



# LAURENTIA-JOAN OPPERMAN

## **BIO**

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Laurentia is an intern from the Human Sciences Research Council (HSRC) in the Non-Communicable Disease Research Unit (NCDRU) of the South African Medical Research Council (SAMRC), and is supervised and mentored by Associate Professor Zandile June-Rose Mchiza and Dr Jillian Hill. Concurrently, she is completing her MSc in Medical Biosciences (UWC) and holds an Honours and BSc degree in Medical Biosciences (UWC).

She enjoys engaging with the community and has a passion for community-based projects in which she can educate and empower.

Her role will be to support work packages 4, 5, and 6.

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