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Sr. Zhavandre van der Merwe is a PhD candidate at Murdoch University. She holds a Master's in Wound Healing and Tissue Repair from Cardiff University and completed the IIWC course at the University of Toronto, And advanced wound care certificate at University of Freestate. With over a decade of experience in wound care, she combines clinical expertise with academic leadership.

She is the founder of 4Wounds, a specialized practice delivering holistic, personalized wound care. Sr. Zhavandre has presented and taught at national and international conferences and has several publications in both national and international journals. Her skills include clinical education, research, protocol and guideline development, and managing complex wounds. She has a special interest in surgical site infections and applies evidence-based strategies to improve healing and patient outcomes.

