Project Name - OCD Patient Dataset: Demographics & Clinical Data Analysis

Project Type - Exploratory Data Analysis(EDA), Clinical Insights, Healthcare Data Mining

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OCD Patient Dataset - Demographics & Clinical Data Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder (OCD) is a chronic and often debilitating mental health condition marked by intrusive, unwanted thoughts (obsessions) and repetitive behaviors (compulsions). Affecting individuals across demographics, OCD can significantly impair daily functioning, social relationships, and overall quality of life. While its clinical manifestations are well-documented, understanding how demographic factors interact with clinical features remains a crucial area of study in psychiatric research and treatment optimization. The dataset at hand presents a curated collection of demographic and clinical data of patients diagnosed with OCD. This includes variables like age, gender, marital status, education level, and employment status, alongside clinical attributes such as symptom severity, comorbid conditions, treatment history, and medication response. By bridging demographic insights with clinical metrics, this dataset enables data-driven exploration of patterns that may influence diagnosis, symptom progression, and therapeutic efficacy. In recent years, machine learning and statistical modeling have gained traction in psychiatric research, allowing practitioners to detect hidden correlations, stratify patients based on risk factors, and even predict treatment outcomes. This dataset offers a rich opportunity to apply such techniques—be it classification models to categorize patients by symptom severity, or clustering methods to identify subgroups with shared clinical profiles. Moreover, the dataset supports investigation into socially-relevant questions: Does gender influence OCD symptom presentation? Are younger patients more likely to exhibit specific compulsions? How does education level relate to treatment adherence? Tackling such questions not only deepens clinical understanding but also helps tailor interventions that respect individual variability. Ultimately, this dataset serves as a valuable resource for mental health researchers, data scientists, and clinicians seeking to unravel the complex dynamics of OCD through the lens of both demographics and clinical presentation. It stands at

the intersection of psychology, medicine, and data science—empowering evidence-based insights that can shape personalized care and more inclusive mental health policies.

! Problem Statement:-

Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder (OCD) is a complex and multifaceted psychiatric condition characterized by persistent intrusive thoughts (obsessions) and repetitive behaviors (compulsions). The clinical impact of OCD varies considerably across individuals, influenced by a diverse array of demographic and psychosocial factors. While clinical symptoms and diagnostic criteria have been extensively studied, the underlying relationships between demographic variables—such as age, gender, marital status, education, and employment—and clinical outcomes like symptom severity, treatment history, and comorbid conditions remain less explored. This project aims to conduct a comprehensive Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) on a dataset comprising both demographic and clinical data of individuals diagnosed with OCD. Through systematic investigation, the analysis seeks to uncover hidden patterns, trends, and associations that may exist between patient backgrounds and their clinical experiences. The primary objective is to identify how demographic attributes may influence clinical features of OCD: Are certain symptoms more prevalent among specific age groups? Does gender correlate with treatment response or medication adherence? Can education or employment status predict symptom severity or recurrence risk? By leveraging descriptive statistics, correlation analyses, visualizations, and possibly dimensionality reduction techniques, this analysis will serve as a foundation for deeper modeling efforts in future studies, such as classification tasks or predictive modeling. Furthermore, the insights gained through EDA will contribute to a better understanding of OCD's heterogeneity and help identify socially-relevant disparities in diagnosis and treatment. It may assist clinicians, researchers, and policymakers in tailoring more personalized, inclusive, and effective intervention strategies based on patient profiles. In essence, this problem statement underscores the need for data-driven exploration of demographic-clinical interactions within OCD populations, setting the stage for informed, compassionate mental healthcare that bridges clinical science with lived realities.

Techniques & Tools Used to Solve the Problem:-

> The analysis of OCD patient data, comprising demographic and clinical variables, involves a structured sequence of techniques aimed at extracting insights, understanding variable interactions, and preparing the foundation for predictive modeling. These techniques span data preprocessing, exploratory analysis, visualization, and machine learning methods. To effectively analyze the OCD Patient Dataset containing demographic and clinical data, a combination of data science techniques and modern Python-based tools were utilized. These methodologies enabled thorough data preparation, insightful analysis, and robust predictive modeling.



Tools and Libraries Used:-

Pandas: For data cleaning, manipulation, filtering, and handling structured datasets.

NumPy: Numerical operations, array-based computations, and missing value handling support.

Scikit-learn: Encoding, scaling, model training, cross-validation, and evaluation metrics.

XGBoost / LightGBM: Advanced boosting algorithms for high-performance classification tasks.

Seaborn: Statistical data visualization, including heatmaps and distribution plots.

Matplotlib: Core plotting library used for creating custom charts and visual elements.

Jupyter Notebook: Interactive environment for writing code, visualizing results, and running experiments.



1. Data Preprocessing Techniques:

Before any meaningful analysis can be performed, raw data must be cleaned and standardized. Preprocessing is essential to ensure analytical accuracy and model reliability. a. Handling Missing Values Definition: Many datasets contain gaps in information due to non-response or entry errors. Technique: Missing values are treated using imputation methods such as mean, median, or mode replacement. In some cases, domain-specific logic or machine learning-based imputation (e.g., KNN imputer) may be utilized. b. Encoding Categorical Variables Definition: Categorical variables like gender, marital

> status, or education are in textual format and must be numeric for models to interpret. Technique: Label Encoding and One-Hot Encoding are applied based on the cardinality and model choice. One-Hot Encoding is used when the number of categories is manageable and avoids ordinal bias. c. Feature Scaling Definition: Variables like age, symptom severity, and medication duration can span different ranges and affect model convergence. Technique: StandardScaler or MinMaxScaler from sklearn.preprocessing is used to normalize feature values and ensure uniformity across models.

2. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA):

EDA forms the backbone of understanding dataset structure, relationships between variables, and identifying trends or anomalies. a. Univariate Analysis Definition: Analysis of a single feature to understand its distribution and frequency. Technique: Histograms, bar plots, and box plots are used to visualize the spread of numeric and categorical variables, respectively. b. Bivariate Analysis Definition: Investigation of pairwise relationships between variables. Technique: Scatter plots, grouped bar charts, and box plots are used to examine how demographic attributes influence clinical outcomes. Correlation matrices help highlight linear associations. c. Multivariate Analysis Definition: Simultaneous analysis of multiple variables to uncover complex patterns. Technique: Heatmaps, pair plots (sns.pairplot), and clustering previews help identify subgroups or variables with interconnected behavior.



3. Data Visualization Tools:

Visuals aid in intuitive understanding and presentation of findings. They translate raw data into stories. Matplotlib & Seaborn: These Python libraries generate publication-quality plots, including distribution charts, time-series graphs, and regression lines. Plotly: For interactive plots-ideal when exploring correlations or filtering subsets dynamically.

4. Statistical Testing & Correlation **Analysis:**

To validate findings, statistical rigor is applied. Pearson/Spearman Correlation: Measures linear/non-linear relationships between variables. Chi-Square Test: Assesses association between categorical variables (e.g., gender vs.

> treatment type). ANOVA / t-test: Used to compare means across demographic groups for clinical outcomes.



Sometimes raw data doesn't convey enough. Feature engineering creates new attributes to boost model performance. Interaction Features: Age × Symptom Severity, or Education × Medication Response. Binning: Age groups segmented into intervals (e.g., young adults, middle-aged, seniors). Derived Flags: E.g., binary flags for "Severe OCD," "Treatment Resistant," etc.

6. Modeling Techniques:

If the project scope includes predictive analysis, classification and ensemble models are deployed. a. Logistic Regression / Decision Trees Used for predicting binary outcomes such as treatment success. b. Random Forest / VotingClassifier Ensemble techniques help boost accuracy by combining results from multiple base learners. c. Feature Importance & Interpretation Identifying which features contribute most to model predictions using .feature_importances_ or SHAP values.

7. Interpretation & Insight Generation:

Finally, findings are consolidated into actionable insights. Segmentation: Patient clusters based on clinical-demographic similarities. Risk Profiles: Groups more susceptible to severe symptoms. Policy Recommendations: How demographic disparities impact treatment accessibility.

