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Lord Crisp is an independent crossbench member of the House of Lords where he speaks mainly on global health and international development.

He was Chief Executive of the NHS - the largest health organisation in the world with 1.3 million employees - and Permanent Secretary of the UK Department of Health and led major reforms and improvements in the whole system between 2000 and 2006. Previously he had been Chief Executive of the Oxford Radcliffe Hospital NHS Trust, one of the UK's leading academic medical centres.

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His latest book *Turning the world upside down - the search for global health in the 21st Century* takes further the ideas about mutual learning between rich and poor countries that he developed in his 2007 report for the Prime Minister.

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