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Dr Hoshide received his medical degree from the Yamagata University, Japan in 1995 and completed his cardiology fellowship training at the Jichi Medical University in 2000. From 1997 to 2006, he took on the role of staff physician at a number of hospitals including Jichi Medical University Hospital, Haga Red Cross Hospital and Oyama Municipal Hospital. Dr Hoshide was also involved in cardiology research and completed his PhD in 2008. He went abroad to the Laboratory of Cardiology at the Ospedale San Luca in Milano – Italy, Istituto Auxologico Italiano and University of Milano-Bicocca in 2009. He later was promoted to senior staff, then to assistant professor and finally to his current position at the Jichi Medical University.

Dr Hoshide's research focuses on patterns of outcomes such as target organ damages and cardiovascular disease in Japanese hypertensive patients. He is the author of numerous papers and was one of the main authors of the J-HOP study, which investigated the association of morning and evening blood pressure at home with organ damage and cardiovascular event.

As a result of his research and expertise, Dr Hoshide has been elected as member in many professional societies including the Japanese Society of Internal Medicine, Japanese Circulation Society, and Japanese Hypertension Society. Dr Hoshide has been in charge of the editorial chief for the journal "Blood Pressure Monitoring".