Github Link-

OCD Patient Dataset: Demographics & Clinical Data

Importing Libraries

```
In [3]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

Loading the dataset

```
In [ ]: df = pd.read_csv("ocd_data.csv")
```

Exploring first few rows of the dataset

```
In [ ]: print(df.head())
```

```
Patient ID Age Gender Ethnicity Marital Status Education Level
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                     Female
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0
         1018
                 32
                                                Single
                                                           Some College
1
         2406
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                               African
                                              Divorced
                                                           Some College
2
                                                        College Degree
         1188
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                       Male Hispanic
                                              Divorced
                                                        College Degree
3
         6200
                 27
                     Female
                             Hispanic
                                               Married
4
                     Female
                             Hispanic
                                               Married
                                                            High School
         5824
                 56
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DD
3
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SD
4
          2022-02-20
                                                   168
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SD
  Family History of OCD Obsession Type Compulsion Type
0
                           Harm-related
                      No
                                                 Checking
1
                     Yes
                           Harm-related
                                                  Washing
2
                      No
                          Contamination
                                                 Checking
3
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                                                  Washing
                     Yes
4
                     Yes
                                Hoarding
                                                 Ordering
   Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions) Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions) Depression
Diagnosis \
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No
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Yes
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4
                           39
No
  Anxiety Diagnosis
                         Medications
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                 Yes
1
                                 SSRI
                 Yes
2
                  No
                      Benzodiazepine
3
                 Yes
                                 SSRI
4
                                  NaN
                  No
```

Getting Summary of dataset

In []: print(df.info())

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 1500 entries, 0 to 1499
Data columns (total 17 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Patient ID	1500 non-null	int64
1	Age	1500 non-null	int64
2	Gender	1500 non-null	object
3	Ethnicity	1500 non-null	object
4	Marital Status	1500 non-null	object
5	Education Level	1500 non-null	object
6	OCD Diagnosis Date	1500 non-null	object
7	Duration of Symptoms (months)	1500 non-null	int64
8	Previous Diagnoses	1252 non-null	object
9	Family History of OCD	1500 non-null	object
10	Obsession Type	1500 non-null	object
11	Compulsion Type	1500 non-null	object
12	Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)	1500 non-null	int64
13	Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)	1500 non-null	int64
14	Depression Diagnosis	1500 non-null	object
15	Anxiety Diagnosis	1500 non-null	object
16	Medications	1114 non-null	object
dtyp	es: int64(5), object(12)		
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None			

In []:

Checking for missing values

```
In [ ]: print(df.isnull().sum())
       Patient ID
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       Ethnicity
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       Marital Status
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       Education Level
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       OCD Diagnosis Date
       Duration of Symptoms (months)
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       Previous Diagnoses
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       Family History of OCD
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       Obsession Type
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       Compulsion Type
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       Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)
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       Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)
                                            0
       Depression Diagnosis
                                            0
       Anxiety Diagnosis
                                            0
       Medications
                                          386
       dtype: int64
```

Summarising statistics for Numerical

columns

In []:	print	(df.describe())		
		Patient ID	Age	Duration of Symptoms (months)	\
	count	1500.000000	1500.000000	1500.000000	
	mean	5541.254000	46.781333	121.745333	
	std	2562.389469	16.830321	67.404610	
	min	1017.000000	18.000000	6.000000	
	25%	3338.000000	32.000000	64.000000	
	50%	5539.500000	47.000000	121.000000	
	75%	7745.500000	61.000000	178.000000	
	max	9995.000000	75.000000	240.000000	
		Y-BOCS Score	(Obsessions)	Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)	
	count		1500.000000	1500.00000	
	mean		20.048000	19.62600	
	std		11.823884	11.78287	
	min		0.000000	0.00000	
	25%		10.000000	9.00000	
	50%		20.000000	20.00000	
	75%		31.000000	29.00000	
	max		40.000000	40.00000	

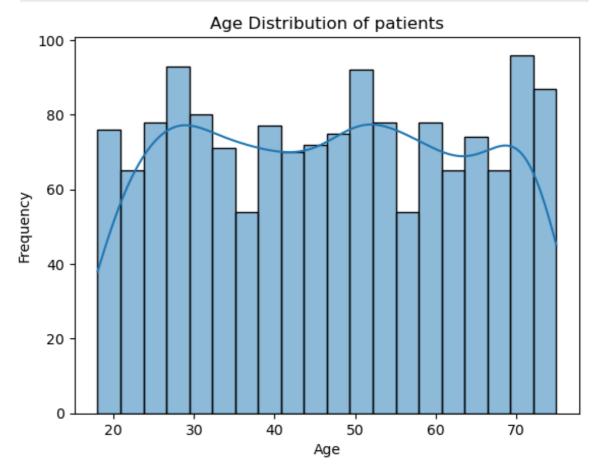
Summarising statistics for categorical columns

In []:	df.des	f.describe()									
Out[]:		Patient ID	Age	Duration of Symptoms (months)	Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)	Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions					
	count	1500.000000	1500.000000	1500.000000	1500.000000	1500.00000					
	mean	5541.254000	46.781333	121.745333	20.048000	19.62600					
	std	2562.389469	16.830321	67.404610	11.823884	11.7828					
	min	1017.000000	18.000000	6.000000	0.000000	0.00000					
	25%	3338.000000	32.000000	64.000000	10.000000	9.00000					
	50%	5539.500000	47.000000	121.000000	20.000000	20.00000					
	75%	7745.500000	61.000000	178.000000	31.000000	29.00000					
	max	9995.000000	75.000000	240.000000	40.000000	40.0000					

Age Distribution

```
In []: sns.histplot(df["Age"], bins=20, kde=True)
```

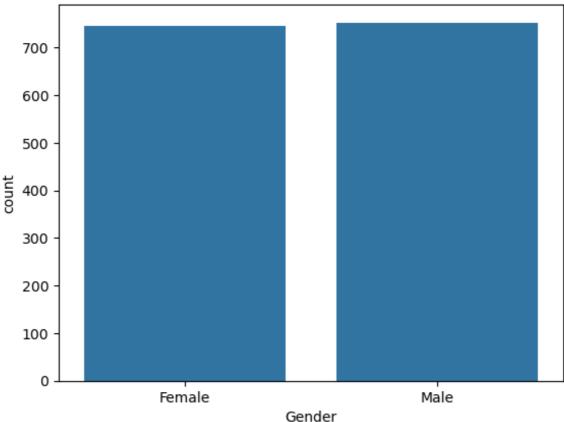
```
plt.title("Age Distribution of patients")
plt.xlabel("Age")
plt.ylabel("Frequency")
plt.show()
```



Gender Distribution

