

PROJECT DOCUMENTATION

MEDICAL INVENTORY MANAGEMENT

INTRODUCTION

➤ PROJECT TITLE

Medical Inventory Management

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

➤ PURPOSE

- **Streamline inventory management:** Automate and optimize inventory management processes for medical supplies, equipment, and pharmaceuticals.
- **Improve visibility and tracking:** Provide real-time visibility into inventory levels, locations, and movement, enabling better decision-making and reducing stockouts or overstocking.
- **Enhance patient care:** Ensure that medical supplies and equipment are available when needed, enabling healthcare professionals to provide high-quality patient care.

➤ GOALS

- **Inventory tracking and management:** Track inventory levels, locations, and movement in real-time, including tracking of batch numbers, expiration dates, and serial numbers.
- **User-friendly interface:** Provide a user-friendly interface for inventory management, enabling healthcare professionals to easily manage inventory and focus on patient care

➤ FEATURES

- **Inventory Tracking:** Track inventory levels, locations, and movement in real-time.
- **Product Catalog:** Manage a catalog of medical products, including product descriptions, pricing, and vendor information.
- **3. Barcode Scanning:** Use barcode scanning to track inventory movement and reduce errors.
- **4. Automated Workflows:** Automate inventory management workflows, such as reorder points, stock transfers, and inventory adjustments.
- **5. Reporting and Analytics:** Provide insights into inventory usage, trends, and optimization opportunities through reporting and analytics.
- **6. Integration with Other Systems:** Integrate with other healthcare systems, such as electronic health records (EHRs) and enterprise resource planning (ERP) systems.

- **7. Security and Access Control:** Ensure that sensitive inventory data is secure and accessible only to authorized personnel.

➤ **FUNCTIONALITIES**

- 1. Inventory Management:** Manage inventory levels, track inventory movement, and perform inventory adjustments.
- 2. Order Management:** Manage orders, including purchase orders, stock transfers, and sales orders.
- 3. Vendor Management:** Manage vendor information, including contact details, pricing, and delivery terms.
- 4. Product Management:** Manage product information, including product descriptions, pricing, and inventory levels.
- 5. Warehouse Management:** Manage warehouse operations, including receiving, storing, and shipping inventory.
- 6. Inventory Reporting:** Generate reports on inventory levels, movement, and usage.
- 7. Alerts and Notifications:** Send alerts and notifications for low inventory levels, stockouts, and other inventory-related issues.

ARCHITECTURE

➤ **FRONTEND**

The frontend will handle user interactions, displaying inventory data, and sending requests to the backend API. Here's a high-level overview:

1. Components:

- **InventoryList:** Displays a list of medical inventory items.
- **InventoryItem:** Represents an individual inventory item with details like name, quantity, and expiration date.
- **AddInventoryForm:** A form for adding new inventory items.
- **EditInventoryForm:** A form for editing existing inventory items.

2. State Management:

- Use React's Context API or Redux to manage state globally, such as inventory data and user authentication status.

3. API Calls:

- Use Axios or Fetch API to make HTTP requests to the backend API for CRUD operations on inventory items.

4. Routing:

- Implement React Router for client-side routing, with routes for inventory list, add inventory, edit inventory, and login/signup.

➤ **BACKEND**

The backend will handle API requests, interact with the database, and perform business logic.

1. API Endpoints:

- **GET /api/inventory:** Retrieves a list of all inventory items.
- **POST /api/inventory:** Creates a new inventory item.
- **GET /api/inventory/:id:** Retrieves a single inventory item by ID.
- **PUT /api/inventory/:id:** Updates an existing inventory item.
- **DELETE /api/inventory/:id:** Deletes an inventory item.

2. Database Interactions:

- Use Mongoose to interact with the MongoDB database, defining a schema for inventory items.

3. Authentication and Authorization:

- Implement authentication using JSON Web Tokens (JWT) or Passport.js to secure API endpoints.

➤ DATABASE

The database schema will define the structure of inventory items.

1. Inventory Schema:

- **name:** String, required
- **quantity:** Number, required
- **expirationDate:** Date
- **description:** String

2. Mongoose Model:

- Create a Mongoose model for the inventory schema, allowing for CRUD operations.

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

➤ PREREQUISITES

- ✓ **Salesforce Developer Edition:** Ensure you have a Salesforce Developer Edition org.
- ✓ **Git:** Install Git on your local machine.
- ✓ **Node.js:** Install Node.js (LTS version) on your local machine.
- ✓ **Salesforce CLI:** Install Salesforce CLI on your local machine.

➤ INSTALLATION

STEP BY STEP GUIDE TO CLONE

- Open your terminal or command prompt.
- Navigate to the directory where you want to clone the repository.
- **Run the command:** `git clone https://github.com/username/medical-inventory-management.git` (replace username with the actual repository owner).

➤ Install Dependencies

- **Navigate to the project directory:** `cd medical-inventory-management`
- **Run the command:** `npm install` or `yarn install` to install dependencies.

