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# Alzheimer's Study

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## 1. Introduction and Project Overview

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Alzheimer's Study is a web application that will be available on all popular web browsers and will be compatible with all operating systems and devices. The web app will help our primary customer (Dr. Kathy Lee and her team) to collect information about the Asian (Chinese and Korean) Americans who are dealing with dementia, specifically Alzheimer. Our users can visit the website and get the services such as getting information about useful resources available in the locality for individuals with Alzheimer, information about what dementia is, contacting research teams, etc. The app will be initially available in three languages (English, Chinese, and Korean).

## 2. Customers and users

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The customer of this project is Dr. Kathy Lee, her research team, and the users are people in care of potential individuals with Alzheimer's disease or have the condition itself in the Chinese and/or Korean American community. Dr. Kathy Lee will be providing our group with continuous feedback with the website in order to have accurate translations and core features implemented.

### 3. Features/Requirements

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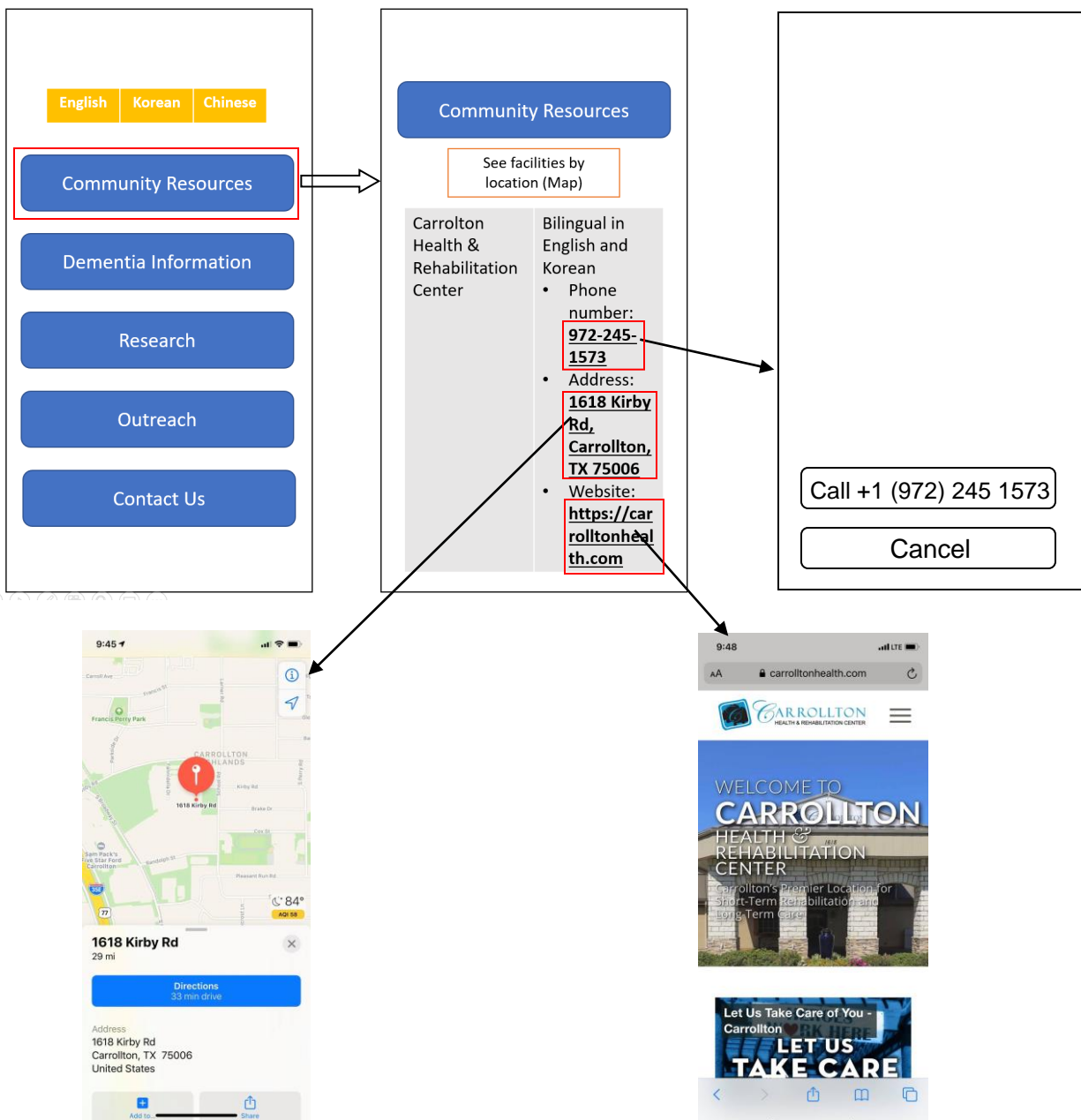
ID	Description
1	Should work on all big web browsers (Google Chrome, Firefox, Safari)
2	Should be viewable on mobile phones (iOS, Android)
3	Should have an admin's page that allows website content to be updated
4	The community resources should allow the user to directly call a facility
5	The community resources should allow the user to click an address which open google maps and shows the location of the facility
6	The community resources should allow the user to click a hyperlink that redirects them to the facility's website.
7	The website should be available in 3 languages (English, Korean, Chinese)
8	Should provide the user with close by facilities (pinpointed on map)
9	The outreach tab should allow the user to download KakaoTalk and We chat and set up chat with customer
11	Should allow users to fill out customer's online survey ( <a href="https://dementiacaregiving.questionpro.com">https://dementiacaregiving.questionpro.com</a> )
12	Should allow the user to schedule a telephone interview
13	Should allow the users to see all appointments and available times on calendar
14	The "contact us" tab should allow users to send messages to the customer with the user's name, email, and message

