# Homework 4

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# Uploading the Data

```
# Upload the toenail df
toenail_df = read.delim("./toenail.txt", header = TRUE, sep = " ", col.names = c("Subject ID", "Respons
# Clean up toenail_df
toenail_df =
    toenail_df[, 1:5] %>%
    janitor::clean_names()

toenail_df = as.data.table(toenail_df)
toenail_df$treatment = as.factor(toenail_df$treatment)
```

# Question 1

```
# Add response at lag 1
toenail_df[, response_1 := shift(response, n = 1, type = "lag", fill = NA), by = "subject_id"]
# Transition Probabilities
tab1 = table(toenail_df$response, toenail_df$response_1)
tab1
##
##
          0
               1
     0 1203 112
         28 271
round(prop.table(tab1, margin = 1), 2)
##
##
               1
##
     0 0.91 0.09
     1 0.09 0.91
# Association b/w treatment and response
tab2 <- table(toenail_df$response, toenail_df$treatment)</pre>
round(prop.table(tab2, margin = 1), 2)
##
##
          0
##
     0 0.48 0.52
     1 0.52 0.48
```

```
# Stratified by previous response
temp <- split(toenail_df, toenail_df$response_1)</pre>
tab3 <- lapply(temp, function(z){table(z$response, z$treatment)})</pre>
lapply(tab3, function(z){round(prop.table(z,margin = 1),2)})
## $ 0
##
##
          0
     0 0.48 0.52
##
     1 0.68 0.32
##
## $`1`
##
##
          0
               1
     0 0.50 0.50
##
     1 0.52 0.48
# Model
model_lag_1 <- gee(response ~ treatment * response_1, corstr = "independence", family = binomial("logit"</pre>
## Beginning Cgee S-function, @(#) geeformula.q 4.13 98/01/27
## running glm to get initial regression estimate
##
             (Intercept)
                                    treatment1
                                                          response_1
                                                            4.3333393
              -3.4099311
                                     -0.8353845
##
## treatment1:response_1
               0.7541591
round(summary(model lag 1)$coeff,2)
                         Estimate Naive S.E. Naive z Robust S.E. Robust z
## (Intercept)
                            -3.41
                                        0.23 -14.61
                                                             0.25 - 13.57
## treatment1
                            -0.84
                                         0.41
                                               -2.04
                                                             0.42
                                                                     -2.00
## response_1
                             4.33
                                         0.28
                                                15.37
                                                             0.33
                                                                      13.25
                             0.75
                                         0.47
                                                                       1.54
## treatment1:response_1
                                                 1.61
                                                             0.49
model_lag_1b <- gee(response ~ treatment + response_1, corstr = "independence", family = binomial("logit</pre>
## Beginning Cgee S-function, @(#) geeformula.q 4.13 98/01/27
## running glm to get initial regression estimate
## (Intercept) treatment1 response_1
## -3.6308207 -0.2667416
                             4.6476673
round(summary(model_lag_1b)$coeff,2)
               Estimate Naive S.E. Naive z Robust S.E. Robust z
                  -3.63
                              0.21 - 17.44
                                                  0.21 -17.02
## (Intercept)
## treatment1
                  -0.27
                               0.19
                                      -1.39
                                                   0.15
                                                           -1.76
                   4.65
                              0.22
                                     21.16
                                                   0.24
                                                           19.20
## response_1
```

```
toenail_df2 = toenail_df[, response_1 := shift(response, n = 2, type = "lag", fill = NA), by = "subject
# Transition Probabilities
```

```
tab1 = table(toenail_df$response, toenail_df$response_1)
##
##
         0
             1
##
     0 934 189
     1 33 169
##
round(prop.table(tab1, margin = 1), 2)
##
##
          0
               1
     0 0.83 0.17
##
     1 0.16 0.84
##
# Association b/w treatment and response
tab2 <- table(toenail_df$response, toenail_df$treatment)</pre>
round(prop.table(tab2, margin = 1), 2)
##
##
          0
               1
##
     0 0.48 0.52
     1 0.52 0.48
##
# Stratified by previous response
temp <- split(toenail_df, toenail_df$response_1)</pre>
tab3 <- lapply(temp, function(z){table(z$response, z$treatment)})
lapply(tab3, function(z){round(prop.table(z,margin = 1),2)})
## $`0`
##
##
          0
               1
     0 0.48 0.52
##
##
     1 0.61 0.39
##
## $`1`
##
##
          0
               1
     0 0.49 0.51
     1 0.54 0.46
##
# Model
model_lag_1 <- gee(response ~ treatment * response_1, corstr = "independence", family = binomial("logit"
## Beginning Cgee S-function, @(#) geeformula.q 4.13 98/01/27
\ensuremath{\mbox{\#\#}} running glm to get initial regression estimate
##
             (Intercept)
                                     treatment1
                                                             response_1
                                     -0.5250711
                                                              3.0806020
##
              -3.1023420
## treatment1:response 1
##
               0.3391717
round(summary(model_lag_1)$coeff,2)
##
                          Estimate Naive S.E. Naive z Robust S.E. Robust z
## (Intercept)
                             -3.10
                                          0.23 -13.55
                                                               0.27
                                                                      -11.60
                                                -1.45
## treatment1
                             -0.53
                                          0.36
                                                               0.44
                                                                       -1.18
## response_1
                              3.08
                                          0.27
                                                11.31
                                                             0.35
                                                                        8.90
```

```
## treatment1:response_1
                              0.34
                                         0.42
                                                 0.81
                                                              0.53
                                                                       0.65
model_lag_1b <- gee(response ~ treatment + response_1, corstr = "independence", family = binomial("logit</pre>
## Beginning Cgee S-function, @(#) geeformula.q 4.13 98/01/27
## running glm to get initial regression estimate
  (Intercept) treatment1 response 1
     -3.209514
##
                 -0.273886
                               3.230248
round(summary(model_lag_1b)$coeff,2)
##
               Estimate Naive S.E. Naive z Robust S.E. Robust z
## (Intercept)
                  -3.21
                               0.19 - 16.47
                                                    0.23
                                                           -14.24
                  -0.27
                                      -1.51
                                                    0.19
                                                            -1.43
## treatment1
                               0.18
                                                            12.52
## response_1
                   3.23
                               0.21
                                      15.70
                                                    0.26
```

