

# Pet Care Veterinary Clinic Management System

## Project Title: Pet Care Veterinary Clinic Management System.

## Database: PetCareDB

Git-hub link: <https://github.com/Sha-bab/Pet-Care-Veterinary-Clinic-DBM/blob/main/PetCareDB.sql>

## Project Overview:

The PetCareDB project is a relational database system designed to manage operations of a pet care and veterinary clinic. It stores and manages information related to customers, pets, veterinarians, appointments, medical records, orders, products, services, employees, and payments. The goal of this project is to ensure efficient data storage, reduce redundancy, and maintain data integrity.

### **Project ER-D (*Indented*):**

The initial idea about the tables and the attributes of each table and relationship between the tables to build the database.

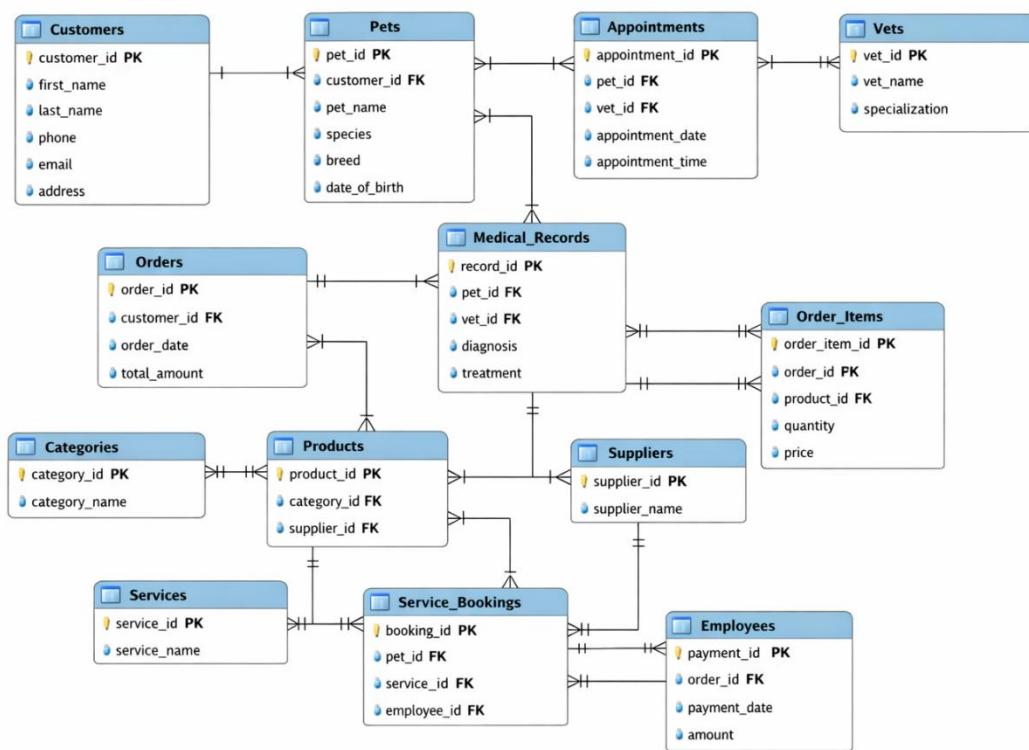


Fig: Draft for tables and their connection

## Table Creation:

By following the ER D creating all the tables and establishing the connection between all of them.

### 1 Database Creation

```
CREATE DATABASE PetCareDB;  
USE PetCareDB;
```

- ◆ What it does
    - Creates a database named PetCareDB
    - Selects it so all tables are created inside it
  - ◆ Why needed
    - Keeps your pet care system separate and organized
    - Avoids mixing tables with other projects
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### 2 Customers Table

```
• CREATE TABLE Customers (  
    customer_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
    first_name VARCHAR(50),  
    last_name VARCHAR(50),  
    phone VARCHAR(20),  
    email VARCHAR(100),  
    address VARCHAR(255)  
)
```

