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# HỌC MÃI: IMPROVING HEALTH CARE THROUGH RESEARCH

## CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR RESEARCH PROJECTS THAT WILL HELP BUILD RESEARCH CAPACITY IN VIỆT NAM

### SUBMISSIONS

**Deadline:** Saturday October 2, 2010

*No late applications will be considered*

*Final decision of successful projects will be determined by the Học Mãi Foundation Research Committee*

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One of the aims of Học Mãi, the Australia Việt Nam Medical Foundation is to enable healthcare research within Việt Nam. To coincide with the 2nd Học Mãi Conference “Improving Healthcare through Research”, the Học Mãi Foundation is calling for applications for research projects that will help build research capacity in Việt Nam.

This new funding program seeks to stimulate health research that is likely to have a direct effect on patient care or health care provision. The research projects should address a health care issue or a policy area that is relevant and important in Việt Nam. Applications should describe the issue being addressed, why it is important to address it, who the research teams are and how the research will make a difference to patient health outcomes.

Applications should be a maximum of 4 pages. They must include:

1. A clear research question
2. A background that summarizes the clinical issue or problem being addressed
3. Research methodology to be used to answer the research question
4. A summary of the ethical clearances required
5. A description of the research team summarizing previous research experience
6. Expected Outcomes
7. A budget

These research projects will be conducted and managed in Việt Nam by the successful project research recipients with Australian mentorship. The primary applicant must be Vietnamese who will be resident in Việt Nam for the duration of the project. The projects are to be completed in 2011 and funds will be available from January 2011. Vietnamese applicants are strongly encouraged to prepare their applications with a co-investigator from Australia.

It is anticipated that two Grants will be awarded up to a value of AUD\$10,000 each.

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