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After completing general practitioner training, Dr Evans worked for British Airways before moving to the UK Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) in 1993. She was the CAA's Chief Medical Officer between 2005 and 2019, subsequently working as a CAA Consultant Advisor.

She chaired the group that drafted the European Union aviation medical requirements and was the founder and Chair of the European Aviation Medical Assessors' Council. In 2015 she was a member of the European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) Task Force on Measures Following the Accident of Germanwings Flight 9525. She has been a member of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) Medical Provisions Study Group, Deputy Chief Examiner for the Diploma in Aviation Medicine, Vice-Chair of the UK Specialty Advisory Committee in Aviation and Space Medicine and a member of the Air Transport Advisory Board of the UK Aviation Confidential Human Factors Incident Reporting Programme. She is an Honorary Civilian Consultant Adviser in Aviation Medicine to the Royal Navy, Fellow of the Royal Aeronautical Society and Fellow of the Aerospace Medical Association. She was honoured with the award of Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for services to aviation medicine by Queen Elizabeth II in 2018.

Dr Evans was the Secretary General of the International Academy of Aviation and Space Medicine (IAASM) from 2021-2025 and is the current President-Elect of IAASM.