➤ Set up Environment Variables

- **1. Create a .env file in the project root directory.**
- **2. Add the following environment variables:**
 - - **SALESFORCE_USERNAME:** Your Salesforce username.
 - - **SALESFORCE_PASSWORD:** Your Salesforce password.
 - - **SALESFORCE_TOKEN:** Your Salesforce security token.
 - - **SALESFORCE_URL:** Your Salesforce instance URL (e.g., `https://login.salesforce.com`).
- **3. Example .env file:**
- **SALESFORCE_USERNAME=myusername**

- ***SALESFORCE_PASSWORD=mypassword***
- ***SALESFORCE_TOKEN=mysecuritytoken***
- ***SALESFORCE_URL=https://login.salesforce.com***

FOLDER STRUCTURE

➤ ***CLIENT***

➤ ***SERVER***

RUNNING THE APPLICATION

- Provide commands to start the frontend and backend servers locally
- ***FRONTEND***
 1. Open a terminal or command prompt.
 2. Navigate to the client directory:
bash
cd client
 3. Install dependencies (if not already installed):
bash
npm install
 4. Start the frontend server:
bash
npm start
 5. The React app should now be running at http://localhost:3000.
- ***BACKEND***
 1. Open a new terminal or command prompt.
 2. Navigate to the server directory:
bash
cd server
 3. Install dependencies (if not already installed):
bash
npm install
 4. Start the backend server:
``bash
npm start
 5. The Node.js server should now be running at http://localhost:8080/ (or the port specified in your server configuration).

API DOCUMENTATION

AUTHENTICATION

➤ AUTHENTICATION

- **OAuth 2.0:** Salesforce uses OAuth 2.0 to authenticate users and authorize access to data. OAuth 2.0 provides a secure way to access Salesforce data without sharing passwords.
- **Session Management:** Salesforce uses session IDs to manage user sessions. When a user logs in, a session ID is generated and used to authenticate subsequent requests.
- **JSON Web Tokens (JWTs):** JWTs can be used for authentication and authorization in Salesforce. JWTs contain user information and are digitally signed to prevent tampering.

➤ AUTHORIZATION

- **Role-Based Access Control (RBAC):** Salesforce uses RBAC to control access to data based on user roles. Users are assigned roles, and each role has specific permissions and access levels.
- **Object-Level Security:** Salesforce provides object-level security to control access to specific objects and fields. Administrators can set permissions for each object and field to determine who can view, edit, or delete data.
- **Field-Level Security:** Field-level security allows administrators to control access to specific fields within an object. This ensures that sensitive data is only accessible to authorized users.

➤ TOKENS AND SESSIONS

- ❖ **Access Tokens:** Access tokens are used to authenticate and authorize API requests. They are typically valid for a short period and can be refreshed using refresh tokens.
- ❖ **Refresh Tokens:** Refresh tokens are used to obtain new access tokens when the existing one expires. This allows for long-term access to Salesforce data without requiring users to re-authenticate.
- ❖ **Session IDs:** Session IDs are used to manage user sessions and authenticate requests. Session IDs can be obtained through various authentication flows, including OAuth 2.0.

USER INTERFACE

TESTING

➤ Testing Strategy

- ✓ **Unit Testing:** Focus on individual components or classes within the Salesforce application, ensuring each unit functions correctly.
- ✓ **Integration Testing:** Verify interactions between different components, such as integrations with external systems or between custom and standard Salesforce features.
- ✓ **System Testing:** Validate the entire system, simulating real-world scenarios to ensure the application behaves as expected.

- ✓ **User Acceptance Testing (UAT):** Engage end-users to test the application, ensuring it meets business requirements and is user-friendly.

➤ **Testing Tools**

- **Salesforce DX:** A set of tools that enables developers to develop and test Salesforce applications in a more agile and efficient way.
- **Apex Testing:** Salesforce's built-in testing framework for writing unit tests for Apex code.
- **Lightning Testing Service (LTS):** A tool for testing Lightning components, allowing developers to write tests for JavaScript and Apex code.
- **Selenium:** An open-source tool for automating web browsers, useful for end-to-end testing and UAT.
- **Jenkins:** A popular CI/CD tool that can be integrated with Salesforce to automate testing and deployment processes.

SCREENSHOTS OR DEMO

KNOWN ISSUES

- **API Limitations:** Reaching API limits can cause operational problems, integration issues, and data synchronization failures. To manage API usage, consider batch processing, caching strategies, request optimization, and off-peak scheduling.
- **Security Issues:** Vulnerabilities can expose sensitive data. Implement field-level security, quarterly access reviews, permission set rationalization, login monitoring, and the principle of least privilege.
- **Performance Issues:** Poor configuration can lead to slow performance. Optimize reports, implement caching strategies, build custom indexes, and schedule resource-consuming operations during quiet hours.
- **Integration Failures:** Outdated API versions, inconsistent data formats, and overlooked system limits can cause integration issues. Monitor integrations, ensure API versions are current, and test thoroughly before deployment.
- **Data Integrity Problems:** Duplicate or outdated data can lead to inefficiency and miscommunication. Regularly cleanse data, implement validation rules, and use deduplication tools.

FUTURE ENHANCEMENTS

- **Automated Inventory Tracking:** Implement barcode scanning and RFID tracking to ensure accurate and real-time inventory updates
- **Predictive Analytics:** Leverage machine learning algorithms to forecast demand and optimize inventory levels, reducing stockouts and overstocking
- **Smart Reordering:** Automate reordering processes based on predefined thresholds, lead times, and supplier constraints
- **Inventory Visibility:** Provide real-time visibility into inventory levels, locations, and movement across multiple warehouses and facilities
- **Salesforce Health Cloud Integration:** Integrate with Salesforce Health Cloud to leverage its capabilities in managing medical inventory, tracking product information, and streamlining sales processes
- **Electronic Health Records (EHRs) Integration:** Integrate with EHR systems to ensure seamless data exchange and accurate inventory management

- **Supplier Integration:** Integrate with supplier systems to enable real-time inventory updates, automated ordering, and streamlined communication