

## Promotion of Proper Use of Medicines with Medication Guiding Tools through Clinical Pharmacists Intervention in Vietnam

- In Vietnam, while most hospitals manage hospital-based clinical pharmacy activities (e.g., dispensing medicines and providing doctors/nurses with medicines information), the direct patient care by clinical pharmacists (CP) is limited, and patient-specific clinical pharmacy services need to be improved.
- In Japan, hospital CPs provide patients with medication guidance through close communication with them, and there are a variety of patient materials for medicines as well as diseases. In this project, appropriate medication guiding tools for patients in Vietnam will be developed in collaboration with NCGM/JPMA.
- We also design this project for up-skilling of CPs by strengthening the BMH clinical pharmacy practice and for promotion of proper use of medicines by supporting development of medication guiding tools.