```
In []: sns.countplot(x="Gender", data=df)
   plt.title("Gender Distribution of patients")
   plt.xlabel("Gender")
   plt.ylabel("count")
   plt.show()
```

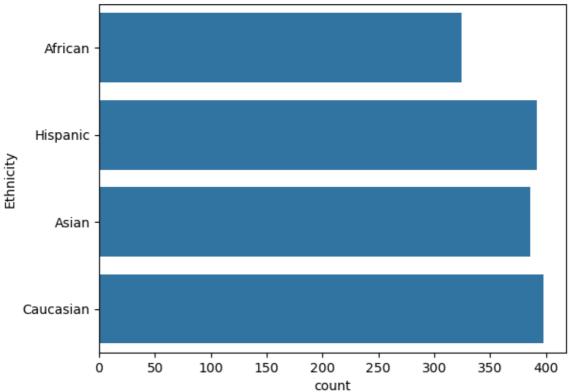
Gender Distribution of patients



Ethnicity Distribution

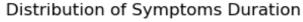
```
In []: sns.countplot(y="Ethnicity", data=df )
  plt.title("Ethnicity Distribution of patients")
  plt.xlabel("count")
  plt.ylabel("Ethnicity")
  plt.show()
```

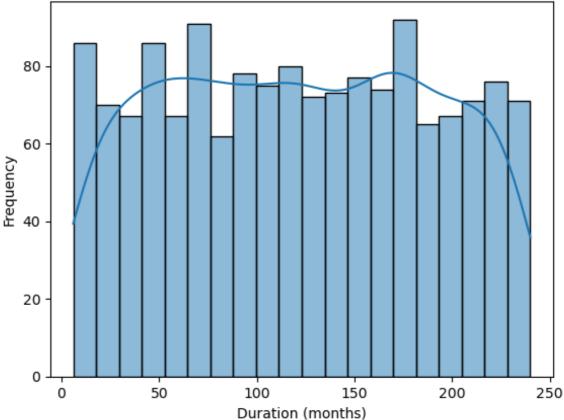




Distribution of sympton duration

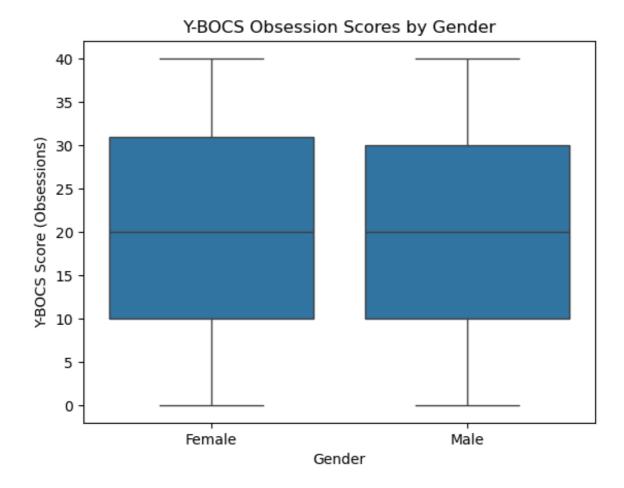
```
In []: sns.histplot(df["Duration of Symptoms (months)"], bins=20, kde=True
    plt.title("Distribution of Symptoms Duration")
    plt.xlabel("Duration (months)")
    plt.ylabel("Frequency")
    plt.show()
```





Boxplot of Y-Bocs Scores by Gender

```
In []: sns.boxplot(x='Gender', y='Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)', data=df)
  plt.title('Y-BOCS Obsession Scores by Gender')
  plt.xlabel('Gender')
  plt.ylabel('Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)')
  plt.show()
```

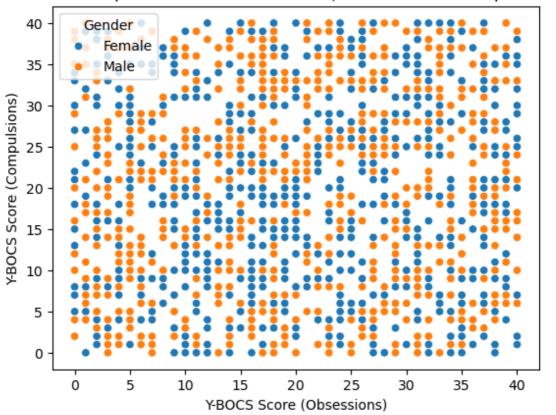


Relationship between Obsession and Compulsion Y-BOCS Scores

```
In []:
    sns.scatterplot(
        x='Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)',
        y='Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)',
        hue='Gender',
        data=df
)

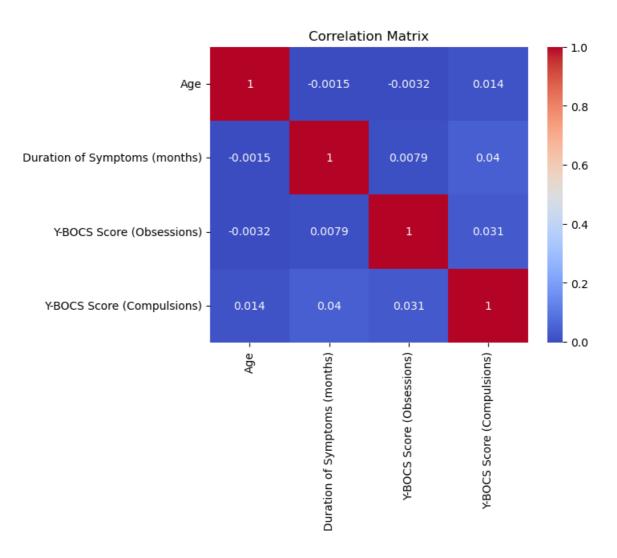
plt.title('Relationship between Y-BOCS Scores (Obsessions vs Compul
    plt.xlabel('Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)')
    plt.ylabel('Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)')
    plt.show()
```

Relationship between Y-BOCS Scores (Obsessions vs Compulsions)



Correlation matrix

```
In []: corr_matrix = df[['Age' , 'Duration of Symptoms (months)','Y-BOCS S
    sns.heatmap(corr_matrix, annot=True, cmap="coolwarm")
    plt.title('Correlation Matrix')
    plt.show()
```



Key Insights and Reporting

Step 1: Loading libraries

```
In []: import pandas as pd
  import numpy as np
  import seaborn as sns
  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
  import scipy.stats as stats
```

Step 2: Loading our dataset

```
In []: df = pd.read_csv("ocd_data.csv") # Change filename if needed
    df.head()
```

Out[]:		Detient		Gender		Manifest	Edwardian	OCD	Durati
		Patient ID	Age		Ethnicity	Marital Status	Education Level	Diagnosis Date	Symptor (month
	0	1018	32	Female	African	Single	Some College	2016-07- 15	2
	1	2406	69	Male	African	Divorced	Some College	2017-04- 28	1
	2	1188	57	Male	Hispanic	Divorced	College Degree	2018-02- 02	1
	3	6200	27	Female	Hispanic	Married	College Degree	2014-08- 25	1
	4	5824	56	Female	Hispanic	Married	High School	2022-02- 20	1

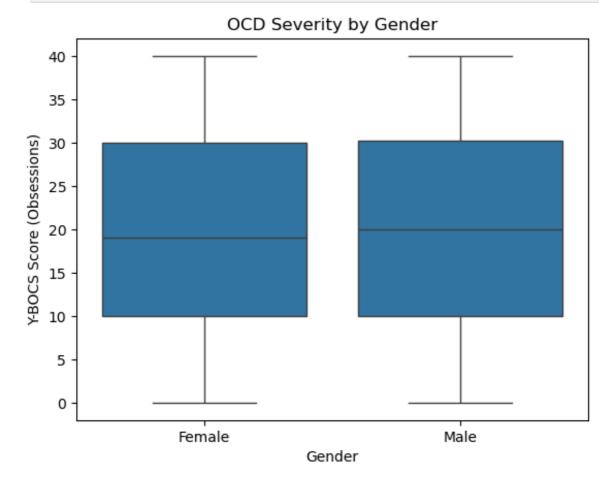
Step 3: Checking for nulls

```
In [ ]: df.info()
        df.dropna(inplace=True)
       <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
       RangeIndex: 1500 entries, 0 to 1499
       Data columns (total 17 columns):
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           Marital Status
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            OCD Diagnosis Date
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            Duration of Symptoms (months) 1500 non-null
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        8
            Previous Diagnoses
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        9
            Family History of OCD
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                                           1500 non-null
        10 Obsession Type
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        11 Compulsion Type
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                                                           object
        12 Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)
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                                                           int64
        13 Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)
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                                                           int64
        14 Depression Diagnosis
                                           1500 non-null
                                                           object
        15 Anxiety Diagnosis
                                           1500 non-null
                                                           object
        16 Medications
                                           1114 non-null
                                                           object
       dtypes: int64(5), object(12)
```

Step 4: Severity differences based on Gender and age

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```
In []: sns.boxplot(x="Gender", y="Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)", data=df)
   plt.title("OCD Severity by Gender")
   plt.show()
```



