KaizenEdge Input Taxonomy v1

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Purpose

Define all user, environmental, clinical, and operational inputs that the KaizenEdge Lifestyle/Future SaMD platform shall accept, validate, and process. This document is aligned with FDA design input expectations and maps to JSON Schema validation.

1) Account, Locale & Consent

- User ID (UUID)
- Primary language (ISO 639-1)
- Secondary languages (array ISO 639-1)
- Units (metric, imperial)
- Timezone (IANA)
- Accessibility needs
 - screen reader
 - large text
 - dyslexia-friendly font
 - color-blind safe palette
 - captions
- Consents
 - marketing emails
 - data processing
 - device data sharing
 - clinical use participation
- Notifications
 - channels: push, email, SMS
 - frequency: realtime, daily, weekly

2) Demographics & Anthropometrics

- Birth date
- Sex at birth (female, male, intersex, prefer not to say)
- Gender identity
- Height (cm/in)
- Weight (kg/lb)
- Body fat %
- Waist circumference
- Hip circumference

- Life stage (infant, toddler, child, adolescent, adult, older adult)
- Pregnancy status (not pregnant, pregnant, postpartum)
- Pregnancy trimester (1, 2, 3)
- Lactation status

3) Clinical Conditions

Metabolic

- type 1 diabetes
- type 2 diabetes
- prediabetes
- metabolic syndrome
- PCOS

Cardiovascular

- hypertension
- hyperlipidemia
- coronary artery disease
- heart failure

Renal

- CKD stage 1
- CKD stage 2
- CKD stage 3
- CKD stage 4
- CKD stage 5
- nephrotic syndrome

Gastrointestinal

- celiac disease
- Crohn's disease
- ulcerative colitis
- IBS
- GERD
- pancreatitis

Hepatic

- NAFLD
- NASH
- hepatitis A
- hepatitis B
- hepatitis C
- cirrhosis

Respiratory

- asthma
- COPD
- sleep apnea

Endocrine

- hypothyroidism
- hyperthyroidism
- adrenal insufficiency

Neurologic

- epilepsy
- migraine

Allergy/Immunology

- anaphylaxis history
- Oncology
 - active treatment

Bone & Joint

- osteoporosis
- osteoarthritis
- gout

Eating disorders (active)

- anorexia nervosa
- bulimia nervosa
- binge eating disorder

Pregnancy risk flags

- gestational diabetes
- preeclampsia
- hyperemesis gravidarum

4) Medications

Anticoagulants

- warfarin
- apixaban
- rivaroxaban

Antiplatelets

- clopidogrel
- aspirin ≥81 mg

Statins

atorvastatin

- simvastatin
- lovastatin

Antihypertensives

- ACE inhibitors
- ARBs
- beta-blockers
- calcium channel blockers
- diuretics

Antidiabetics

- insulin
- metformin
- GLP-1 RAs
- SGLT2 inhibitors
- sulfonylureas

Thyroid meds

- levothyroxine
- liothyronine

Anticonvulsants

- phenytoin
- carbamazepine

MAO inhibitors

- phenelzine
- tranylcypromine

Corticosteroids (systemic)

- prednisone
- dexamethasone

Immunosuppressants

- tacrolimus
- cyclosporine

Others requiring diet caution

- lithium
- methotrexate
- digoxin

OTC supplements

- vitamin A
- vitamin D
- iron
- calcium

- fish oil
- St. John's wort
- ginkgo

5) Allergens & Intolerances

- Major allergens (Big 9)
 - peanuts
 - tree nuts
 - milk
 - egg
 - fish
 - crustacean shellfish
 - wheat
 - soy
 - sesame
- Other allergens
 - sulfites
 - celery
 - mustard
 - lupin
 - mollusks
- Intolerances
 - lactose
 - fructose
 - histamine
 - FODMAP sensitivity
 - caffeine sensitivity

6) Dietary Patterns & Restrictions

- General
 - omnivore
 - flexitarian
 - vegetarian-lacto-ovo
 - vegetarian-lacto
 - vegetarian-ovo
 - pescatarian
 - vegan

Medical/restricted

- gluten-free
- low-FODMAP
- renal-friendly
- diabetic-friendly
- low-purine
- low-oxalate