- ◆ What it stores  
Information about pet owners
  - ◆ Key points
    - customer\_id → Primary Key (PK) (unique customer)
    - AUTO\_INCREMENT → MySQL generates ID automatically
  - ◆ Real-life meaning
    - 👉 One customer can own multiple pets and place multiple orders
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### 3 Pets Table

```

• CREATE TABLE Pets (
    pet_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    customer_id INT,
    pet_name VARCHAR(50),
    species VARCHAR(50),
    breed VARCHAR(50),
    date_of_birth DATE,
    FOREIGN KEY (customer_id) REFERENCES Customers(customer_id)
);

```

- ◆ What it stores

Details of each pet

- ◆ Relationship

- customer\_id → Foreign Key (FK)
- Links Pets → Customers

- ◆ Relationship type

👉 One Customer → Many Pets

- ◆ Example

Customer John owns 2 dogs → both pets reference the same customer\_id

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#### 4 Vets Table

```

• CREATE TABLE Vets (
    vet_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    vet_name VARCHAR(100),
    specialization VARCHAR(100)
);

```

- ◆ What it stores

Information about veterinarians

- ◆ Usage

- Used in Appointments
- Used in Medical\_Records

- ◆ Example

Dr. Smith – Surgery

Dr. Lee – Dermatology

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#### 5 Appointments Table

```

• CREATE TABLE Appointments (
    appointment_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    pet_id INT,
    vet_id INT,
    appointment_date DATE,
    appointment_time TIME,
    FOREIGN KEY (pet_id) REFERENCES Pets(pet_id),
    FOREIGN KEY (vet_id) REFERENCES Vets(vet_id)
);

```

- ◆ What it stores

Scheduled vet visits

- ◆ Relationships
    - pet\_id → which pet
    - vet\_id → which vet
  - ◆ Relationship type
    - One pet → many appointments
    - One vet → many appointments
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## 6 Medical\_Records Table

```

• CREATE TABLE Medical_Records (
    record_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    pet_id INT,
    vet_id INT,
    diagnosis TEXT,
    treatment TEXT,
    FOREIGN KEY (pet_id) REFERENCES Pets(pet_id),
    FOREIGN KEY (vet_id) REFERENCES Vets(vet_id)
);

```

- ◆ What it stores

Medical history of pets

- ◆ Why separate from Appointments?
  - Appointments = schedule
  - Medical records = actual treatment & diagnosis
- ◆ Example

Pet: Bruno

Diagnosis: Ear infection

Treatment: Antibiotics

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## 7 Orders Table

```
CREATE TABLE Orders (
    order_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    customer_id INT,
    order_date DATE,
    total_amount DECIMAL(10,2),
    FOREIGN KEY (customer_id) REFERENCES Customers(customer_id)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores

Each purchase made by customers

- ◆ Relationship

👉 One customer → many orders

- ◆ Example

Customer buys pet food + shampoo

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## 8 Categories Table

```
CREATE TABLE Categories (
    category_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    category_name VARCHAR(100)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores

Groups of products

- ◆ Example

- Food
  - Medicine
  - Accessories
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## 9 Suppliers Table

```
CREATE TABLE Suppliers (
    supplier_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    supplier_name VARCHAR(100)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores

Companies that supply products

- ◆ Example

Royal Canin

Pedigree

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## 10 Products Table

```
CREATE TABLE Products (
    product_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    category_id INT,
    supplier_id INT,
    FOREIGN KEY (category_id) REFERENCES Categories(category_id),
    FOREIGN KEY (supplier_id) REFERENCES Suppliers(supplier_id)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores  
Actual items sold
  - ◆ Relationships
    - Product → Category
    - Product → Supplier
  - ◆ Relationship type
    - One category → many products
    - One supplier → many products
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## 1 1 Order\_Items Table

```
CREATE TABLE Order_Items (
    order_item_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    order_id INT,
    product_id INT,
    quantity INT,
    price DECIMAL(10,2),
    FOREIGN KEY (order_id) REFERENCES Orders(order_id),
    FOREIGN KEY (product_id) REFERENCES Products(product_id)
);
```

