Database Management Systems

Project Report

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Abstract

The Blood Donation Management System (BBMS) is a browser-based system that is designed to store, process, retrieve and analyze information concerned with the administrative and inventory management within a blood bank. The aim of this project is to maintain all the information pertaining to blood donors, different blood groups available in each of the different clinics and help them manage in a better way. The aim is to provide transparency in this field, make the process of obtaining blood from a blood bank quick, effective, and easy with little or no bureaucracy, hassle free. There is no storage of blood so no complications in the project. The software is fully integrated with CRM (customer relationship management) as well as CMS (content management system) solution. It is developed in a manner that is easily manageable, time saving and relieving one from manual work. The requirement of the blood must be requested, and the information of the donor is provided.

Introduction

The aim of this project is to create an effective and well-structured management system for the Blood Donation banks.

One way to accomplish this is to build a functional website for the system and an effective management system that accepts, manages, and stores information on customers and donors. The website will retrieve information like personal and medical information from donors through a web form that will store the customer's information in a database and each customer will be assigned an ID which will serve as the primary key for the customers data.

Our group adopted this idea because it encompasses all the concepts learned in class as well as the lab sessions. This project will allow us to use what we have learned to create a tangible product with real world applications. Our team will develop this website using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP and MYSQL for the database.

RELATED WORK AND HOW IT DIFFERS FROM EXISTING WORKS

Currently, blood donation systems are mainly built for clinic employees and not the blood donors themselves. As a result, many donors are unaware of their own blood statistics such as if they're eligible to donate blood in the first place, their blood type, whether or not their blood has been used yet, the supply of blood available to the clinics, and when one can donate blood again. This lack of information conveyed to both donors and potential donors may lead them to be unmotivated and dissuade their decision to donate blood, further contributing to the blood donation crisis currently occurring in Ontario. Blood Bank Management is the solution to this, as it is a presentable and accessible browser based application that will be responsible for storing, retrieving, and sharing clients information.

Main Body

Objective

We focused on combining both the database and the frontend of the website to allow functionality. The first phase of the project focuses mainly on designing and constructing the data store for the application. All the ideas put forward on the proposal gets implemented in this phase. We designed the database using MYSQL creating the different tables for each individual entity. We created a relational database schema for the system, populated the tables with several users and passed some queries to check the functionality of the system.

During this phase, we also focused on building the frontend part of the website with HTML, PHP, and JavaScript. The goal was to make a user-friendly website that can be accessed by any and every device. The frontend collects all the information from users which are saved on the database.

Creating Tables

We created the tables for each individual entity with their respective attributes in the database using the table commands.

- Patient table: Personal information about the patient, donor, and physician are being recorded on this table.
- Donor table: Personal information like the blood type and medical history about the donor, and information about the physician are being recorded on this table.
- Physician table: Personal information physicians are being recorded on this table.
- Employee table: Information about the clinic employees is being saved and recorded on this table to allow easy access for the clinic.

• Hospital, Requisition, Donation tables.

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CREATE SCHEMA `bloodbanksystem` ;/**/
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         CREATE TABLE 'bloodbanksystem'.'donor' (
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         CREATE TABLE 'bloodbanksystem'.'physician' (
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         CREATE TABLE 'bloodbanksystem'.'donation' (
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         CREATE TABLE 'bloodbanksystem'.'employee' (
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         CREATE TABLE 'bloodbanksystem'.'hospital' (
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         CREATE TABLE 'bloodbanksystem'.'requisition' (
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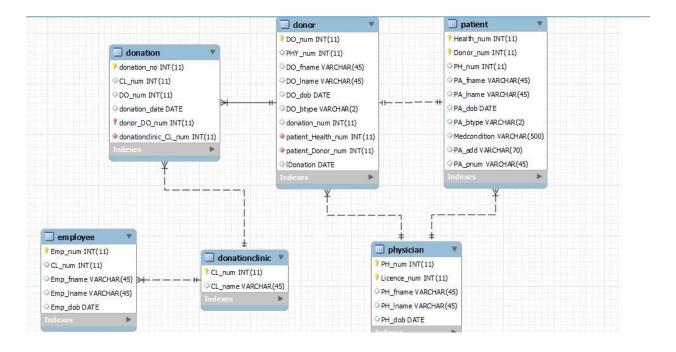
The above table commands will result in the following table displayed in the database



Object Diagram

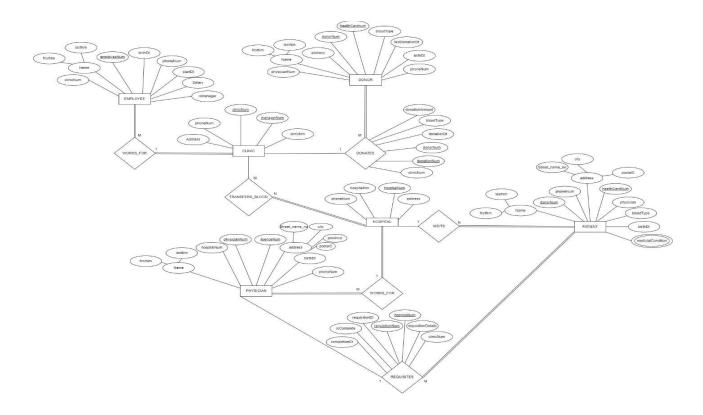
This shows the relationship between the different instantiated classes and its relation with the system.