Religious/cultural

- kosher
- halal
- Jain
- Buddhist vegetarian

Metabolic goals

- ketogenic
- low-carb
- low-fat
- Mediterranean
- none

Sodium pattern

- DASH
- low-sodium
- none

Alcohol policy

- allowed
- restricted
- disallowed

7) Nutrition Targets

- Energy (kcal/day)
- Macronutrients
 - protein g/day (min per meal; max/day CKD)
 - carbohydrates g/day (max sugars; net carbs)
 - fat g/day
 - saturated fat g/day
- Fiber g/day
- Sodium mg/day; max mg/recipe
- Potassium mg/day (CKD)
- Phosphorus mg/day (CKD)

Micronutrients (per day)

- Vitamin A (RAE μg), Vitamin D (IU/μg), Vitamin E (mg), Vitamin K (μg), Vitamin C (mg)
- Thiamin (mg), Riboflavin (mg), Niacin (mg), Vitamin B6 (mg), Folate (μg DFE), Vitamin B12 (μg)
- Calcium (mg), Iron (mg), Magnesium (mg), Zinc (mg), Iodine (μg), Selenium (μg), Copper (mg), Manganese (mg)

8) Taste, Ingredients & Culinary Preferences

Disliked flavors

- bitter
- sour
- spicy
- sweet

Spice tolerance

- none
- mild
- medium
- hot

Cuisine preferences

- American (Southern, New England, Tex-Mex)
- Mexican (Yucatán, Oaxacan, Northern)
- Caribbean (Puerto Rican, Cuban, Dominican, Jamaican)
- Central American (Guatemalan, Salvadoran)
- South American (Peruvian, Brazilian, Argentinian, Colombian)
- European (Italian, French, Spanish, Portuguese, Greek, Turkish, German, Nordic, Eastern European)
- Middle Eastern (Levantine, Persian, Gulf)
- South Asian (North Indian, South Indian, Pakistani, Bangladeshi, Sri Lankan)
- Southeast Asian (Thai, Vietnamese, Filipino, Indonesian, Malaysian, Singaporean)
- East Asian (Chinese regional, Japanese, Korean, Taiwanese)
- African (Ethiopian, Moroccan, West African, South African)
- Oceanian (Australian, M■ori, Polynesian)

Preferred cooking methods

- bake
- roast
- grill
- sauté
- steam
- pressure-cook
- slow-cook
- sous-vide

air-fry raw

Avoided cooking methods

- bake
- roast
- grill
- sauté
- steam
- pressure-cook
- slow-cook
- sous-vide
- air-fry
- raw
- Ingredient must-include list (array)
- Ingredient must-exclude list (array)

Sweeteners allowed

- table sugar
- honey
- maple syrup
- agave
- stevia
- sucralose
- aspartame

Fat sources preference

- olive oil
- butter
- ghee
- avocado oil
- canola oil
- coconut oil

9) Meal Logistics & Household

- Meals per day (1-6)
- Meal timing windows (start-end times)
- Fasting window (start-end, days per week)
- **Snack policy**
 - allowed/disallowed; max per day
- Household size

- Portions per meal
 - adult, child, toddler counts
- Leftovers policy
 - allow leftovers yes/no; reuse days
- Meal prep time per meal
 - 5-10, 10-20, 20-40, 40-60, >60 minutes
- Cooking skill
 - beginner, intermediate, advanced
- Kitchen equipment
 - stovetop, oven, microwave, blender, food processor, Instant Pot, air fryer, grill, sous-vide, stand mixer, toaster, bread maker, waffle iron
- Food storage capacity
 - fridge size (small/medium/large); freezer yes/no; pantry size (small/medium/large)

10) Budget, Stores & Inventory

- Budget per day (USD), Budget per week (USD)
- Cost preference
 - value-focused, balanced, premium/organic
- Primary store
 - Costco, BJ's, Sam's Club, Walmart, Whole Foods, Amazon Fresh, Trader Joe's, Target, Kroger, Safeway, Harris Teeter, Publix, H■E■B
- Delivery services linked
 - Instacart, Amazon Fresh, Walmart Delivery, DoorDash (grocery), Uber Eats (grocery)
- Store location (ZIP or store ID)
- In-app inventory sources enabled (per-store toggles)
- Pantry/Fridge/Freezer inventory fields
 - item name, quantity, unit, expiration date, lot if known
- Cross-contamination sensitivity
 - none, avoid shared equipment, strict segregation
- Packaging preferences
 - plastic-free priority, recyclable only, bulk sizes allowed

