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## BIO

Zandile Mchiza is a non-communicable disease (NCD) senior research specialist at the South African Medical Research Council (SAMRC) and an extraordinary professor for the School of Public Health (SOPH) at the University of the Western Cape (UWC). She has a strong background on nutrition epidemiology. She currently convenes the Epidemiology of NCDs Module at post graduate level for SOPH. At the MRC she coordinates the pediatric cardiometabolic disorders section.

Her publication record spans authoring and co-authoring 33 national and international conference outputs; 20 policy briefs, technical reports, report cards, books/chapters and similar documents; and 63 articles that are published with peer reviewed, DHET and ISI accredited journals.

Together with her co-investigators they have built a research consortium of post-graduate candidates and renowned researchers within her research niche in South Africa and other international academic and research institutions. Some of the members of this consortium are featured in their project websites & South Africa Sweden University Forum (SASUF) web page.

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