## **Meeting 1:** Questions about dataset

'num\_lab\_procedures': how does number of lab procedures affect readmission? Link to error?
Ans: The numbers of the lab procedure refer to a complexity of doctor diagnosis. The column will link directly to the prediction result.

2. 'num\_procedures' : What's 'num\_procedures'? Patient readmission?

Ans: The numbers of procedure will add up the complexity and will affect to the prediction model

3. 'number\_outpatient' : What's outpatient in the healthcare terminology?

Outpatient (OPD) = Clinic / Don't have to admit in the hospital

4. 'number inpatient' : What's in patient in the healthcare mean?

**Inpatient**= patients that require to stay in the hospital after the treatment

5. 'medical\_specialty': How to interpret <a href="Surgery-Cardiovascular/Thoracic?">Surgery-Cardiovascular/Thoracic?</a>

**Ans:** Each type of medical specialty will count as one category for each type.

## Meeting\_2: Meeting minute [Nov 26,2019]

Team Attendee: Paul, Kevin, Xing, Emanuel, Stephen

- Everyone will stick with the same plan:
  - Data cleaning
  - o EDA
  - Modeling
  - Focus on features which affect the outcome of readmissions.
  - Waiting for Brian to get information about finances.

## Meeting\_3: Meeting minute [Dec 2,2019]

Team Attendee: Paul, Kevin, Xing, Emanuel, Stephen

- Summarize about the update on the progress.
  - Everyone has 5 cleaning datasets.
    - Each presents and debate about their data cleaning work & modeling.
  - o Be ready to work on modeling
- Paul will make a summary note for statistical explanation.
- The team practiced on Github and uploaded their files on the Github.
- Restructure the work schedule:

o EDA : 12/2-12/4

Assigned: Kevin, Stepehn

o Modeling : 12/4 – 12/5

Assigned: Paul, Emanuel

o Finance : 12/4 – 12/6

Assigned: Xing

o PPT : 12/6/12/8

Assigned: All