Figma Prototypes for a Medical Records System

User Interface Design Report

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1 Project Overview

This project aims to develop and implement an electronic medical records system (EMRS) specifically designed for use by both high- and low-income earning individuals, easy to use by individuals of different education backgrounds, and accessible in all geographical and network settings. The system will address the challenges of paper-based medical records that are currently in use by providing a secure, reliable, accessible, and efficient platform for managing patients' data.

2 Problem Statement

Today, despite the various technological milestones that have been achieved worldwide, a sweeping wave that has not left out third-world countries, storage, and accessibility of patient records is still a huge challenge here in Uganda. Patients have to carry small books and at times small pieces of paper to medical centers to get their prescriptions noted. After some time when the same patient has to return to the medical center, it is usually hard to retrace these small pieces of paper, and the health facilities despite keeping huge files of patient data do not have the time to dig up previous records.

A case in point is Mulago National Referral Hospital, the biggest hospital in Uganda. Outpatients have to carry their own notebooks while in-patients are provided with files after getting admitted. These new files are issued on each visit and are not linked to files from previous visits. Additionally, Outpatients who visit the hospital for minor treatment cases and testing are issued with sheets of paper showing their test results and recorded in Ministry of Health issued books for future reference.

After a while, when MoH-issued books are filled up, they are stored away as archives which despite being freely accessible to authorized medical personnel, usually take a very long time considering the time-critical nature of medical cases.

Private hospitals have tried to come up with computerized storage and prescription systems but these are only accessible by these particular facilities and in the long run hinder collaboration and a patient visiting a different facility has to either carry copies of medical documents from previous visits which are very easy to misplace. Once they have been misplaced, tests have to be re-run and procedures re-done.

3 Project Description

This is a medical system that has facility, medic and patient interfaces. Medics can only access patient data after the patient has entered their password and fingerprint. The password alone allows access to limited data and SMS authentication gives one complete access. A patient has to have two next of kin individuals from the list of four who when they provide their passwords, can allow password-level access to medical personnel in-case the patient is unable to. The project makes use of an 2-factor authentication and passwoord verification. Different medical personnel shall have different accessibility levels, all records are stored permanently and backup servers, at least two shall be used after the project has been fully established.

3.1 Project Objectives

To Develop an EMRS that is:

- Offline-first: The system shall function primarily offline to ensure continued operation in areas with limited or unreliable internet connectivity. Data synchronization shall occur when internet access is available.
- User-friendly: The interface shall be simple and intuitive for healthcare workers and individuals (the general population) with varying levels of technical expertise.
- Low-cost and low-maintenance: Utilize open-source technologies and minimize hardware requirements to be affordable and maintainable in resource-constrained settings.
- Secure: Implement robust data encryption and access controls to ensure patient privacy and data security.
- Interoperable: Consider future integration with existing health information systems in the country.

3.2 Target Users

- The general population
- Doctors
- Nurses
- Community Health Workers (CHWs)
- Pharmacists
- Other healthcare professionals involved in patient care

4 Lo-Fi Designs

The system's Lo-fi designs were drawn on paper and can be accessed at https://github.com/lansezi/UI-Design-CBERMS/blob/main/Lo%20-%20Fi.pdf. This document includes all pages for the 3 access types; Individual, Medical Personnel and Medical facility and also details functionalities in the last section of the document.

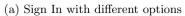
5 Hi-Fi Designs

The Hi-Fi designs were created using Figma, a software that allows designing and prototyping. A short video showing the prototyping and functionality of the system can be accessed at https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FUtzowS28xPfAYGJ2oodpRPlyoBhboHu/view?usp=sharing.

FIGMA VIEW LINK: https://www.figma.com/design/0bgR2SCBZOR42ZaOWhiivK/Hi-Fi-Assignment?m=auto&t=QZyi73yiNY3dRsEi-1 All this information together with the screenshots, Figma links and

different documents used to compile this report can be accessed at https://github.com/IANSEZI/UI-Design-CBERMS