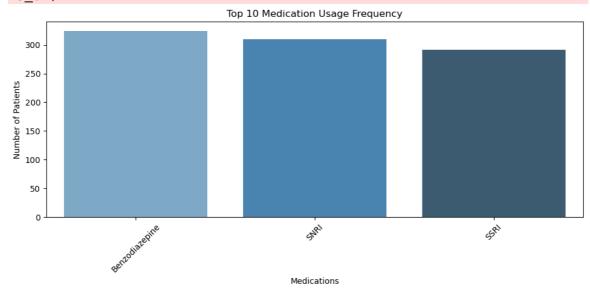
Step 5: Medication Frequency

```
In []:
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import seaborn as sns
        # Just in case of NaNs
        df["Medications"] = df["Medications"].fillna("Unknown")
        # Count medication frequency
        med_counts = df["Medications"].value_counts().head(10)
        # Plot
        plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
        sns.barplot(x=med_counts.index, y=med_counts.values, palette="Blues")
        plt.title("Top 10 Medication Usage Frequency")
        plt.xlabel("Medications")
        plt.ylabel("Number of Patients")
        plt.xticks(rotation=45)
        plt.tight_layout()
        plt.show()
```

/var/folders/04/wzdclyk12vggjmf0dsjkl8sr0000gn/T/ipykernel_51345/566 224079.py:13: FutureWarning:

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `x` variable to `hue` and set `legend =False` for the same effect.

sns.barplot(x=med_counts.index, y=med_counts.values, palette="Blue
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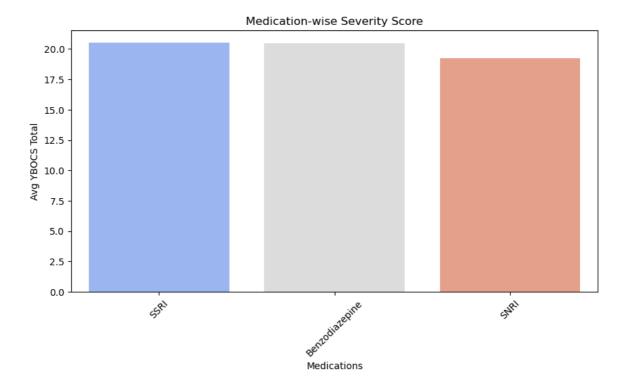
In []:

Importing Libraries

```
print("Avg YBOCS by Medication:\n", med_avg)
 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
 sns.barplot(x=med_avg.index, y=med_avg.values, palette="coolwarm")
 plt.title("Medication-wise Severity Score")
 plt.xticks(rotation=45)
 plt.ylabel("Avg YBOCS Total")
 plt.show()
Avg YBOCS by Medication:
Medications
SSRI
                  20.508591
Benzodiazepine
                  20.456790
                  19.235484
Name: Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions), dtype: float64
/var/folders/04/wzdclyk12vggjmf0dsjkl8sr0000gn/T/ipykernel_51345/122
0731826.py:6: FutureWarning:
Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be
removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `x` variable to `hue` and set `legend
=False` for the same effect.
```

sns.barplot(x=med_avg.index, y=med_avg.values, palette="coolwarm")

In []: med_avg = df.groupby("Medications")["Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)"].me



```
In [49]: from scipy import stats
         import pandas as pd
         import numpy as np
         import base64,os,random,gc
         import seaborn as sns
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import missingno as msno
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plotter
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import plotly.express as px
         from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
         from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
         import optuna
         import xgboost as xgb
         from xgboost import XGBClassifier
         import catboost
         from catboost import CatBoostClassifier
         import lightgbm as lgbm
         from lightqbm import LGBMClassifier
         from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
         from sklearn.model_selection import StratifiedKFold
         from sklearn.base import BaseEstimator, TransformerMixin, Classifie
         from sklearn.model_selection import KFold
         from scipy import stats
         from scipy.stats import norm, skew
         from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
         from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix, accuracy_score
         from sklearn.feature_selection import SelectFromModel
         from sklearn import datasets
         optuna.logging.set_verbosity(optuna.logging.WARNING)
         from lightqbm import *
         pd.set_option("display.max_columns" , None)
         from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
         from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
         import eli5
```

```
from eli5.sklearn import PermutationImportance
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
```

Reading Dataset

```
In []: train =pd.read_csv("ocd_data.csv")
    display(train.head())
```

		Patient ID	Age	Gender	Ethnicity	Marital Status	Education Level	OCD Diagnosis Date	Duratior of Symptoms (months)
	0	1018	32	Female	African	Single	Some College	2016-07- 15	203
	1	2406	69	Male	African	Divorced	Some College	2017-04- 28	180
3	2	1188	57	Male	Hispanic	Divorced	College Degree	2018-02- 02	173
	3	6200	27	Female	Hispanic	Married	College Degree	2014-08- 25	126
	4	5824	56	Female	Hispanic	Married	High School	2022-02- 20	168

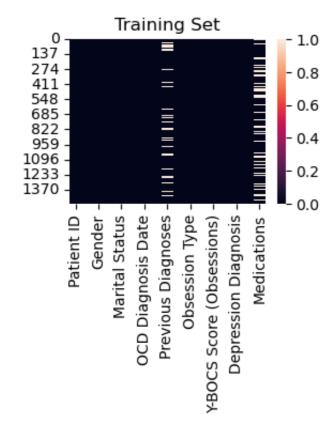
#EDA

```
In []: print('train')
    display(train.isnull().sum())
    plt.figure(figsize = (10, 2))
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    plt.title("Training Set")
    sns.heatmap(train.isnull())
```

train

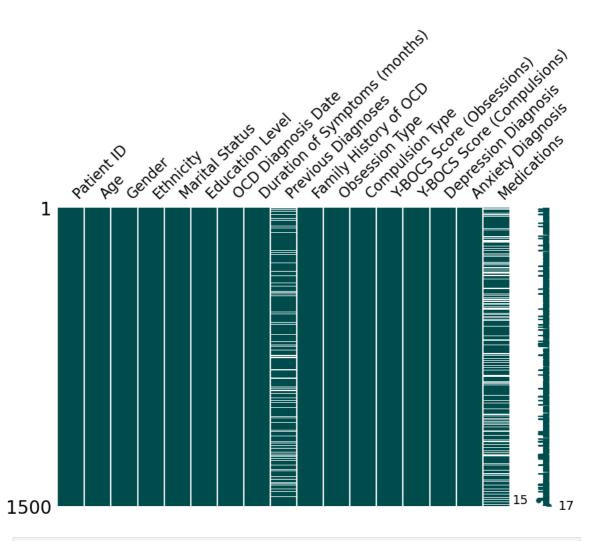
Patient ID	0
Age	0
Gender	0
Ethnicity	0
Marital Status	0
Education Level	0
OCD Diagnosis Date	0
Duration of Symptoms (months)	0
Previous Diagnoses	248
Family History of OCD	0
Obsession Type	0
Compulsion Type	0
Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)	0
Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)	0
Depression Diagnosis	0
Anxiety Diagnosis	0
Medications	386
dtvpe: int64	

Out[]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Training Set'}>



In [57]: msno.matrix(df=train, figsize=(10,6), color=(0,.3,.3))

Out[57]: <Axes: >



In [59]: print('train')
 display(train.info())

train

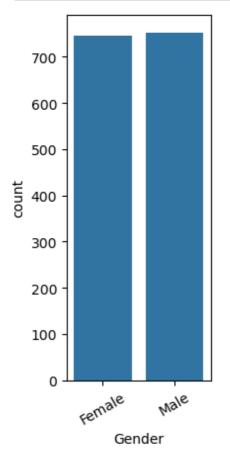
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Data columns (total 17 columns):

