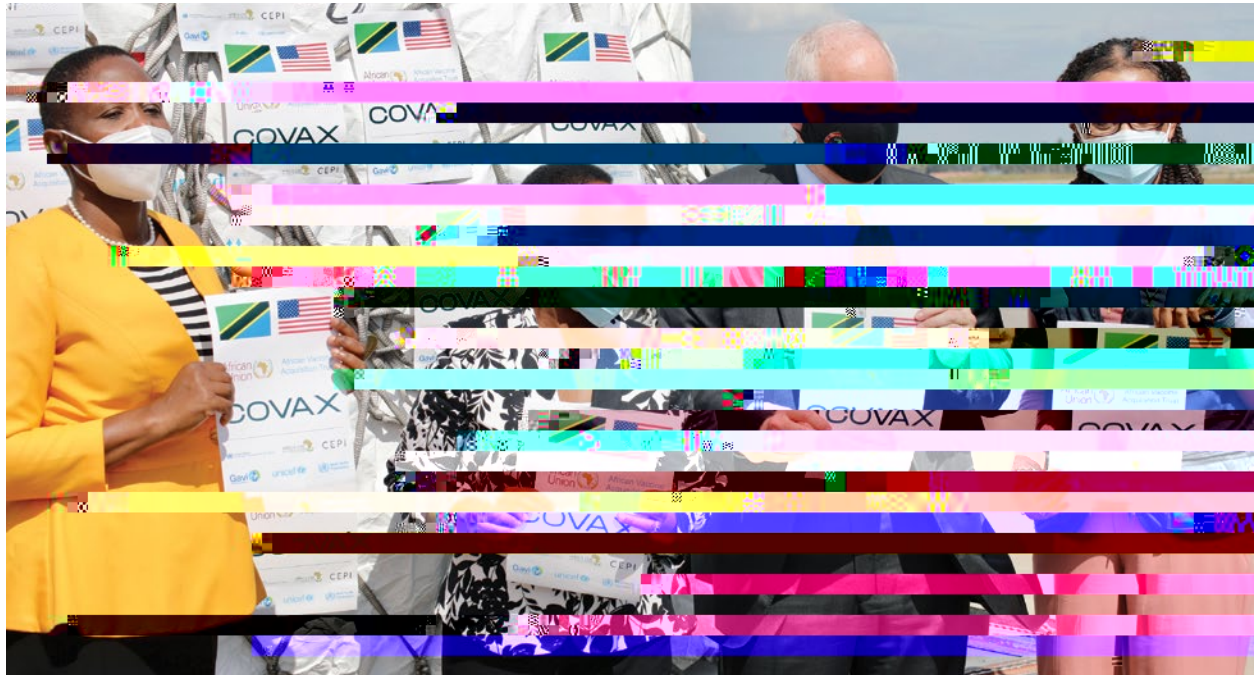
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**page 1:** Workers handle boxes of Oxford/AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccines, part of the COVAX program that aims to ensure equitable access to COVID-19 vaccinations, after they arrived by plane at the Ivato International Airport in Antananarivo, Madagascar, on May 8, 2021. Photo by Mamyrael/AFP via Getty Images. **above:** The United States delivers 1,058,400 doses of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine to Tanzania in coordination with Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance, the African Union, and COVAX on July 24, 2021. U.S. government photo/Public Domain.

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