(b) Sign Up with different options





(a) Individual Login

(b) Individual Sign Up



(c) Individual Access View



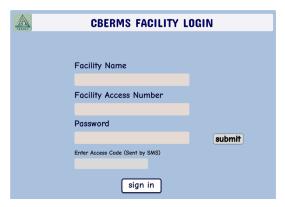


(a) Medic Login

(b) Medic Sign Up



(c) Medical Personnel Access View

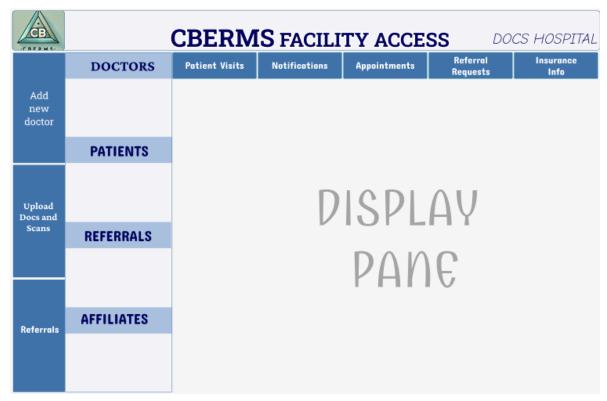




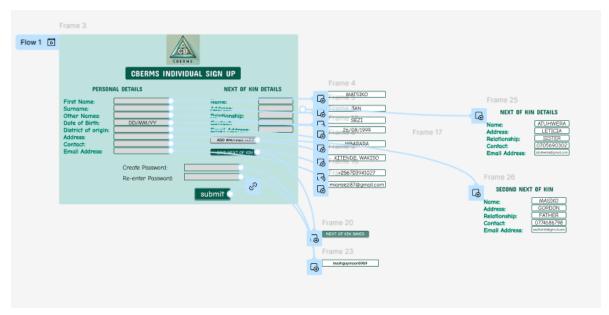
CBERMS FACILITY REGISTRATION Name Of Facility: Location: Official Contact: Doctor In charge: Doctor's Email: Facility Email Address: Facility Website: Create Password: Re-enter Password: Register

(a) Facility Login

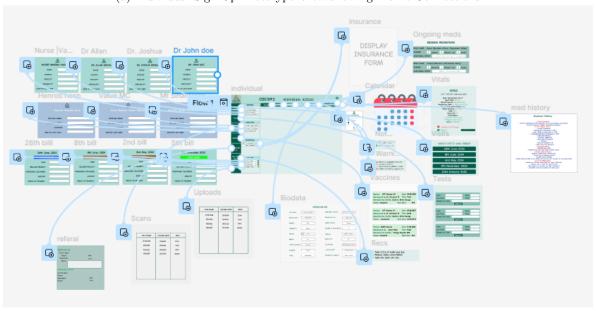
(b) Facility Registration



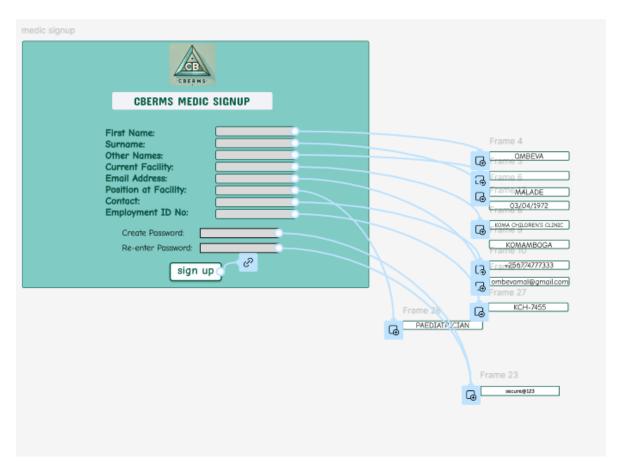
(c) Medical Facility Access View



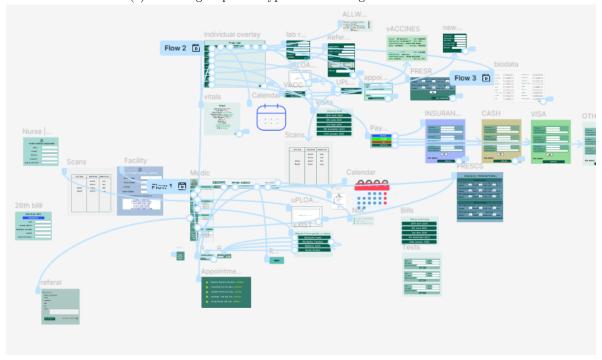
(a) Individual Sign Up Prototype View showing Frame Connections



 ${\rm (b)\ Individual\ Access\ Prototype\ view\ showing\ Frame\ Connections}$



(a) Medic Sign Up Prototype View showing Frame Connections



(b) Medic Access Prototype View with the individual overlay showing Frame Connections