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Suvarna Indermun is a lecturer and supervisor in the Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Radiology. She qualified as a dentist in 2015. She was always passionate about radiology during her undergraduate training and immediately after her Community Service year, she joined the Department in 2017. She obtained a postgraduate dentistry diploma (PDD) in Diagnostics and Radiology at UWC and graduated Cum Laude in April 2019. She graduated with her Masters in the same field in April 2022. Apart from the prescribed coursework, she has been involved in the clinical training and teaching of undergraduate and postgraduate students and developing the skills to write radiological reports of suspected maxillofacial lesions – on conventional radiography and CBCT. She is a keen researcher, dabbling in a few areas of research. Whilst she has been interested in radiology, her research areas also exist outside the walls of her department and include the following: diagnostics and oral pathology, teaching and learning in dentistry, social media in dentistry, 3D printing, 3D imaging in orthodontics, cephalometric analysis, artificial intelligence in dentistry and oral health education. She is also the secretary for the South African Division of the International Association of Dental Research.