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# 5<sup>TH</sup> HEALTHY AGING PRIZE *for* ASIAN INNOVATION

In the next 30 years, the number of people 65 and up in East and Southeast Asia is expected to nearly double. Rapid population aging requires creative approaches from both the public and private sectors in the region to meet the wide range of challenges it presents and to create vibrant, healthy, and resilient societies where people can enjoy long and productive lives.

Launched in 2020, the Healthy Aging Prize for Asian Innovation (HAPI) recognizes innovative policies, services, and products from Asia that address the challenges and opportunities of aging societies, help extend healthy and meaningful lives, and improve the provision of care to older adults.



SUBMISSION PERIOD

**February 2–May 15, 2026**

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# AWARD CATEGORIES

HEALTHY AGING  
PRIZE *for Asian*  
INNOVATION

## Care and Wellbeing

Innovations that support caregivers, as well as health and welfare service providers, to improve the physical and mental health and wellbeing of older people.

## Social Engagement

Innovations that keep older people engaged in their communities and that connect generations.

## Supportive Environments

Innovations that make homes, neighborhoods, and transportation more accessible and age-friendly.



## Eligibility

Eligible innovations include policies, programs, services, and products implemented by community organizations, nonprofit organizations, research institutions, local governments, private businesses, public-private partnerships, and social businesses based in an ASEAN member country or in China, Japan, or South Korea.

\*See website for further details and requirements

## Award

One Grand Prize will be selected in each category and additional winners will be selected as well. All winners will be showcased on the AHWIN website. Grand Prize winners will also receive a trophy and will be invited to present their work to top leaders from around the region.

**DEADLINE: May 15, 2026**

The Healthy Aging Prize for Asian Innovation is an initiative of the Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA) and the Japan Center for International Exchange (JCIE), under the auspices of the Japanese government's Asia Health and Wellbeing Initiative (AHWIN)



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