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An expert in vascular and interventional radiology, Thuong VAN HA, MD, trained at UCLA Medical Center and provides care for patients with venous diseases, cancer, uterine fibroids and disorders of the blood vessels. Dr. Van Ha performs both diagnostic and treatment procedures. Dr. Van Ha runs the Interventional Oncology program at the University of Chicago. Procedures performed include chemoembolization, radioembolization, and local ablation of tumors.

Dr. Van Ha is an active researcher, serving as the primary investigator on studies designed to test the safety and efficacy of retrievable filters for use in patients with blood clots or pulmonary embolism. He is interested in studying factors that control hemostasis. He also publishes in the area of hepatic intervention and treatment of liver tumors. Most recently, he is co-investigator with Dr. SK Lee on an NIH grant looking at new embolization agent for liver cancer, using an animal model.

Dr. Van Ha has published more than 70 original articles, over 25 book chapters, and co-authored a textbook that is used in classrooms across the country. He currently serves as an editorial board member for Seminars in Interventional Radiology, and as a manuscript reviewer for several scientific journals. In addition, Dr. Van Ha is frequently invited to present his work at local, national and international conferences on interventional radiology. He is co-director of the Society of Interventional Radiology's Fellows Spring Practicum, a course designed to teach fellows prior to their graduation from fellowship.