## 1. Purpose and Objective

To create a smart Al Nutrition Assistant that:

- Understands users via text, voice, or image
- Generates personalized meal plans
- Explains **nutritional choices** contextually
- Adapts to **feedback** and changing user needs

## 2. Input Modalities Supported

- Text: Natural language prompts or questions
- Voice: Spoken queries about food, nutrition, etc.
- Image: Grocery labels, food plates, packaging

## **9** 3. Key Features

- Personalized meal plans based on:
  - o Health goals (e.g., weight loss, muscle gain)
  - Medical conditions (e.g., diabetes, heart issues)
  - Fitness routines
  - Cultural & food preferences
  - Allergies & restrictions
- Al-powered food comparisons (e.g., "Why is brown rice better than white rice?")
- Smart food swaps
- Ongoing learning from user feedback

## 4. Health & Medical Considerations

- Diabetic-friendly recommendations
- Heart-healthy meal planning
- Low-sodium diets for hypertension
- Avoiding allergens like nuts, dairy, gluten

#### **5.** Technical Architecture (for embedding engine)

• Vectorization of this document into embeddings

- Indexing in memory (or vector DB like Milvus, ChromaDB, Pinecone)
- Retrieval-augmented generation (RAG) model
- Feeding responses into a **Generative AI model** (e.g., LLM)

### 6. Food Data & Nutrition Sources

- USDA FoodData Central
- Indian Food Composition Tables (IFCT)
- NutritionX or Edamam APIs (optional)

#### 7. Personalization Parameters

- Age
- Gender
- Weight & height (BMI)
- Lifestyle: Active / Sedentary
- Preferred cuisines: Indian, Mediterranean, Vegan, etc.
- Allergies or intolerances

#### **8.** Adaptability & Feedback Loop

- Ask: "How did you feel after this meal plan?"
- Adapt future suggestions
- Track: Energy, sleep, satisfaction, performance

#### 9. Sample Queries Your AI Can Answer

- "Suggest a 1200-calorie Indian meal plan for weight loss."
- "Can I eat paneer if I have cholesterol issues?"
- "What's a good replacement for white sugar?"
- "Is this food (image of a packaged snack) good for me?"

### 10. Use of IBM Cloud & Watson Services

- IBM Watsonx.ai or IBM Watson Assistant for interaction
- Watson Studio for notebook/LLM customization

• IBM Cloud Object Storage for dataset/document storage

# 11. Final Notes

- This document must be **uploaded to the AI assistant's memory** for it to:
  - o Understand nutrition logic
  - o Fetch accurate answers
  - o Respond like a dietician/nutritionist