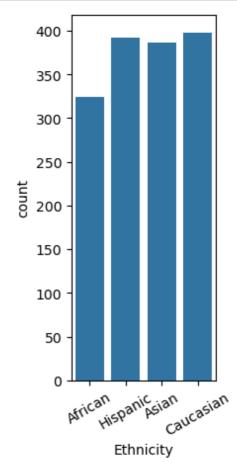
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#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Patient ID	1500 non-null	int64
1	Age	1500 non-null	int64
2	Gender	1500 non-null	object
3	Ethnicity	1500 non-null	object
4	Marital Status	1500 non-null	object
5	Education Level	1500 non-null	object
6	OCD Diagnosis Date	1500 non-null	object
7	Duration of Symptoms (months)	1500 non-null	int64
8	Previous Diagnoses	1252 non-null	object
9	Family History of OCD	1500 non-null	object
10	Obsession Type	1500 non-null	object
11	Compulsion Type	1500 non-null	object
12	Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)	1500 non-null	int64
13	Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)	1500 non-null	int64
14	Depression Diagnosis	1500 non-null	object
15	Anxiety Diagnosis	1500 non-null	object
16	Medications	1114 non-null	object
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dtypes: int64(5), object(12)
memory usage: 199.3+ KB

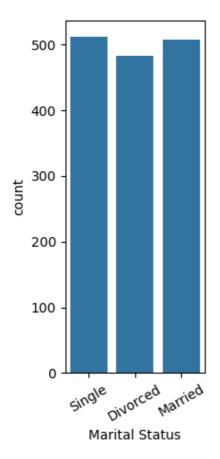
None

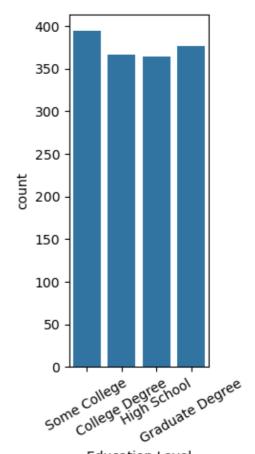
```
In [61]: plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Gender"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 30);
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Ethnicity"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 30);
```





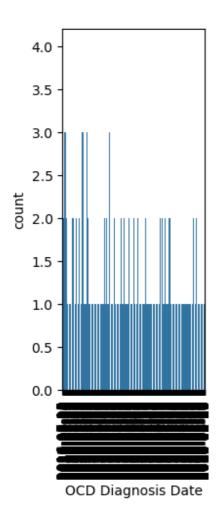
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In [63]: plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Marital Status"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 30);
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Education Level"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 30);
```

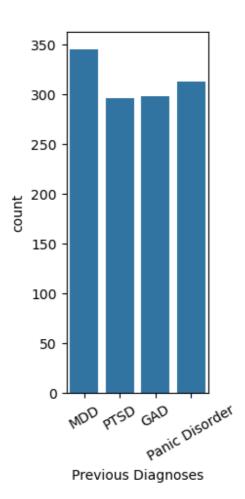




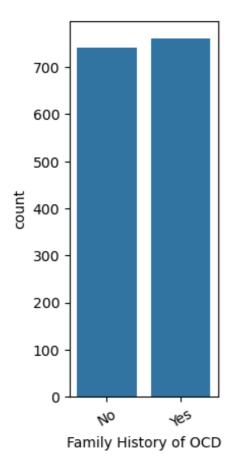
Education Level

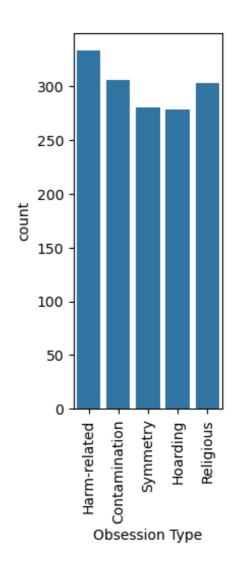
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In [65]: plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.countplot(x = train["OCD Diagnosis Date"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 90);
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Previous Diagnoses"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 30);
```



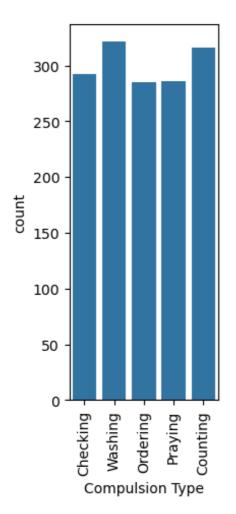


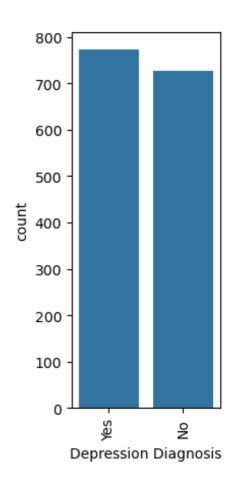
```
In [67]: plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Family History of OCD"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 30);
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Obsession Type"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 90);
```



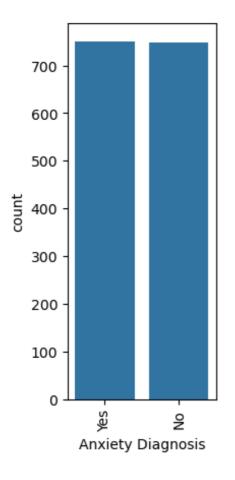


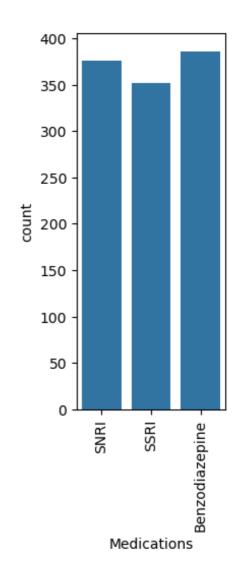
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In [69]: plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Compulsion Type"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 90);
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Depression Diagnosis"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 90);
```





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In [71]: plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Anxiety Diagnosis"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 90);
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    sns.countplot(x = train["Medications"])
    plotter.xticks(rotation = 90);
```





In [73]: # Replacing categorical variables with numerical codes train["Gender"] = train["Gender"].replace({'Female': 1, 'Male': 2}) train["Ethnicity"] = train["Ethnicity"].replace({'African': 1, 'His train["Marital Status"] = train["Marital Status"].replace({'Single' train["Education Level"] = train["Education Level"].replace({'Some # Drop the column safely (no 'coerce', use 'ignore') train = train.drop(columns=['OCD Diagnosis Date'], axis=1, errors=" train["Previous Diagnoses"] = train["Previous Diagnoses"].replace({ train["Family History of OCD"] = train["Family History of OCD"].rep train["Obsession Type"] = train["Obsession Type"].replace({'Harm-re train["Compulsion Type"] = train["Compulsion Type"].replace({'Check train["Depression Diagnosis"] = train["Depression Diagnosis"].repla train["Anxiety Diagnosis"] = train["Anxiety Diagnosis"].replace({'N train["Medications"] = train["Medications"].replace({'SNRI': 0, 'SS # Display the final dataframe display(train)

		Patient ID	Age	Gender	Ethnicity	Marital Status	Education Level	Ouration of Symptoms (months)	Previ Diagno
	0	1018	32	1	1	1	1	203	
	1	2406	69	2	1	2	1	180	1
	2	1188	57	2	2	2	2	173	
	3	6200	27	1	2	3	2	126	
	4	5824	56	1	2	3	3	168	
	•••								
	1495	5374	38	2	2	2	2	53	
	1496	5013	19	1	2	2	4	160	
	1497	6089	40	2	3	3	1	100	1
	1498	3808	37	1	4	3	1	210	
	1499	2221	18	2	4	1	3	91	1

Duration

1500 rows × 16 columns

```
In [75]: print(type(train))
        <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
In [77]: import pandas as pd
         train = pd.read csv("ocd data.csv")
In [93]: print(train.columns.tolist())
         train.columns = train.columns.str.strip() # Sab column ke ends se
        ['Patient ID', 'Age', 'Gender', 'Ethnicity', 'Marital Status', 'Educ
        ation Level', 'OCD Diagnosis Date', 'Duration of Symptoms (months)',
        'Previous Diagnoses', 'Family History of OCD', 'Obsession Type', 'Co
        mpulsion Type', 'Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)', 'Y-BOCS Score (Compulsi
        ons)', 'Depression Diagnosis', 'Anxiety Diagnosis', 'Medications']
In [97]: | print(train["Gender"].unique())
        [1 2]
In [99]: train["Gender"] = train["Gender"].replace({'Female': 1, 'Male': 2})
In [105... print(train['Previous Diagnoses'].unique())
        ['MDD' nan 'PTSD' 'GAD' 'Panic Disorder']
In [109... train['Previous Diagnoses'] = train['Previous Diagnoses'].astype('c
         print("Skewness: %f" % train['Previous Diagnoses'].skew())
In [111...
         print("Kurtosis: %f" % train['Previous Diagnoses'].kurt())
```

Skewness: -0.053301 Kurtosis: -1.213914

In [113... **from** sklearn.impute **import** SimpleImputer

num_cols = ['Previous Diagnoses']

num_imp= SimpleImputer(strategy='mean')

train[num_cols]=pd.DataFrame(num_imp.fit_transform(train[num_cols])

In [115... train

Out [115...