- ◆ Why this table?  
Orders & Products have a many-to-many relationship
  - ◆ What it does
    - 👉 Breaks an order into individual items
  - ◆ Example  
Order #5
    - Dog food ×2
    - Shampoo ×1
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## 1 2 Employees Table

```
CREATE TABLE Employees (
    employee_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    employee_name VARCHAR(100)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores  
Staff who perform services
  - ◆ Used in
    - Service bookings
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## 1 3 Services Table

```
CREATE TABLE Services (
    service_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    service_name VARCHAR(100)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores  
Non-product services
  - ◆ Example
    - Grooming
    - Vaccination
    - Training
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## 1 4 Service\_Bookings Table

```
CREATE TABLE Service_Bookings (
    booking_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    pet_id INT,
    service_id INT,
    employee_id INT,
    FOREIGN KEY (pet_id) REFERENCES Pets(pet_id),
    FOREIGN KEY (service_id) REFERENCES Services(service_id),
    FOREIGN KEY (employee_id) REFERENCES Employees(employee_id)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores  
Which pet received which service, and who provided it
- ◆ Relationship

👉 Pet → Service → Employee

## 1 5 Payments Table

```
CREATE TABLE Payments (
    payment_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
    order_id INT,
    payment_date DATE,
    amount DECIMAL(10,2),
    FOREIGN KEY (order_id) REFERENCES Orders(order_id)
);
```

- ◆ What it stores

Payment details for orders

- ◆ Why separate table?
  - Supports multiple payments per order
  - Easier for accounting

## The relationships among tables:

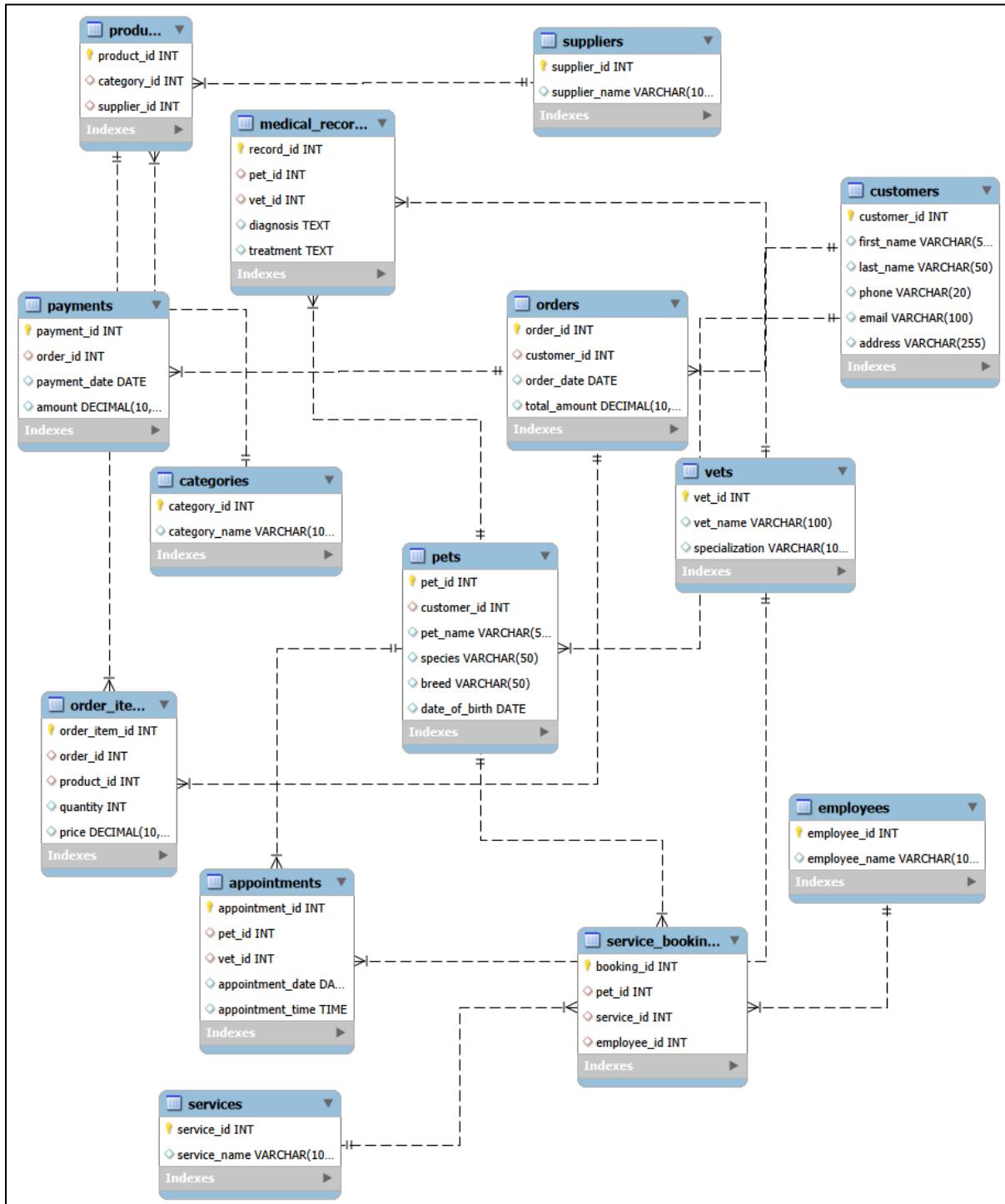
No.	Parent Table	Child Table	Type	Relationship Description
1	Customers	Pets	1:M	One customer can own multiple pets, but each pet belongs to only one customer.
2	Customers	Orders	1:M	A customer can place multiple orders, while each order is placed by a single customer.
3	Pets	Appointments	1:M	A pet can have many appointments, but each appointment is scheduled for one pet.
4	Vets	Appointments	1:M	A veterinarian can attend multiple appointments, but each appointment is handled by one vet.
5	Pets	Medical_Records	1:M	A pet can have multiple medical records, each recording diagnosis and treatment details.
6	Vets	Medical_Records	1:M	A veterinarian can create many medical records, but each record is created by one vet.
7	Orders	Order_Items	1:M	An order can contain multiple order items, but each order item belongs to one order.
8	Products	Order_Items	1:M	A product can appear in multiple order items, but each order item refers to one product.
9	Categories	Products	1:M	A category can include multiple products, while each product belongs to one category.
10	Suppliers	Products	1:M	A supplier can supply multiple products, but each product is supplied by one supplier.
11	Pets	Service_Bookings	1:M	A pet can have multiple service bookings, but each booking is for one pet.
12	Services	Service_Bookings	1:M	A service can be booked multiple times, but each booking refers to one service.
13	Employees	Service_Bookings	1:M	An employee can handle multiple service bookings, but each booking is handled by one employee.
14	Orders	Payments	1:M	An order can have one or more payments, while each payment is linked to a single order.