The object diagram depiction of the Blood Donation System Schema is as follows:



Entity Relationship Diagram

The following is the Entity-Relationship (ER) diagram that represents the relationships between the tables in the Blood Donation Management database. This diagram shows the different entities and their attributes and their relation with each other.



The definition of the diagram can be analysed below;

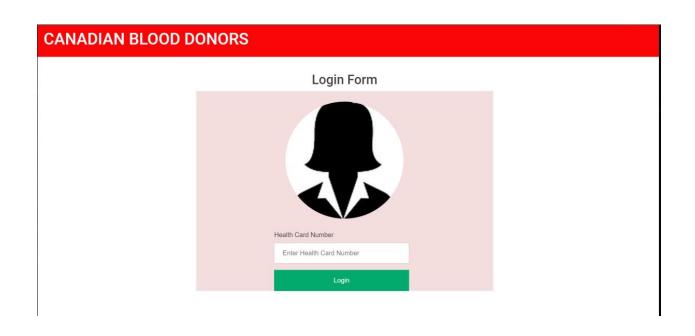
- Employee has a WORKS_FOR type of relationship with the Clinic, with a cardinality ratio of M:1 (many-to-one)
- Clinic has a TRANSFERS_BLOOD type of relationship with the Hospital, with a cardinality ratio of N:N and it has a DONATES type relationship with DONOR with a cardinality of 1:M
- Physician has a WORKS_FOR type of relationship with the Hospital, with a cardinality ratio of
 M:1 and it has a REQUISITES type relationship with Patient with a cardinality of 1:M
- Patient has a VISITS type of relationship with the Hospital, with a cardinality ratio of N:1.

Frontend Design Application

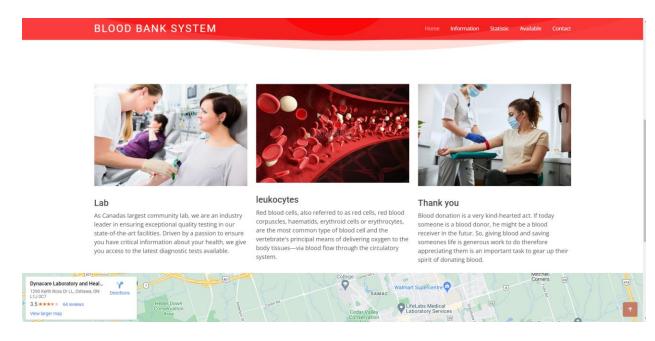
The development and designing of the frontend application was done using HTML, CSS, PHP and JAVASCRIPT web programming languages for the functionality of the system. It displays the client-side and graphical user interface of the website that includes the forms for the donors and patients, request forms for the hospital and clinics and so on. Each section is carefully designed to meet the needs of the clients or users and it is connected effectively to the database. The website is designed to be compatible with any device and easily accessible. Patients can easily fill out the forms required of them and their information is being stored in the database. Hospitals that require information of the donors or patients can easily navigate through the website and pull up the respective information which are stored in the database.

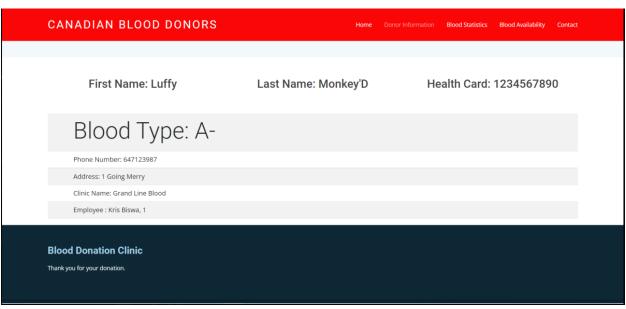
A sample of the login home page is displayed below, a patient inputs his or her health card information in the system. When this is done, the user is redirected to the homepage. An incorrect information returns an invalid message.

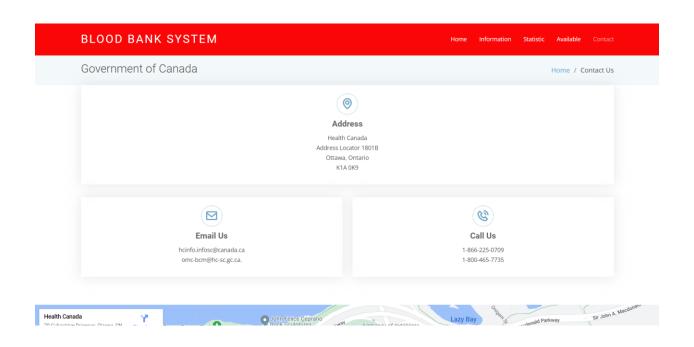
Using the \$_SESSION array, we can keep information from previous queries across multiple pages. In this case, the entire "donor" table is stored in this array under the identifier "userID". We use a new view (view5) to receive the clinic name where the donor donated their blood to, while the other view (view6) retrieves information about the employee's name, and id number.

