

Stroke Risk Analysis – Power BI Case Study

Objective

Analyze healthcare data to identify key stroke risk factors and support preventive healthcare decision-making using Power BI.

Dataset

Patient-level demographic, lifestyle, and clinical data including age, gender, BMI, glucose level, hypertension, heart disease, smoking status, residence type, and stroke outcome.

Approach

- Cleaned and transformed data in Power Query
- Converted binary indicators into readable categories
- Imputed missing BMI values using the median
- Created DAX measures for stroke rate, stroke cases, and age analysis
- Designed two dashboards: Executive Overview and Risk Factor Analysis

Key Insights

- Stroke risk increases significantly after age 55
- Hypertension and heart disease are major risk drivers
- Stroke likelihood rises when BMI exceeds ~23.7
- Higher glucose levels correlate with increased stroke cases
- Lifestyle factors such as smoking contribute to long-term risk

Tools

Power BI, Power Query, DAX