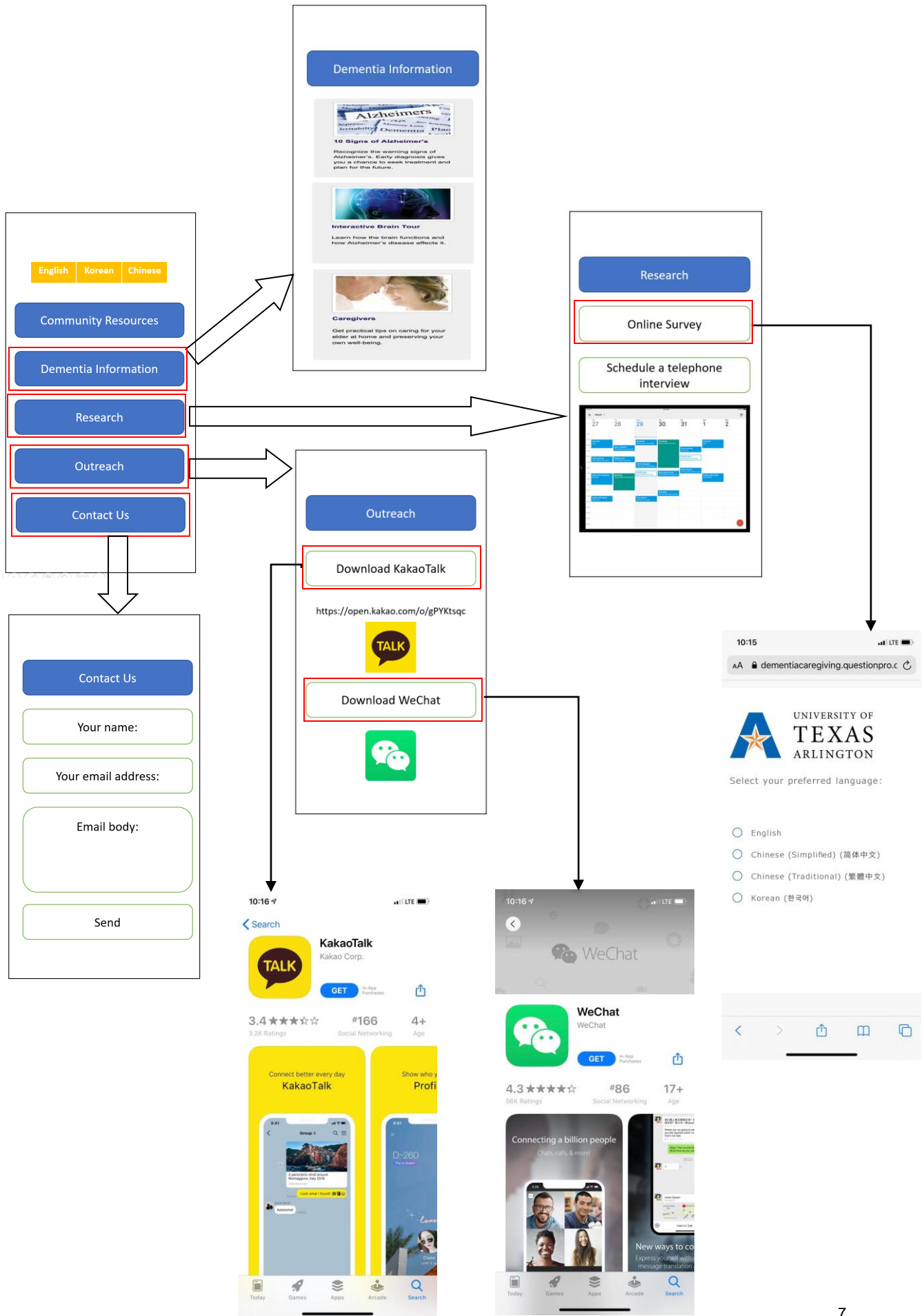
In order to develop this application, we will be utilizing React native, this allows the application to be supported on all popular browsers. The application will also use firebase to store the data. We will also use google docs and google slides to share and collaborate on presentations and documentations. Finally, we will use GitHub to share Code. We chose GitHub due to its capabilities of version control, allowing all of us to work on the same project and merge our work seamlessly.