The following interpretations can be made for the coefficients in the first-order transition model:

- Intercept: -3.41 is the log odds of having moderate or severe onycholysis for those who had no treatment and did not have moderate or severe onycholysis in the previous visit.
- treatment: -0.84 is the log odds ratio of respiratory infection comapring those with and without moderate or severe onycholysis who had an identical treatment status in the previous visit.
- response\_1: 4.33 is the log odds ratio of moderate or severe onycholysis comparing those with and without treatment in their previous visit who currently have an identical status for moderate or severe onycholysis.

### Part 4

The interpretations from the transition model differ from the ones in HW 2 and HW 3 because they compare the current status to the status at the previous visit, while the previous models (GEE and mixed effects) do not account for the direct previous visit.

# Question 2

### Setup

```
toenail <- fread("toenail.txt")
colnames(toenail) <- c("id","response","treatment","month","visit")
toenail2 <- tidyr::complete(toenail, id, visit) %>%
tidyr::fill(treatment)
toenail2 <- as.data.table(toenail2)</pre>
```

```
# Complete case analysis
count = toenail2[, j = list(n = sum(!is.na(response))), by = "id"]
table(count$n)
```

```
##
##
       2
            3
               4 5 6 7
    1
        3 7
                6 10 39 224
count = count[n==7]
toenail3 = toenail2[id %in% count$id]
table(toenail3$response, useNA = "always")
##
##
     0
          1 <NA>
## 1266 302
table(toenail3$visit, toenail3$response, useNA = "always")
##
##
           0
              1 <NA>
##
         144 80
    1
         152 72
##
    2
                    0
##
    3
         161 63
                    0
##
    4
         180 44
                    0
    5
         207 17
##
                    0
##
    6
         211 13
                    0
##
    7
         211 13
                    0
    <NA>
gee1 = geeglm(response ~ treatment + (visit + I(visit^2)), id = id, data = toenail3, family = binomial
summary(gee1)
##
## geeglm(formula = response ~ treatment + (visit + I(visit^2)),
      family = binomial(link = "logit"), data = toenail3, id = id,
##
##
      corstr = "unstructured")
##
## Coefficients:
##
              Estimate Std.err Wald Pr(>|W|)
## (Intercept) -0.55054 0.22593 5.938
## treatment
             -0.08481 0.25414 0.111
                                      0.7386
## visit
              -0.11827 0.11014 1.153
                                       0.2829
## I(visit^2) -0.03384 0.01808 3.506
                                      0.0612 .
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Correlation structure = unstructured
## Estimated Scale Parameters:
##
              Estimate Std.err
##
## (Intercept)
                 1.041 0.3283
    Link = identity
##
## Estimated Correlation Parameters:
            Estimate Std.err
## alpha.1:2 0.8960 0.28370
## alpha.1:3
             0.7745 0.25781
## alpha.1:4
             0.5556 0.20552
## alpha.1:5
             0.2432 0.12187
```

```
## alpha.1:6
              0.1470 0.09672
## alpha.1:7 0.1529 0.10101
## alpha.2:3 0.8882 0.29160
## alpha.2:4 0.6492 0.23421
## alpha.2:5 0.2984 0.14228
## alpha.2:6 0.2046 0.11634
## alpha.2:7 0.1828 0.11207
## alpha.3:4 0.8334 0.28901
## alpha.3:5 0.3074 0.14938
## alpha.3:6 0.2004 0.12192
## alpha.3:7 0.2248 0.12759
## alpha.4:5 0.4036 0.17758
## alpha.4:6 0.2764 0.14615
## alpha.4:7
             0.3070 0.15330
## alpha.5:6
              0.5167 0.21708
## alpha.5:7
              0.5128 0.21372
## alpha.6:7
              0.7330 0.26623
## Number of clusters:
                       224 Maximum cluster size: 7
```