Fig: Relationships Among Database Tables

## Generate ER Diagram in MySQL Workbench:

1. Go to the top menu → **Database** → **Reverse Engineer...**
2. **Select your database connection** → Click **Next**
3. Choose **PetCareDB** from the list of schemas → Click **Next**
4. Workbench will retrieve tables, views, and foreign keys → Click **Next**
5. Click **Next** again → Finish

## ER Diagram (*Practical*):



### **Normalization check:**

## **Step 1: First Normal Form (1NF)**

#### Requirements for 1NF:

1. Every table has a primary key.  Your tables do (e.g., customer\_id, pet\_id, order\_id).

2. All columns are atomic (no repeating groups or arrays).  All columns hold single values, e.g., first\_name, quantity, price.
  3. No duplicate rows.  Your inserts are unique.
- Conclusion: Your database is in 1NF.
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## Step 2: Second Normal Form (2NF)

Requirements for 2NF:

1. Must be in 1NF.  Already satisfied.
2. Every non-key column must be fully functionally dependent on the primary key (i.e., no partial dependency on part of a composite key).

Analysis:

- Most tables have single-column primary keys, so full dependency is naturally satisfied.
- Order\_Items has order\_item\_id as primary key (single column). Columns order\_id, product\_id, quantity, price all depend on order\_item\_id.  Correct.
- Pets table: customer\_id is foreign key, but each column depends on pet\_id.  Correct.

- Conclusion: Your database is in 2NF.
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## Step 3: Third Normal Form (3NF)

Requirements for 3NF:

1. Must be in 2NF.  Already satisfied.
2. No transitive dependencies: non-key columns cannot depend on another non-key column.

Check for transitive dependencies:

- Customers table: phone, email, address depend directly on customer\_id, not on first\_name or last\_name.  OK
- Pets table: pet\_name, species, breed, date\_of\_birth depend on pet\_id (not on customer\_id).  OK
- Orders table: customer\_id is foreign key; order\_date and total\_amount depend on order\_id.  OK
- Order\_Items: quantity and price depend on order\_item\_id.  OK

## Literature Review

Database Management Systems (DBMS) are essential for efficiently storing, managing, and retrieving structured data. Elmasri and Navathe (2016) explain that relational database design represents real-world entities as tables and uses primary and foreign keys to maintain data integrity. This approach forms the basis of the PetCareDB project, where entities such as customers, pets, veterinarians, and orders are organized in a relational structure.

Normalization is a fundamental concept in database design. According to Date (2004), normalization reduces data redundancy and prevents data anomalies. In this project, normalization up to the Third Normal Form (3NF) is applied to ensure efficient data organization and maintainability.

MySQL is a widely used open-source relational database system that supports SQL, foreign key constraints, and indexing (Oracle, 2023). PetCareDB utilizes MySQL and MySQL Workbench to implement relational constraints and generate ER diagrams for validating database relationships.

Overall, existing literature supports the use of relational databases and ER modeling for service-based systems such as veterinary clinics. The design of PetCareDB aligns with these established principles, ensuring reliability, scalability, and data integrity.

### Testing queries:

