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Research interests: Oral Rehabilitation; Oral Medicine; Dental Prosthetics; Local Anesthetics; Bruxism; Tooth Wear; Dental Anxiety; Oral Health; Implantology