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Chris Hendriksz, MD, is a Consultant in Transitional Metabolic Medicine and clinician at the Mark Holland Metabolic Unit for Adult Inherited Metabolic Disorders based at Salford Royal NHS Foundation Trust, Manchester, UK.

Prof. Hendriksz obtained his Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB) degrees at the University of Pretoria, South Africa, in 1984. After completing his exams for Membership of the Royal Colleges of Physicians in Paediatrics in London, UK, in 1999, he obtained a post-graduate diploma in Paediatrics and Child Health at the University of Leeds, UK, in 2001. He completed his training in Inborn Errors of Metabolism at Royal Manchester Children's Hospital, UK.

Prof. Hendriksz joined the metabolic service at the Birmingham Children's Hospital in 2004. He established a LSD Service in 2007 and has been involved in the daily management of patients with inborn errors of metabolism until he moved back to Manchester in April 2012 to develop the adult inherited metabolic disorders service.

He retired from full time NHS employment at the end of July 2016 but continue to deliver clinics for the organisation, develop telehealth services and spend more time with his passion to further medical education on rare disorders for the developing world.

His publication list contains more than 130 peer reviewed publications with numerous ones related to clinical trials and review papers as well as several book chapters in the field of inborn errors of metabolism.

In his own time he has been working on training clinicians across many parts of the world and has been appointed as an extraordinary professor at the Steve Biko Academic Unit based at University of Pretoria South Africa. He is an advocate for all rare disease patients and involved in multiple projects to improve quality of care for patients affected by rare inherited metabolic disorders.

Outside of work his family, technology, fishing and playing golf badly occupies most of his time.