DATA ANALYTICS

Public health awareness campaign analysis

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Problem statement:

"Analyze data from public health awareness compaigns to measure their effectiveness in reaching the target audience and increasing awareness"

MOTIVATION:

At the beginning of every year, I pledge to contribute to 3 social issues that I deeply care about to give back to the community. In January 2020, I committed to spend time on learning about and sensitizing my network of people about **Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing**.

People entering or already working in the tech industry are leading increasingly stressful lives and working in highly competitive environments. With this lifestyle, self-care and mental well-being often takes a backseat until it becomes a major health issue.

Hence, I strongly feel mental health issues are a growing concern in our community and spreading awareness this topic is a pressing need in the current times. This research will help me in supplementing my posts on social media forums with scientific research and data-driven insights.

DATA SOURCE:

Dataset Link: https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/osmi/mental-health-in-tech-survey

Visualization and Insights:

- Visualize the analyzed data using charts, graphs, and interactive dashboards to communicate key insights effectively.
 - Identify trends, patterns, and correlations within the data to generate actionable insights.
 - Utilize IBM tools like Cognos Analytics or Tableau for data visualization.

METHODOLOGY & FINDINGS:

Code:

import pandas as pd import numpy as np import seaborn as sns import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import plotly.express as px

DATA QUALITY ASSESSMENT:

This section contains preliminary analysis to understand data structure, survey questions, responses and overall quality of the data.

Code:

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survey_df = pd.read_csv('../1-
Data/OSMI_2019_MentalHealth_in_Tech_Survey_Results.csv')
total_participants = survey_df.shape[0]
print("Total Participants in 2019: ", total_participants)
display(survey_df.head(3))
```

1) Support for Mental Health in Tech

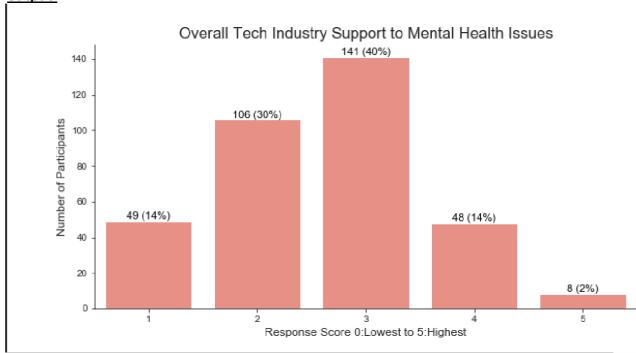
Implications

Overall perception of support for mental health in tech is **not adequate**

Code:

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sns.set style("ticks")
ax1 = sns.countplot(x="Tech Industry Support to Mental Health Issues",
data=industry support mh,
           color = 'salmon', saturation = 0.7)
sns.despine()
plt.title('Overall Tech Industry Support to Mental Health Issues', size = 16)
plt.xlabel('Response Score 0:Lowest to 5:Highest', size = 12)
plt.ylabel('Number of Participants', size = 12)
total = float(len(industry_support_mh))
for p in ax1.patches:
  height = p.get_height()
  ax1.text(p.get_x()+p.get_width()/2.,
       height + 1,
      '{:1.0f}'.format(height) + ' (' + '{:1.0f}'.format(100*(height/total)) + '%' + ')',
      ha="center", size=11, color = 'black')
plt.savefig("../3-Outputs/1-Support_Tech_Mental_Health.png")
plt.show()
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2) Mental Health Issues Experienced

Implications

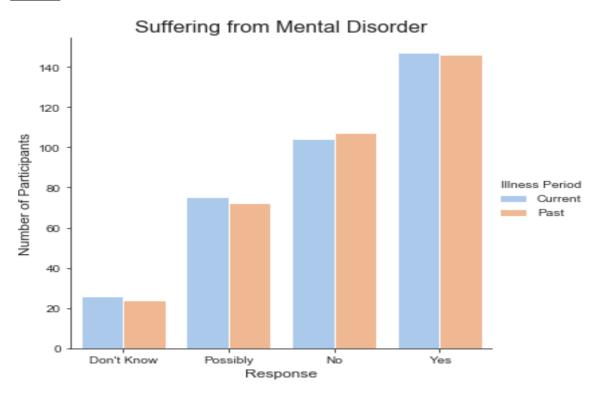
More participation from employees who have faced a mental health issue/unsure could lead to **bias in data.**

Only 30% respondents confidently claim no mental health issues - **alarmingly high number of affected employees.**

Code:

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suffered = pd.DataFrame(survey df.filter(items=[ 'Do you *currently* have a mental health
disorder?',
                         'Have you had a mental health disorder in the past?' ]))
suffered = suffered.rename(columns= {'Do you *currently* have a mental health disorder?':
'Currently',
                         'Have you had a mental health disorder in the past?': 'Past'})
suffered current = pd.DataFrame(suffered[['Currently']])
suffered current['Illness Period'] = 'Current'
suffered_current = suffered_current.rename(columns= {'Currently': 'Response'})
suffered past = pd.DataFrame(suffered[['Past']])
suffered past['Illness Period'] = 'Past'
suffered past = suffered past.rename(columns= {'Past': 'Response'})
suffered_all = suffered_current.append(suffered_past)
suffered all['Participants'] = 1
suffered table = pd.pivot table(suffered all, values='Participants', index=['Response'],
           columns=['Illness Period'], aggfunc=np.sum, fill value=0)
display(suffered_table)
g = sns.catplot(x="Response", hue="Illness Period", data=suffered all, kind="count", palette
= "pastel");
sns.set_style("ticks")
sns.despine()
plt.title('Suffering from Mental Disorder', size = 16)
plt.xlabel('Response', size = 12)
plt.ylabel('Number of Participants', size = 12)
plt.savefig("../3-Outputs/2-Experienced MentalHealthIssues.png")
plt.show()
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output:



3) Medical Healthcare & Help Resources

coverage = pd.DataFrame(survey_df["Does your employer provide mental health benefits as part of healthcare coverage?"])

coverage['Participants'] = 1

coverage = coverage.rename(columns= {"Does your employer provide mental health benefits as part of healthcare coverage?":

"Coverage"})

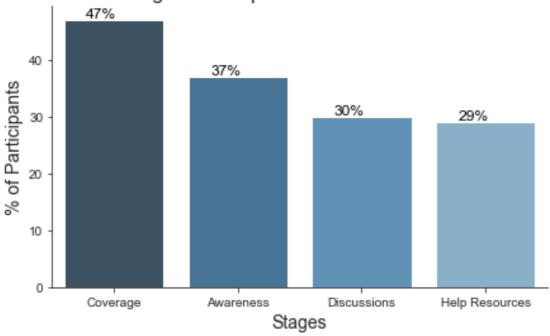
awareness = pd.DataFrame(survey_df["Do you know the options for mental health care available under your employer-provided health coverage?"])

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awareness['Participants'] = 1
awareness = awareness.rename(columns=
                    {"Do you know the options for mental health care available under your
employer-provided health coverage?":
                     "Awareness"})
discussions = pd.DataFrame(survey_df["Has your employer ever formally discussed mental
health (for example, as part of a wellness campaign or other official communication)?"])
discussions['Participants'] = 1
discussions = discussions.rename(columns=
