Week 9 Deliverable

Group Name: Individual Project - Healthcare Persistency

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Problem Description

This project involves predicting drug persistency to help pharmaceutical companies optimize strategies and improve patient adherence to therapy

GitHub Repository Link

https://github.com/KTW04/Data Glacier Internship LISUM38

Data Cleansing and Transformation

Missing Values

- Technique 1: Mean Imputation
 - Missing numerical values were replaced with the mean. This ensures consistency in the dataset while minimizing data loss.
- Technique 2: Mode Imputation
 - Missing categorical values were filled with the most frequent category (mode), maintaining the integrity of categorical data.

Outliers

- Technique 1: IQR Method
 - Outliers were identified using the Interquartile Range (IQR) and removed. This reduced the impact of extreme values on the model.
- Technique 2: Capping
 - Extreme values were adjusted to the 5th and 95th percentiles, ensuring no critical data was lost while managing skewed distributions.

Final Dataset Summary

Metric	Original Dataset	Cleaned Dataset
Rows	3,424	2,956
Columns	69	69

Review Comments

• Since this project was completed individually, the notebook was self-reviewed. Code outputs were validated step-by-step to ensure accuracy and consistency.