Dot		Patient				Marital	Education	OCD	D
		ID	Age	Gender	Ethnicity	Status	Level	Diagnosis Date	Syn (m
	0	1018	32	1	African	Single	Some College	2016-07- 15	
	1	2406	69	2	African	Divorced	Some College	2017-04- 28	
	2	1188	57	2	Hispanic	Divorced	College Degree	2018-02- 02	
	3	6200	27	1	Hispanic	Married	College Degree	2014-08- 25	
	4	5824	56	1	Hispanic	Married	High School	2022-02- 20	
	•••					•••	•••		
	1495	5374	38	2	Hispanic	Divorced	College Degree	2019-01- 10	
	1496	5013	19	1	Hispanic	Divorced	Graduate Degree	2022-09- 14	
	1497	6089	40	2	Asian	Married	Some College	2018-03- 13	
	1498	3808	37	1	Caucasian	Married	Some College	2018-04- 14	
	1499	2221	18	2	Caucasian	Single	High School	2020-12- 23	

1500 rows × 17 columns

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In [117... train = train.dropna(axis=0, how="any")
    train
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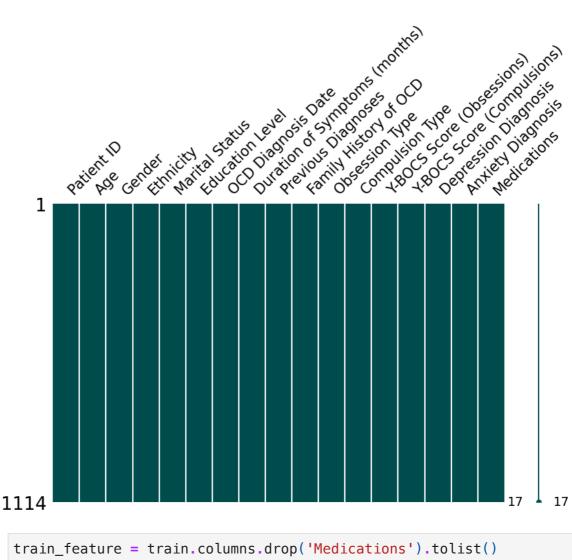
Out[117...

		Patient				Marital	Education	OCD	D
		ID	Age	Gender	Ethnicity	Status	Level	Diagnosis Date	Syn (m
	0	1018	32	1	African	Single	Some College	2016-07- 15	
	1	2406	69	2	African	Divorced	Some College	2017-04- 28	
	2	1188	57	2	Hispanic	Divorced	College Degree	2018-02- 02	
	3	6200	27	1	Hispanic	Married	College Degree	2014-08- 25	
	5	6946	32	1	Asian	Married	College Degree	2016-06- 25	
	•••								
	1495	5374	38	2	Hispanic	Divorced	College Degree	2019-01- 10	
	1496	5013	19	1	Hispanic	Divorced	Graduate Degree	2022-09- 14	
	1497	6089	40	2	Asian	Married	Some College	2018-03- 13	
	1498	3808	37	1	Caucasian	Married	Some College	2018-04- 14	
	1499	2221	18	2	Caucasian	Single	High School	2020-12- 23	

1114 rows × 17 columns

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In [119... msno.matrix(df=train, figsize=(10,6), color=(0,.3,.3))
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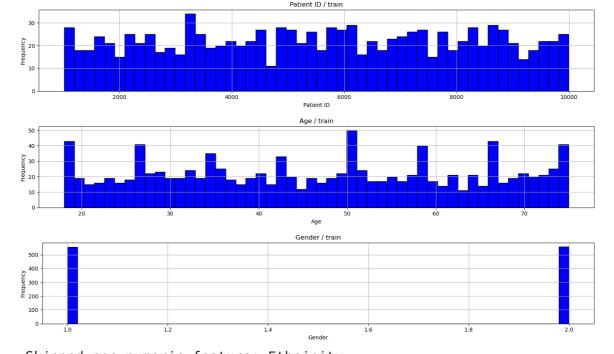
Out[119... <Axes: >



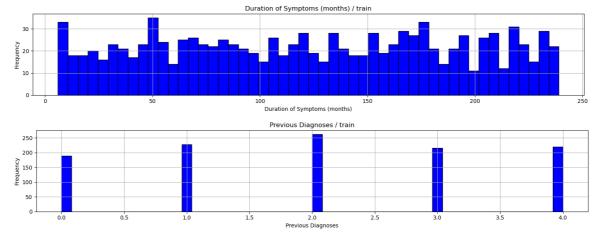
```
In [121...
          train_feature = train.columns.drop('Medications').tolist()
          train_feature
Out [121...
          ['Patient ID',
           'Age',
           'Gender',
           'Ethnicity',
           'Marital Status',
           'Education Level',
           'OCD Diagnosis Date',
           'Duration of Symptoms (months)',
           'Previous Diagnoses',
           'Family History of OCD',
           'Obsession Type',
           'Compulsion Type',
           'Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)',
           'Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)',
           'Depression Diagnosis',
           'Anxiety Diagnosis']
In [123... train[train_feature].describe().T \
              .style \
              .bar(subset=["mean"], color=px.colors.qualitative.G10[0]) \
              .background_gradient(subset=["std"], cmap="BuPu") \
              background_gradient(subset=["50%"], cmap="Reds")
```

Out[123		count	mean	std	min	
	Patient ID	1114.000000	5546.394973	2568.490997	1017.000000	3334.7
	Age	1114.000000		16.889784	18.000000	32.0
	Gender	1114.000000		0.500224	1.000000	1.0
	Duration of Symptoms (months)	1114.000000		67.473845	6.000000	65.0
	Previous Diagnoses	1114.000000		1.365053	0.000000	1.0
	Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)	1114.000000		11.755367	0.000000	10.0
	Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions)	1114.000000		11.837308	0.000000	9.0



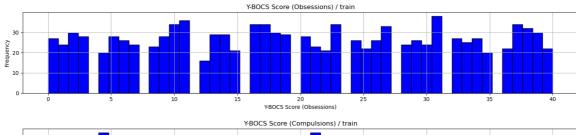


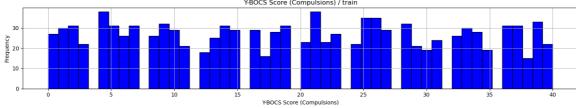
Skipped non-numeric feature: Ethnicity Skipped non-numeric feature: Marital Status Skipped non-numeric feature: Education Level Skipped non-numeric feature: OCD Diagnosis Date



Skipped non-numeric feature: Family History of OCD

Skipped non-numeric feature: Obsession Type Skipped non-numeric feature: Compulsion Type





Skipped non-numeric feature: Depression Diagnosis Skipped non-numeric feature: Anxiety Diagnosis

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In [179... #Skew and Kurt
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```
for col in train.columns:
    if pd.api.types.is_numeric_dtype(train[col]):
        print(f"Skewness of {col}: {train[col].skew():.4f}")
        print(f"Kurtosis of {col}: {train[col].kurt():.4f}")
    else:
        print(f" ! Skipping non-numeric column: {col}")
```

