

## **Burden of Proof: The Hib Vaccine in Bangladesh**

### **Study Questions**

1. What risks are there in adopting the pentavalent vaccine?
2. How certain should Dr. Bari be in recommending the vaccine? What level of certainty does he need to have in order to decide against other alternatives?
3. What political realities should be considered when discussing this sort of long-term economic project?
4. Does the GAVI Alliance have the same goals as the Government of Bangladesh?
5. When is it important for a national government to make autonomous decisions and when can a government rely on the assistance of development agencies?