Table 1. Actions of Thyroid Hormone (TH) transporters

MCT8 Central nervous system development (migration, dendritic outgrowth, formation of synapses and myelination)

T3 uptake into hippocampus, amygdale, basal ganglia, cerebellar Purkinje cells

TH transport through blood-brain barrier (BBB)

Anterior pituitary folliculostellate cells T4 uptake

- MCT10 Aromatic aminoacid efflux-mediated TH transport into intestine, liver, skeletal muscle, heart and placenta
- OATP1C1 TH transport across BBB and into testis
- OATP1A2 TH and sulphate into liver, brain and kidney
- OATP1B1 T4S, T3S, rT3S liver uptake
- OATP1B3 T4S, T3S, rT3S plus rT3 liver uptake