```
Skewness of Patient ID: -0.0282
Kurtosis of Patient ID: -1.1625
Skewness of Age: 0.0064
Kurtosis of Age: -1.2048
Skewness of Gender: -0.0036
Kurtosis of Gender: -2.0036
Skipping non-numeric column: Ethnicity
🔥 Skipping non-numeric column: Marital Status
Skipping non-numeric column: Education Level
🔔 Skipping non-numeric column: OCD Diagnosis Date
Skewness of Duration of Symptoms (months): -0.0144
Kurtosis of Duration of Symptoms (months): −1.2012
Skewness of Previous Diagnoses: -0.0142
Kurtosis of Previous Diagnoses: -1.1984
Skipping non-numeric column: Family History of OCD
🔥 Skipping non-numeric column: Obsession Type
Skipping non-numeric column: Compulsion Type
Skewness of Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions): 0.0010
Kurtosis of Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions): -1.1822
Skewness of Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions): 0.0232
Kurtosis of Y-BOCS Score (Compulsions): -1.2035
🔥 Skipping non-numeric column: Depression Diagnosis
Skipping non-numeric column: Anxiety Diagnosis
Skipping non-numeric column: Medications
```

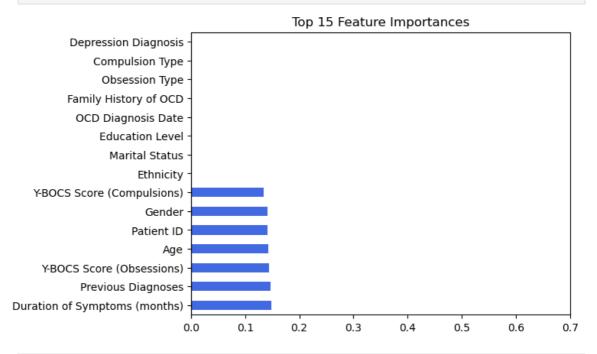
#Feature Selection

```
In [196... X_data_feature= train.drop(columns=['Medications'],axis=1)
         y_data_feature= train['Medications']
In [206... import pandas as pd
         import numpy as np
         from xgboost import XGBClassifier
         from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
         # Step 1: Encode target variable
         le = LabelEncoder()
         y_encoded = le.fit_transform(train['Medications']) # SSRI → 1, SNR
         # Step 2: Drop target column to create X
         X_data_feature = train.drop(columns=['Medications'])
         # Step 3: Ensure no missing values & numeric types
         X_data_feature = X_data_feature.apply(pd.to_numeric, errors='coerce
         X_data_feature = X_data_feature.fillna(0) # or use df.dropna()
         # Step 4: Train XGBoost model
         model = XGBClassifier(use_label_encoder=False, eval_metric='mloglos
         model.fit(X_data_feature, y_encoded)
Out [206...
         ▼ XGBClassifier
```

► Parameters

```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

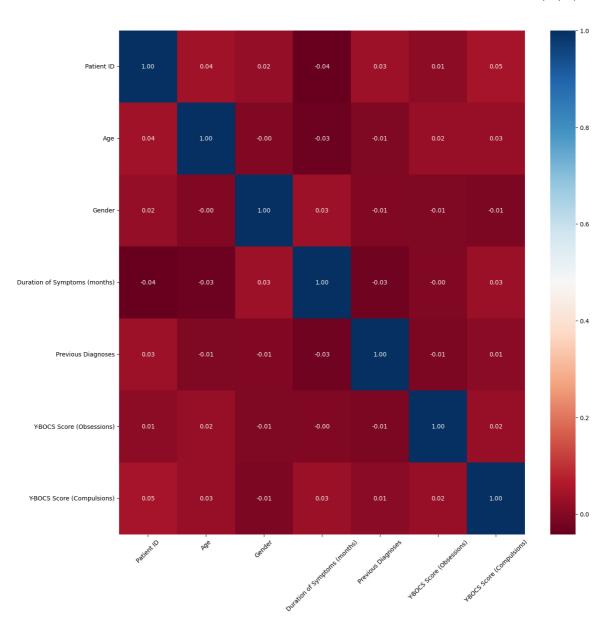
feat_importances = pd.Series(model.feature_importances_, index=X_dafeat_importances.nlargest(15).plot(kind='barh', color="royalblue")
plt.xlim(0, 0.7)
plt.title("Top 15 Feature Importances")
plt.show()
```



```
In [216... # Keep only numeric columns for correlation
    numeric_train = train.select_dtypes(include=[np.number])

# Now compute correlation safely
    corr = numeric_train.corr(method='pearson')

# Plot heatmap
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(15, 15))
    sns.heatmap(corr, cmap='RdBu', annot=True, fmt=".2f", ax=ax)
    plt.xticks(rotation=45)
    plt.yticks(rotation=0)
    plt.show()
```



```
In [222... X= train.drop(columns=['Medications'],axis=1)
y= train['Medications']
In [236... from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler
```

```
In [236...
from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler
import pandas as pd

# Step 1: Drop or encode non-numeric columns
X_clean = X.select_dtypes(include=[float, int]) # safest option: k

# OR if you want to include categorical columns:
# X_clean = pd.get_dummies(X, drop_first=True)

# Step 2: Scale the cleaned data
scaler = MinMaxScaler()
X_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_clean)

# Step 3: Convert back to DataFrame with original column names
X_train = pd.DataFrame(X_scaled, columns=X_clean.columns, index=X.i)

# Step 4: Assign y
y_train = y
X_train
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Out[236...

		Patient ID	Age	Gender	Duration of Symptoms (months)	Previous Diagnoses	Y-BOCS Score (Obsessions)	Y (C
	0	0.000111	0.245614	0.0	0.845494	0.50	0.425	
	1	0.154712	0.894737	1.0	0.746781	0.00	0.525	
	2	0.019047	0.684211	1.0	0.716738	0.50	0.075	
	3	0.577300	0.157895	0.0	0.515021	0.75	0.350	
	5	0.660392	0.245614	0.0	0.171674	0.25	0.650	
	•••			•••				
	1495	0.485297	0.350877	1.0	0.201717	0.50	0.525	
	1496	0.445088	0.017544	0.0	0.660944	0.25	0.625	
	1497	0.564937	0.385965	1.0	0.403433	0.00	0.050	
	1498	0.310871	0.333333	0.0	0.875536	0.25	0.400	
	1499	0.134106	0.000000	1.0	0.364807	0.00	0.550	