                    {"Has your employer ever formally discussed mental health (for
example, as part of a wellness campaign or other official communication)?":
resources = pd.DataFrame(survey df["Does your employer offer resources to learn more
about mental health disorders and options for seeking help?"])
resources['Participants'] = 1
resources = resources.rename(columns=
                    {"Does your employer offer resources to learn more about mental
health disorders and options for seeking help?":
                     "Resources"})
coverage = coverage.groupby(['Coverage']).Participants.agg('sum').to_frame('Participants
Count').reset index()
awareness =
awareness.groupby(['Awareness']).Participants.agg('sum').to_frame('Participants
Count').reset index()
discussions =
discussions.groupby(['Discussions']).Participants.agg('sum').to frame('Participants
Count').reset index()
resources = resources.groupby(['Resources']).Participants.agg('sum').to frame('Participants
Count').reset_index()
coverage = coverage[coverage['Coverage'] == 'Yes']
coverage = coverage.rename(columns= {"Coverage" : "Response"})
coverage['Stage'] = "Coverage"
awareness = awareness[awareness['Awareness'] == 'Yes']
awareness = awareness.rename(columns= {"Awareness" : "Response"})
awareness['Stage'] = "Awareness"
discussions = discussions[discussions['Discussions'] == 'Yes']
discussions = discussions.rename(columns= {"Discussions" : "Response"})
discussions['Stage'] = "Discussions"
resources = resources[resources['Resources'] == 'Yes']
resources = resources.rename(columns= {"Resources" : "Response"})
resources['Stage'] = "Help Resources"
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all stages = coverage.append(awareness)
all stages = all stages.append(discussions)
all_stages = all_stages.append(resources)
all stages['Total Participants'] = survey df.shape[0]
all_stages['% Participants'] = round(100 * all_stages['Participants Count']/all_stages['Total
Participants'],0)
all_stages = all_stages[['Stage', 'Response', 'Participants Count', 'Total Participants', '%
Participants']]
display(all stages)
data = dict(
  Participants=all stages['Participants Count'],
  Stage=all stages['Stage'])
fig = px.funnel(data, x='Participants', y='Stage', width=800, height=500)
fig.write_image("../3-Outputs/3-Medical_HelpResources_Mental_Health_Funnel.png")
fig.show()
plt.figure(figsize=(7,4))
graph = sns.barplot(x="Stage", y="% Participants", data=all stages, palette="Blues d",
saturation = 0.7)
sns.set style("ticks")
sns.despine()
plt.title('Medical Coverage and Help Resources for Mental Health Issues', size = 16)
plt.xlabel('Stages', size = 14)
plt.ylabel('% of Participants', size = 14)
for p in graph.patches:
    graph.annotate('{:.0f}'.format(p.get_height()) + '%', (p.get_x()+0.3, p.get_height()),
           ha='center', va='bottom',
           color= 'black', size = 12)
plt.savefig("../3-Outputs/3-Medical_HelpResources_Mental_Health.png")
 plt.show()
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Output:

Medical Coverage and Help Resources for Mental Health Issues



4)Importance for Physical & Mental Health Implications

Employers **do not give enough importance** to mental health compared to physical health

Code:

physical_importance = physical_importance.groupby(['Importance Level', 'Health Type']).Participants.agg('sum').to_frame('Participants Count').reset_index()

mental_importance = pd.DataFrame(survey_df["Overall, how much importance does your employer place on mental health?"])
mental_importance['Participants'] = 1
mental_importance['Health Type'] = 'Mental'

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mental_importance = mental_importance.rename(columns= {"Overall, how much importance does your employer place on mental health?":

"Importance Level"})
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mental_importance = mental_importance.groupby(['Importance Level', 'Health Type']).Participants.agg('sum').to_frame('Participants Count').reset_index()

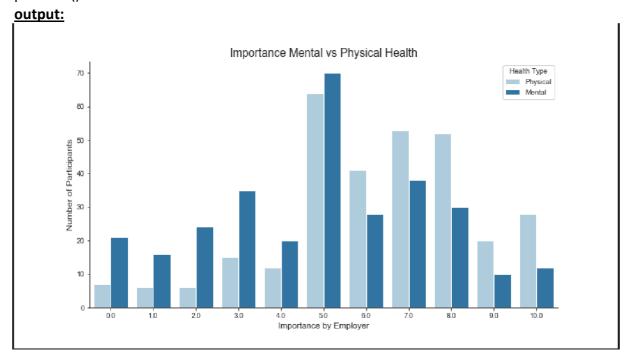
