

Hospital Management System

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Introduction : I'm Ritesh Kumar Sah, Diploma level Student, Pursuing this degree as standalone.

1. Project Description :

The Hospital Management System is a web application that streamlines hospital operations by managing patients, doctors, appointments, and treatments. It enables three user roles (Admin, Doctor, Patient) with role-specific functionalities for efficient healthcare management.

2. Technology Stack :

- Backend: Python Flask + Flask-SQLAlchemy ORM
- **Frontend:** HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap 5 + Jinja2 templating
- **Database:** SQLite (auto-created using SQLAlchemy models)
- **Authentication:** Secure password hashing via Werkzeug
- **Session Handling:** Flask sessions with role-based route protection

3. System Features:

- Centralized dashboard for fast hospital operations
- Structured role-based access: Admin, Doctor & Patient
- Medical history storage with diagnostics and prescriptions
- Doctor availability system for appointment planning
- Appointment lifecycle management (Book → Complete / Cancel)
- Unique constraints to block double-booking of time slots
- Clean and responsive UI for better user experience

3.1 Admin Features:

- Add / update / delete doctor profiles
- Search doctors & patients by name, contact, or specialization
- Monitor upcoming & historical appointments
- Ability to blacklist users (block system access)
- Pre-created administrator user for system bootstrapping

3.2 Doctor Features:

- View upcoming assigned appointments & patients list
- Set availability for next 7 days (Morning/Evening slots)
- Update treatment records per appointment:
- Visit type, tests, diagnosis, prescription & notes
- Mark appointments as Completed or Cancelled

3.3 Patient Features:

- Self-registration & secure login management
- Browse departments & doctors before booking

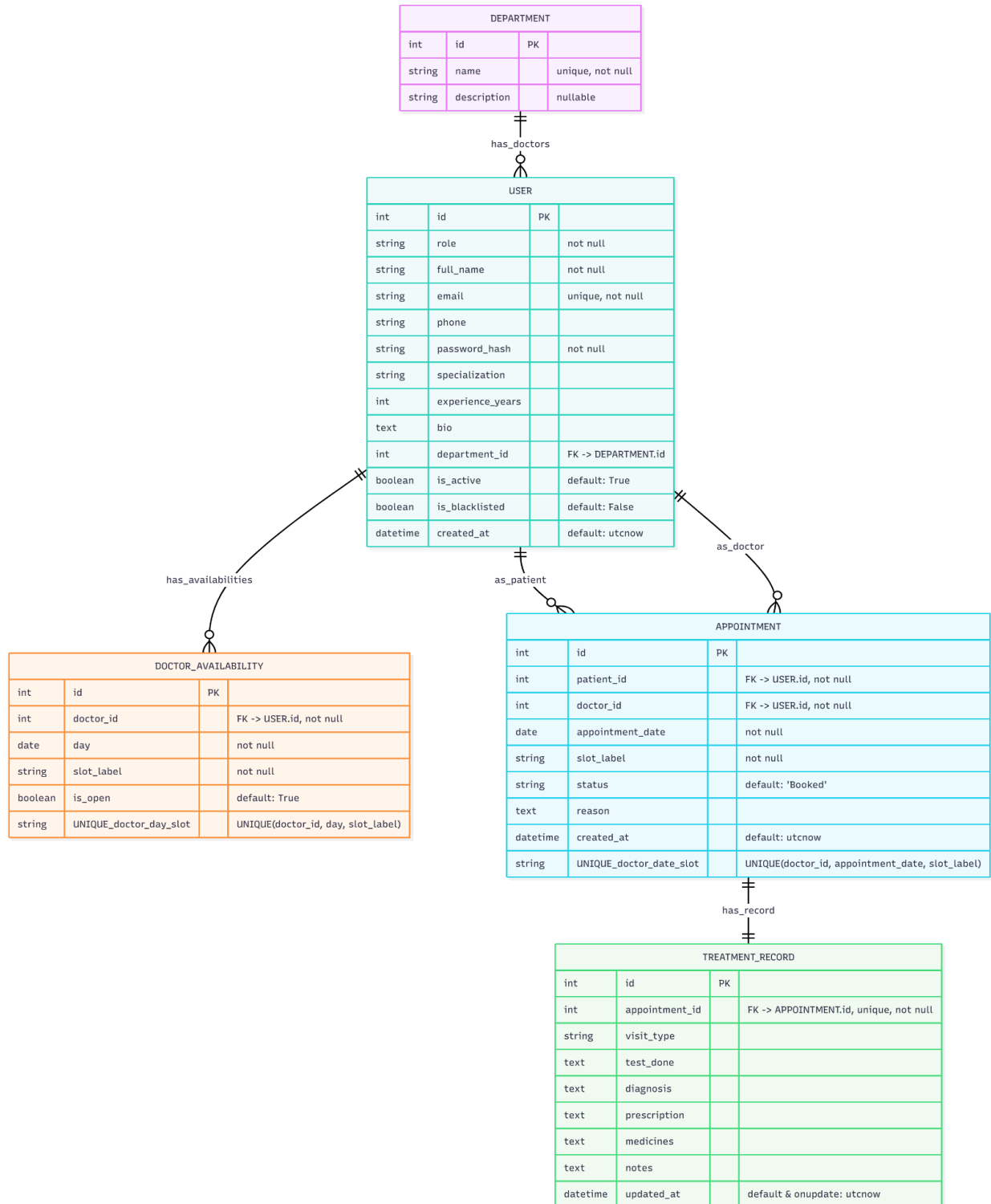
- Book / cancel appointments with live availability data
- View full medical visit history with prescriptions
- Manage own profile details

4. Security Features :

- Role-Based Access Control (RBAC) on every route
- Password hashing with PBKDF2 (no plaintext stored)
- Session validation for each restricted module
- Frontend + backend form input validation
- Blacklisting ensures banned users cannot log in

5. Database Schema – Key Entities:

- Department – Stores medical specialization data
- User – Unified table for Admin/Doctor/Patient accounts
- DoctorAvailability – Time slots published by each doctor
- Appointment – Patient-doctor bookings with status tracking
- TreatmentRecord – One-time medical report per visit



Key Relationship:

- Department has a one-to-many relationship with User
→ A department can have multiple doctors, but a doctor belongs to only one department

- User (Doctor) has a one-to-many relationship with DoctorAvailability
→ A doctor can set multiple availability slots
- User (Doctor) has a one-to-many relationship with Appointment
→ A doctor can attend many appointments
- User (Patient) has a one-to-many relationship with Appointment
→ A patient can book multiple appointments
- Appointment has a one-to-one relationship with TreatmentRecord
→ Each visit/appointment has exactly one treatment record stored
- Unique Slot Constraint ensures:
A doctor cannot publish duplicate availability slots for same day & label
`(doctor_id, day, slot_label)`
- A doctor cannot have two appointments at the same date & time
`(doctor_id, appointment_date, slot_label)`

Video Link:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1x8okDZmdaFe6RH1CnpS8HaDhasBa8Oky/view?usp=drive_link

Declaration : I have taken help from AI in styling and layout of my web app. Used 10% AI in CSS/Bootstrap and for db setup.