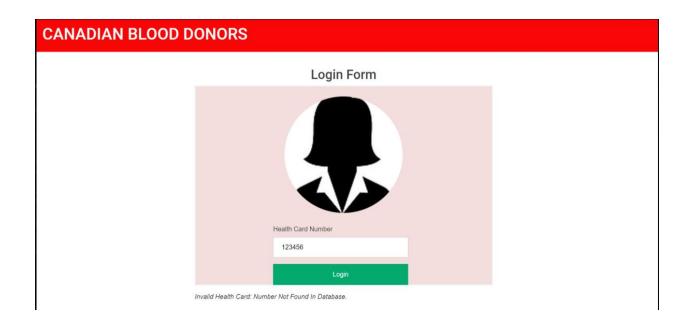












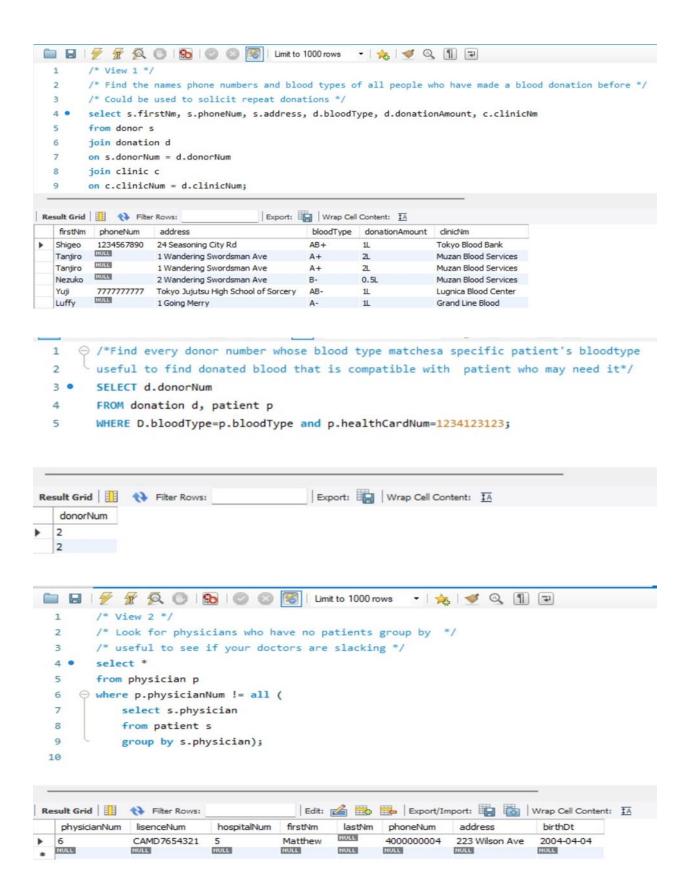
Conclusion

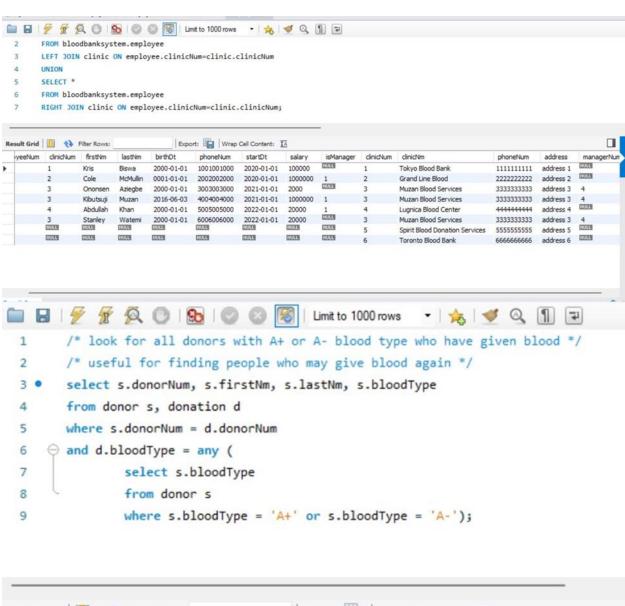
Finally, through a series of steps, we were able to design a fully functional Blood Donation Management System (BBMS) that can be deployed on a web browser and that satisfies all the software requirements of a standard database, it is able to store, process, retrieve and analyze information concerned with the administrative and inventory management. We were also able to address the primary concern of most similar management systems which is transparency, our innovative solution is more efficient as there is no blood storage involved, once blood requirement is met, the donor is provided. Additionally, our system was also able to cater to the pressing need of increasing blood donor reach thereby making the blood donation process more smooth. Blood donors can now view all the intricate details of the donation process, make a donor request and submit eligibility at the click of their fingers.

In relation to the course, the knowledge acquired in class and during the course of the semester has helped in the development of this website. We are able to incorporate the frontend and database together in order to achieve a fully functional website. Information can be pulled up from the database by passing different queries no matter how difficult it may seem to obtain.

Appendix

Below are a few screenshots of parts of the project and pieces of code that have helped in achieving this project as well as some queries passed in the database.





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