## 4. User Interface

The user interface is rather simple. The user begins on a home screen (on the left) This page allows the user to pick their language (English, Korean, Chinese). Along with this they will also be given the choice of being redirected to “community resources”, “Dementia information”, “Research”, “outreach” and “Contact us”. Each option will have different functions.

The UI prototype or the screen flow for mobile devices:







## 5. Competitors

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Dr. Kathy Lee is an Alzheimer's specialist located in Carrollton. She has some competitors in her area who are trying to take away her customers. Our competitors are two medical clients located in the area called Home Instead and Visiting Angels. Both have websites that target our user groups (Alzheimer's). Our project will differ from them by focusing on the Asian community rather than being general like they are.

### Home Instead -

<https://www.homeinstead.ca/407/home-care-services/dementia-care-carrollton>

The screenshot shows the Home Instead Senior Care website. The header is purple with the Home Instead logo and navigation links: HOME CARE SERVICES, CAREERS, and ABOUT US. Below the header, a text line states: "Our office serves Addison, Carrollton, Coppell, Farmers Branch, Irving, Far North Dallas, The Colony, South Lewisville, West Plano, West Frisco" with a link to "Select a different office". The main content area has a "CONTACT US" section with the phone number (972) 243-6100 and a form with fields for "I'm interested in...", "First Name \*", "Last Name \*", "Phone Number \*", and "Email Address \*", followed by a "CONTACT" button. Below the form, there is a section titled "Dementia Care in Carrollton" with a photo of an elderly man and a caregiver. To the right of the photo is a list of services: WHAT IS HOME CARE?, COMPANIONSHIP SERVICES, PERSONAL CARE, MEALS AND NUTRITION, TRANSPORTATION, HOUSEHOLD DUTIES, RESPITE CARE, HOSPICE CARE SUPPORT SERVICES, 24 HOUR CARE, and TRANSITIONAL CARE.