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importance = physical_importance.append(mental_importance)
compare_importance = pd.merge(physical_importance, mental_importance, how='outer',
on=['Importance Level'])
compare_importance = compare_importance.rename(columns= {'Participants Count_x':
'Physical Health', 'Participants Count_y': 'Mental Health'})
display(compare_importance[['Importance Level', 'Physical Health', 'Mental Health']])
plt.figure(figsize=(12,6))
sns.set_style("ticks")
ax = sns.barplot(x="Importance Level", y="Participants Count", hue="Health Type",
data=importance, palette = "Paired")
sns.despine()
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plt.title('Importance Mental vs Physical Health', size = 16) plt.xlabel('Importance by Employer', size = 12)

plt.ylabel('Number of Participants', size = 12)

plt.savefig("../3-Outputs/4-Physical_vs_Mental_Health.png")

plt.show()



5)Leave Policy for Mental Health Issues Implications

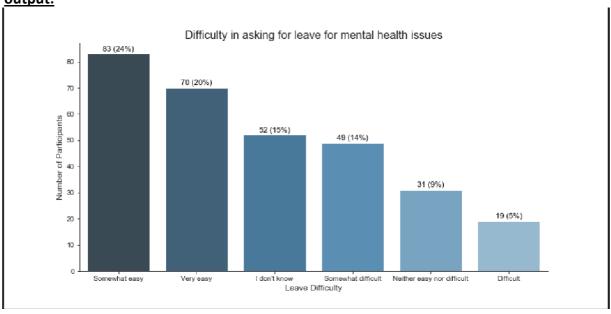
Leave policies around mental health issues **may be in favor of the employees** at many workplaces but employers may want to take **more effort** to improve and create awareness among employees.

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Code:
leave = pd.DataFrame(survey df["If a mental health issue prompted you to request a
medical leave from work, how easy or difficult would it be to ask for that leave?"])
leave['Participants'] = 1
leave = leave.rename(columns= {"If a mental health issue prompted you to request a
medical leave from work, how easy or difficult would it be to ask for that leave?":
                     "Leave Difficulty"})
leave = leave.groupby(['Leave Difficulty']).Participants.agg('sum').to frame('Participants
Count').reset index()
leave['% Participants'] = round(100 * leave['Participants Count']/total participants,0)
display(leave)
plt.figure(figsize=(12,6))
sns.set_style("ticks")
ax1 = sns.countplot(x="If a mental health issue prompted you to request a medical leave
from work, how easy or difficult would it be to ask for that leave?",
           data=survey df,
           palette="Blues d", saturation = 0.7,
           order = survey_df['If a mental health issue prompted you to request a medical
leave from work, how easy or difficult would it be to ask for that
leave?'].value counts().index)
sns.despine()
plt.title('Difficulty in asking for leave for mental health issues', size = 16)
plt.xlabel('Leave Difficulty', size = 12)
plt.ylabel('Number of Participants', size = 12)
total = total_participants
for p in ax1.patches:
  height = p.get height()
  ax1.text(p.get_x()+p.get_width()/2.,
       height + 1,
       '{:1.0f}'.format(height) + ' (' + '{:1.0f}'.format(100*(height/total)) + '%' + ')',
      ha="center", size=11, color = 'black')
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plt.savefig("../3-Outputs/5-LeavePolicy Mental Health.png")

plt.show()

output:



CONCLUSION

The above exploration validates the initial hypothesis of growing concerns regarding mental health issues in the tech industry. The findings and insights of this research are limited to the participants who responded to the survey and may not be a generalization of the entire tech industry and workplaces.

However, based on this ethnographic study, we observe that a majority of the participants (84%) feel that the support to mental health in workplaces in tech is not adequate. A large majority (70%) of employees have experienced mental disorders to some extent in the past or at present. While many participants shared that the importance to physical health by their employers was high, the relative importance to mental health has been much lower.

The leave policies seem to be in favor of employees, but employers may to take more efforts to make employees aware and comfortable of seeking time off for mental wellbeing. A large number of participants (50%) do not have medical healthcare coverage and benefits for mental health issues. A vast majority (70%) do not have access to open discussions and resources to learn more about mental health issues.