11) Geography, Seasonality & Sustainability

- Country (ISO 3166-1 alpha-2), Region/State, City
- Seasonality preference
 - in-season priority: high, medium, low
- Sustainability focus
 - low-carbon priority: high, medium, low

- Organic preference
 - always, sometimes, never
- Local sourcing radius (km/mi)

12) Fitness & Physical Ability

- Primary fitness goals
 - weight loss, muscle gain, endurance, mobility, general health, sport-specific
- Activity baseline
 - sedentary, lightly active, moderately active, very active, athlete
- Available equipment
 - bodyweight, dumbbells, kettlebells, barbell, rack, cable machine, resistance bands, rowing machine, treadmill, bike, elliptical, yoga mat, plyo box
- Training modalities
 - strength, hypertrophy, HIIT, LISS cardio, mobility, yoga, Pilates, sport drills
- Session duration
 - 10-20, 20-30, 30-45, 45-60, 60-90 minutes
- Sessions per week (1–14)
- Schedule constraints
 - days available; times per day
- Injuries/limitations
 - knee, hip, shoulder, wrist, elbow, lower back, neck, ankle; notes
- Contraindications
 - pregnancy supine after 20 weeks, uncontrolled hypertension, unstable angina, recent surgery, acute illness
- Readiness markers (optional)
 - RPE baseline, HRV available yes/no
- Performance baselines (optional)
 - VO■max, Resting HR
 - 1RM/est 1RM: squat, bench, deadlift, press
 - Pace: 1 mile/5k/10k
 - Mobility screens (notes)

13) Sensors & Device Integrations (optional)

- Connected platforms
 - Apple Health, Google Fit, Garmin Connect, Fitbit, Oura, WHOOP, Dexcom, Libre
- Data ingested
 - steps, HR, HRV, sleep duration, sleep stages, calories out, CGM glucose, weight log
- Sync frequency
 - realtime, hourly, daily

14) Food Safety & Compliance Controls

- Raw/undercooked foods allowed
 - sushi, rare beef, runny eggs (policy by life stage/pregnancy)
- Pasteurization requirement (milk/juice must be pasteurized)
- High-mercury fish exclusion (swordfish, shark, king mackerel, tilefish)
- Food recall subscription (enable recall checks)
- Expiration tolerance (no expired items; near-expiry allowed within N days)
- Max fridge storage days by category
 - poultry, beef, fish, leftovers
- Minimum cook temperatures (°C)
 - poultry 74, ground beef 71, fish 63

15) Labeling, Sourcing & Ethics

- Certifications required
 - USDA Organic, Non-GMO Project Verified, Certified Kosher, Certified Halal, Certified Gluten-Free
- Animal welfare preference
 - free-range, pasture-raised, cage-free
- Fair trade priority
 - high, medium, low

16) Personalization & Content

- Brand voice preference
 - concise, coach-like, friendly, clinical
- Recipe format preferences
 - metric vs imperial
- Step detail
 - compact vs detailed
- Substitution policy
 - no substitutions, allergen-safe only, budget-driven, any allowed
- Content languages
 - ISO 639-1 list

17) App Features & E-commerce

- Auto-carting enabled (yes/no)
- Auto-reorder staples (yes/no; cadence: weekly, biweekly, monthly)
- Coupon/loyalty programs (store card IDs)

- Delivery windows (time ranges; blackout times)
- Stripe customer ID reference

18) Data Governance (internal toggles)

- Logging level
 - minimal, standard, verbose (PHI-safe)
- Anonymization for analytics (yes/no)
- Model personalization consent (fine-tune on my data: yes/no; default no)
- Data residency
 - US, EU

19) Pantry & Preference Memory

- Favorite recipes (IDs)
- Disliked recipes (IDs + reason)
- Saved meal plans (IDs + dates)
- Cookbook projects
 - title, scope, frozen date for 'cemented' eBook