**Overview** - Looking through google chrome's developer inspection of the website it appears Home Instead uses **Google analytics** to get a competitive edge over users by tracking their interactions. They also have a simple informational app for smartphones. We differ because we focus on the Asian community.

### Visiting Angels -

<https://www.visitingangels.com/carrollton/alzheimers-services>



## Alzheimer's Care Services

*Our Mission: To Improve the Quality of Life for our Clients in Need of Dementia and Alzheimer's Home Care Services*

Experienced Alzheimers Home Care Services from Visiting Angels Carrollton TX

Alzheimers is one of the hardest diseases to handle, and many families struggle to cope with a loved one's diagnosis. For many, the first thought is in-patient care at a retirement or nursing home. But the comfort, security, and familiarity of home can be one of the most valuable tools in helping



LIFE CARE NAVIGATION  
OVERVIEW

CERTIFIED PALLIATIVE CARE

READY - SET - GO HOME

**Overview** - Look through their website files, it appears they are using jQuery. They also have professional photos and artwork that our team lacks currently. They have no iOS apps. We differ because we focus on the Asian community.

## 6. Risk

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$RE = pR * ER$  where,

RE - Risk exposure

pR - Probability - chance of it happening

ER - Effect - number of hours

### 1. Website not displaying properly on one of the web browsers or phone platforms

pR = 95%

ER = 10 hours

RE = 95% \* 10 hours = 9.5 hours

When encountering this issue, the developer should first immediately report the bug to the bug thread in the GitHub following the format of listing which browser it is not working on and which component is not displaying correctly. Then the next step is to tackle the bug and if it is not fixed within an hour or two, get the assistance of a teammate.

### 2. Accidentally allowing a security threat and detecting it

pR = 50%

ER = 10 hours

RE = 50% \* 10 hours = 5 hours

Report the bug to the bug thread on GitHub. List if it is an application wide security threat or specific to a certain web browser with a small description of the issue. Once the issue is fixed try out the security exploit again in various ways to see if it can be replicated again.

### 3. Implementing a feature incorrectly

pR = 90%

ER = 5 hours

RE = 90% \* 5 hours = 4.5 hours

Discuss with the team and customer during meetings to ensure features are implemented correctly. If not, take notes on what needs to be changed for future work sessions.

### 4. Features being changed during development

pR = 25%

ER = 12 hours

RE = 25% \* 12 hours = 3 hours

Talk to Dr. Kathy Lee (the customer) and discuss if the features are what she likes and change accordingly to her specifications.

## 7. Software Development Timeline

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Task Description	Anticipated End Date	Status
Project Topic Selection	09-03-2020	Completed
System and Requirements Analysis	09-28-2020 (Iteration 1)	In Progress
Inception Document	09-07-2020	Completed
Prototyping/Design	09-28-2020 (Iteration 1)	To be completed (TBC)
Community Resources Tab	10-19-2020 (Iteration 2)	TBC
Dementia Information Tab	10-19-2020 (Iteration 2)	TBC
Research Tab	11-09-2020 (Iteration 3)	TBC
Contact Us Tab	11-09-2020 (Iteration 3)	TBC
Admin Page	11-09-2020 (Iteration 3)	TBC
Test Plan	11-09-2020 (Iteration 3)	TBC
Final Product and Feedbacks	11-30-2020	TBC

## References and resources:

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- Dr. Kathy Lee's slides, <https://uta.instructure.com/courses/57602/files/9491615/download>
- Home Instead Senior Care, <https://www.homeinstead.com/>
- MentalHealth.gov, <https://www.mentalhealth.gov/>
- Prof. Csallner's class slides, [https://uta.instructure.com/files/8438477/download?download\\_frd=1](https://uta.instructure.com/files/8438477/download?download_frd=1)
- Survey Page, <https://dementiacaregiving.questionpro.com/>
- Carrollton Health and Rehab, <https://dementiacaregiving.questionpro.com/>