

ONE HEALTH

BY PROTECTING ANIMALS, WE PRESERVE OUR FUTURE

Animal and human sectors work together to protect health and ensure food safety and security

60%

of human pathogens are of animal origin

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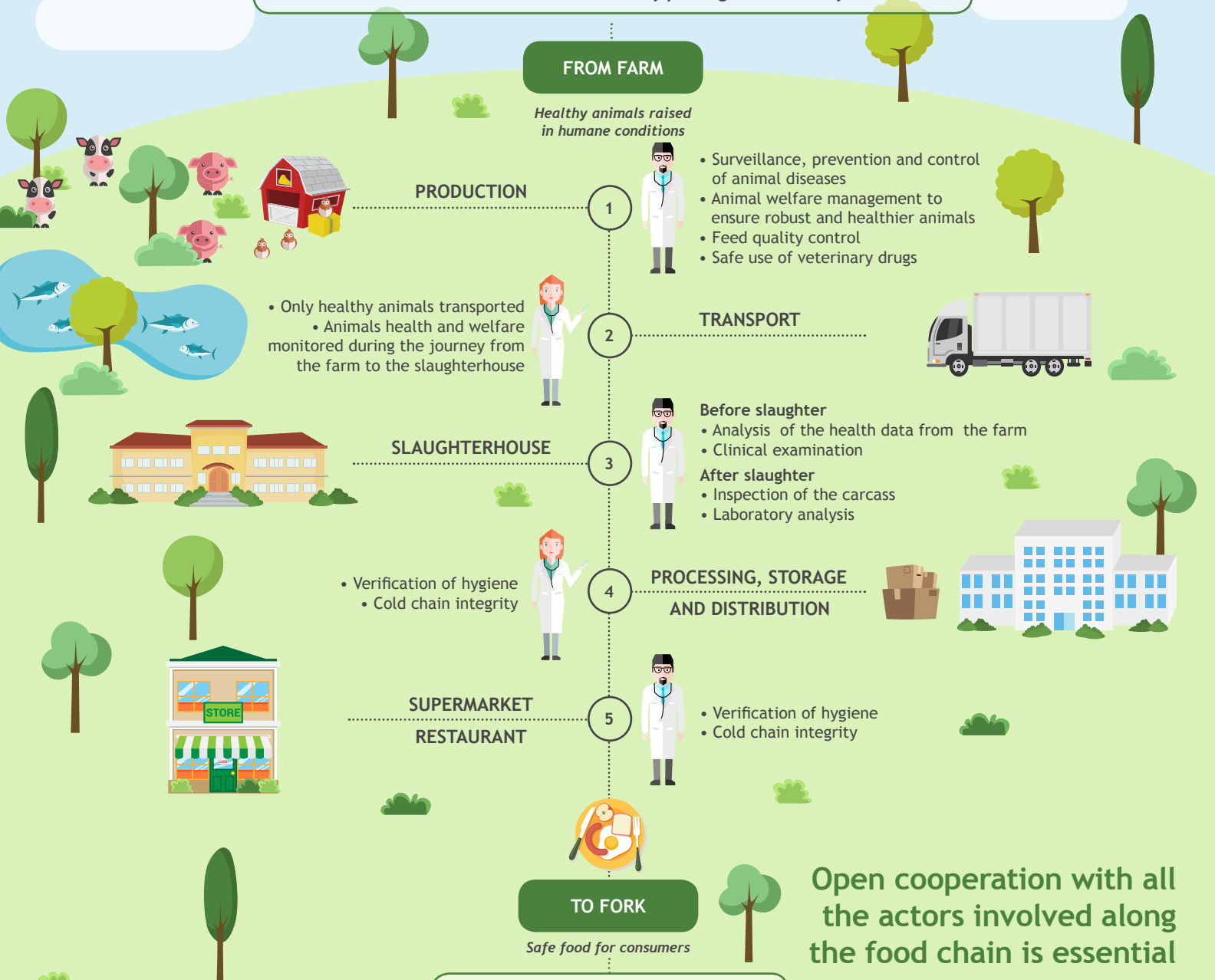
new human diseases appear each year

20%

of animal production losses are caused by diseases globally

With regards to animal health, veterinarians are key players of the 'One Health' concept

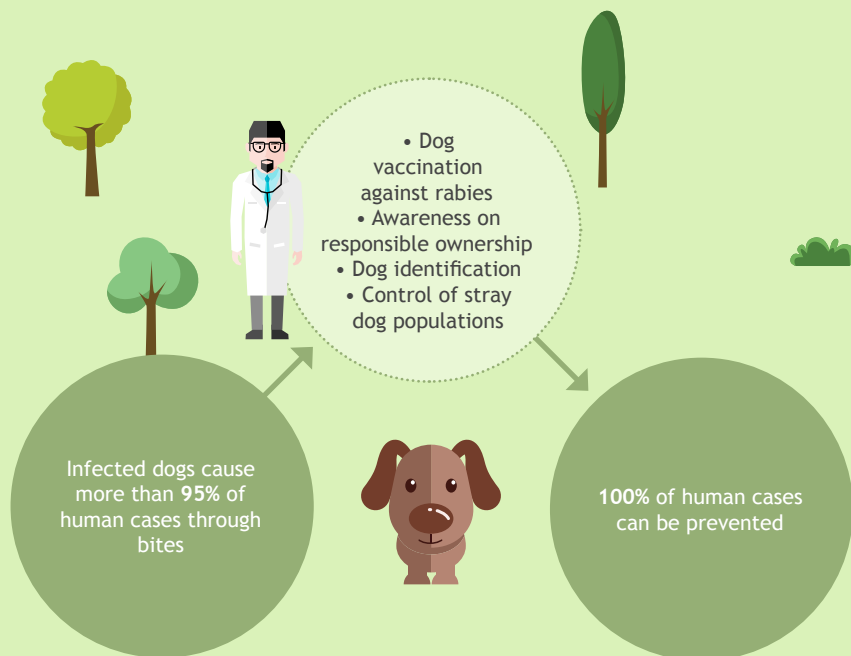
Early detection of diseases and infections at animal source can prevent their transmission to humans or introduction of pathogens into the food chain



Open cooperation with all the actors involved along the food chain is essential

THROUGHOUT THE FOOD CHAIN
Veterinarians are responsible for regulations on animal health, animal welfare, traceability, food safety and safe trade of animal products

Other examples of veterinarians protecting the health and welfare of animals, and thus also protecting the health of humans



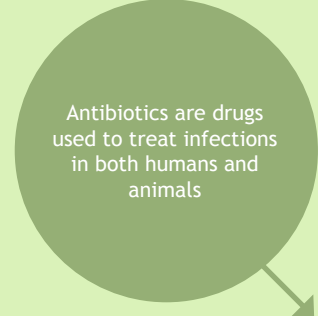
RABIES

Eliminating diseases and infections at their animal source to save human lives



ANTIBIOTICS

Ensuring appropriate use of drugs in animals to preserve their effectiveness



AVIAN INFLUENZA

Tracking and controlling animal diseases, including those transmissible to humans