```
-- Show all pets with their owners
SELECT Pets.pet_name, Customers.first_name, Customers.last_name
FROM Pets
JOIN Customers ON Pets.customer_id = Customers.customer_id;

-- Show appointments with vets
SELECT Appointments.appointment_date, Appointments.appointment_time, Pets.pet_name, Vets.vet_name
FROM Appointments
JOIN Pets ON Appointments.pet_id = Pets.pet_id
JOIN Vets ON Appointments.vet_id = Vets.vet_id;
```

### Technology required:

1. **DBMS:** MySQL (Community Edition) – to create and manage the database.
2. **Database Client/IDE:** MySQL Workbench – for writing SQL scripts and visualizing ER diagrams.
3. **Programming Environment (Optional):** Python, Java, C#, or PHP – to connect and interact with the database.
4. **Tools:** Text editor (VS Code, Notepad++) and Excel/Google Sheets for sample data.
5. **System Requirements:** Modern OS (Windows/Linux/macOS), 4 GB RAM, 1 GB free disk space.

### Setup the database on local:

#### Step 1: Clone the Repository

Open Command Prompt / Terminal and run:

```
git clone <https://github.com/Sha-bab/Pet-Care-Veterinary-Clinic-DBM/blob/main/PetCareDB.sql>
```

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#### Step 2: Open MySQL Workbench

1. Launch MySQL
  2. Workbench.
  3. Connect to your local MySQL server.
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### **Step 3: Open SQL Script**

1. In Workbench, go to File → Open SQL Script.
  2. Select the .sql file you cloned from Git (usually PetCareDB.sql).
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### **Step 4: Run the Script**

1. Click the “Execute” (  ) button to run the script.
2. This will:
  - o Create the PetCareDB database
  - o Create all tables
  - o Insert sample data

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