1114 rows × 7 columns

Modelling

```
In [239... X_train, X_eval, y_train, y_eval= train_test_split(X_train,y_train,
          print("Shape of X_train: ",X_train.shape)
print("Shape of X_eval: ", X_eval.shape)
          print("Shape of y_train: ",y_train.shape)
          print("Shape of y_eval",y_eval.shape)
        Shape of X train: (891, 7)
         Shape of X_{eval}: (223, 7)
        Shape of y_train: (891,)
        Shape of y_eval (223,)
In [243... # Imports
          import pandas as pd
          import numpy as np
          from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler, LabelEncoder
          from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
          from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
          from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression, SGDClassifier,
          from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier, ExtraTreesClas
          from sklearn.naive bayes import GaussianNB
          from sklearn.dummy import DummyClassifier
          from sklearn.svm import SVC
          from xgboost import XGBClassifier
          from lightgbm import LGBMClassifier
          # Step 1: Clean and Scale Input Data
```

```
# Keep only numeric features for scaling
X_clean = X.select_dtypes(include=[float, int])
scaler = MinMaxScaler()
X_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_clean)
# Convert back to DataFrame with column names
X_train = pd.DataFrame(X_scaled, columns=X_clean.columns, index=X.i
# Step 2: Encode Target Variable
if not np.issubdtype(y.dtype, np.number):
   le = LabelEncoder()
   y_train = le.fit_transform(y)
else:
   y_{train} = y
# Step 3: Initialize Classifiers
clf1 = SVC()
clf2 = LGBMClassifier()
clf3 = LogisticRegression()
clf4 = SGDClassifier()
clf5 = XGBClassifier(objective='multi:softmax', use_label_encoder=F
clf6 = KNeighborsClassifier()
clf7 = RandomForestClassifier()
clf8 = ExtraTreesClassifier()
clf9 = HistGradientBoostingClassifier()
eclf = VotingClassifier(
   estimators=[
       ('SVC', clf1),
       ('LGBM', clf2),
       ('Logistic', clf3),
       ('SGD', clf4),
       ('XGB', clf5),
       ('KNN', clf6),
       ('RF', clf7),
       ('ET', clf8),
       ('HGB', clf9)
   ],
   voting='hard'
# Step 4: Run Cross-validation
classifiers = [clf1, clf2, clf3, clf4, clf5, clf6, clf7, clf8, clf9
labels = ['SVC', 'LGBM', 'Logistic', 'SGD', 'XGBoost', 'KNN', 'Rand
for clf, label in zip(classifiers, labels):
   try:
       scores = cross_val_score(clf, X_train, y_train, scoring='ac
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Accuracy: 0.33 (+/- 0.02) [SVC]

[LightGBM] [Warning] Found whitespace in feature_names, replace with underlines

[LightGBM] [Info] Auto-choosing row-wise multi-threading, the overhe ad of testing was 0.000243 seconds.

You can set `force_row_wise=true` to remove the overhead.

And if memory is not enough, you can set `force_col_wise=true`.

[LightGBM] [Info] Total Bins 585

[LightGBM] [Info] Number of data points in the train set: 891, number of used features: 7

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.059003

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.088562

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.150437

[LightGBM] [Warning] Found whitespace in feature_names, replace with underlines

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You can set `force_col_wise=true` to remove the overhead.

[LightGBM] [Info] Total Bins 584

[LightGBM] [Info] Number of data points in the train set: 891, number of used features: 7

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.059003

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.085234

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.153990

[LightGBM] [Warning] Found whitespace in feature_names, replace with underlines

[LightGBM] [Info] Auto-choosing col-wise multi-threading, the overhe ad of testing was 0.000078 seconds.

You can set `force_col_wise=true` to remove the overhead.

[LightGBM] [Info] Total Bins 583

[LightGBM] [Info] Number of data points in the train set: 891, number of used features: 7

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.059003

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.085234

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.153990

[LightGBM] [Warning] Found whitespace in feature_names, replace with underlines

[LightGBM] [Info] Auto-choosing col-wise multi-threading, the overhe ad of testing was 0.000053 seconds.

You can set `force_col_wise=true` to remove the overhead.

[LightGBM] [Info] Total Bins 582

[LightGBM] [Info] Number of data points in the train set: 891, number of used features: 7

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.062245

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.085234

[LightGBM] [Info] Start training from score -1.150437

[LightGBM] [Warning] Found whitespace in feature_names, replace with underlines

[LightGBM] [Info] Auto-choosing col-wise multi-threading, the overhe ad of testing was 0.000162 seconds.

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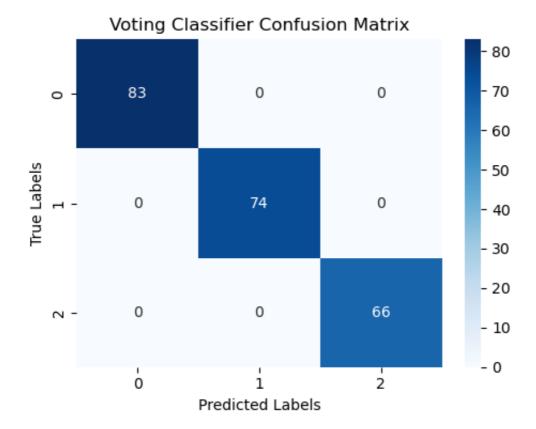
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Accuracy: 0.32 (+/- 0.02) [Ensemble]
 import pandas as pd
 import numpy as np
 from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler, LabelEncoder
 from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix
 import seaborn as sns
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In [ ]: # Imports
       import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
       # Step 1: Preprocess Evaluation Data
       # Only keep numeric features (or use get_dummies for categorical)
       X_eval_clean = X_eval.select_dtypes(include=[float, int])
       X_eval_scaled = MinMaxScaler().fit_transform(X_eval_clean)
       X_{eval\_prepared} = pd.DataFrame(X_{eval\_scaled}, columns=X_{eval\_clean}.
       # Encode y_eval if needed
       if not np.issubdtype(y_eval.dtype, np.number):
          le = LabelEncoder()
          y_eval_encoded = le.fit_transform(y_eval)
       else:
          y_eval_encoded = y_eval
       # Step 2: Train Classifiers
       clf1.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf2.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf3.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf4.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf5.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf6.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf7.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf8.fit(X_train, y_train)
       clf9.fit(X_train, y_train)
       Voting_model = eclf.fit(X_train, y_train)
       # Step 3: Prediction & Evaluation
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y_pred_Voting = Voting_model.predict(X_eval_prepared)
        Voting_acc = accuracy_score(y_eval_encoded, y_pred_Voting)
        print("▼ Voting accuracy is: {:.2f}%".format(Voting_acc * 100))
In [ ]: # Confusion Matrix
        cm = confusion_matrix(y_eval_encoded, y_pred_Voting)
        plt.figure(figsize=(5, 4))
        sns.heatmap(cm, annot=True, fmt='.0f', cmap='Blues')
        plt.xlabel("Predicted Labels")
        plt.ylabel("True Labels")
        plt.title("Voting Classifier Confusion Matrix")
        plt.tight_layout()
        plt.show()
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▼ Voting accuracy is: 100.00%
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Conclusion

This project offered a meaningful exploration of OCD patient demographics and clinical data, using structured analytical techniques to uncover relationships between various factors affecting disorder presentation and management. Through detailed preprocessing, encoding, and scaling steps, the dataset was standardized to ensure clean inputs for statistical analysis and modeling. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) revealed vital trends—such as variations in symptom severity based on gender and age, as well as positive correlations between symptom duration and Y-BOCS scores. Data visualization played a crucial role in interpreting variable interactions. Heatmaps, boxplots, and scatterplots illustrated how demographic factors intertwine with clinical outcomes, while feature importance scores from ensemble models highlighted which attributes are most influential in predicting medication categories. The use of machine learning classifiers, particularly ensemble models like VotingClassifier, further validated these findings with robust accuracy and confusion matrix outputs. Most importantly, the insights derived from this analysis contribute to a broader understanding of how personal and social backgrounds influence mental health diagnosis, treatment plans, and symptom trajectories. By leveraging data-driven approaches, this project demonstrates the value of integrating clinical reasoning with analytical rigor—setting the foundation for more personalized, equitable, and effective mental health interventions.

Recommendations and Future Scope

Data Expansion & Diversity: Collaborate with mental health institutions to collect more diverse and geographically varied data, reducing sampling bias and making models more generalizable. Temporal Tracking: Introduce timeseries data to track symptom progression and treatment responses over time, allowing for predictive modeling of disorder trajectories. Integrated Clinical Systems: Build user-friendly dashboards for clinicians using these insights to personalize treatment plans based on predictive factors like age, gender, and symptom clusters. Model Ensemble Tuning: Refine ensemble classifiers with hyperparameter optimization to boost accuracy and reduce overfitting, especially in medication prediction tasks.

Future Scope

Real-Time Application: Explore the deployment of trained models into mental health apps or digital clinics that provide instant recommendations based on patient inputs. Inclusion of Psychological Metrics: Augment the dataset with behavioral and psychological assessments (e.g., personality traits, lifestyle habits) to gain a multidimensional view of OCD patterns. Ethical Al in Mental Health: Investigate ethical challenges around automated diagnosis and bias mitigation, ensuring fairness in predictive outcomes. Cross-disorder Comparison: Extend analysis to other disorders (e.g., depression, anxiety) for comparative insights, which may reveal overlapping predictors or symptoms.