## (Intercept) -0.3773 0.1862 4.11

-0.1495 0.2142 0.49

## treatment

#### Part 2

```
# Available case analysis
table(toenail2$response,useNA = "always")
##
##
     0
           1 <NA>
## 1500 408 150
table(toenail2$visit, toenail2$response, useNA = "always")
##
##
           0
                1 <NA>
##
         185 109
     1
                     0
##
     2
         191
              97
##
    3
         199
               84
                    11
##
     4
         214
              58
                    22
##
    5
         241 22
                    31
                    50
##
         226 18
##
    7
          244 20
                    30
gee2 = geeglm(response ~ treatment + (visit + I(visit^2)), id = id, data = toenail2, family = binomial
summary(gee2)
##
## geeglm(formula = response ~ treatment + (visit + I(visit^2)),
       family = binomial(link = "logit"), data = toenail2, id = id,
##
       corstr = "unstructured")
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std.err Wald Pr(>|W|)
```

0.043 \*

0.485

```
## visit
               -0.1235 0.0913 1.83
                                       0.176
## I(visit^2)
              -0.0302 0.0149 4.10
                                       0.043 *
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Correlation structure = unstructured
## Estimated Scale Parameters:
##
##
              Estimate Std.err
## (Intercept)
                  1.01
                         0.208
    Link = identity
##
## Estimated Correlation Parameters:
##
            Estimate Std.err
## alpha.1:2
               0.895 0.1880
## alpha.1:3
               0.716
                      0.1611
## alpha.1:4
               0.545 0.1405
## alpha.1:5
               0.263 0.0941
## alpha.1:6
               0.153 0.0789
## alpha.1:7
               0.131 0.0804
## alpha.2:3
               0.832 0.1848
## alpha.2:4
               0.648 0.1629
## alpha.2:5
               0.285 0.1016
## alpha.2:6
               0.240 0.0947
## alpha.2:7
               0.154 0.0870
## alpha.3:4
               0.850 0.2027
## alpha.3:5
               0.296 0.1073
## alpha.3:6
               0.213 0.0961
## alpha.3:7
               0.187 0.0968
## alpha.4:5
               0.397 0.1256
## alpha.4:6
               0.294 0.1120
## alpha.4:7
               0.258 0.1128
## alpha.5:6
               0.493 0.1502
## alpha.5:7
               0.438 0.1500
## alpha.6:7
               0.607 0.1842
## Number of clusters:
                        294 Maximum cluster size: 7
```

```
# LOCF
toenail4 = lapply(unique(toenail2$id), function(z){tidyr::fill(toenail2[id == z], treatment)})
toenail4 = rbindlist(toenail4)
table(toenail4$visit, toenail4$response, useNA = "always")
##
##
                1 <NA>
            0
##
     1
          185 109
##
               97
                     6
     2
          191
##
     3
          199
               84
                    11
     4
##
          214
               58
                    22
##
     5
          241
               22
                    31
          226
##
     6
               18
                    50
##
     7
          244
               20
                    30
```

```
##
    <NA> 0 0
gee3 = geeglm(response ~ treatment + (visit + I(visit^2)), id = id, data = toenail4, family = binomial(
summary(gee3)
##
## Call:
## geeglm(formula = response ~ treatment + (visit + I(visit^2)),
      family = binomial(link = "logit"), data = toenail4, id = id,
      corstr = "unstructured")
##
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std.err Wald Pr(>|W|)
## (Intercept) -0.3773 0.1862 4.11
                                      0.043 *
               -0.1495 0.2142 0.49
## treatment
                                      0.485
## visit
               -0.1235 0.0913 1.83
                                      0.176
## I(visit^2) -0.0302 0.0149 4.10
                                      0.043 *
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Correlation structure = unstructured
## Estimated Scale Parameters:
##
              Estimate Std.err
## (Intercept)
                  1.01
                         0.208
##
   Link = identity
## Estimated Correlation Parameters:
            Estimate Std.err
##
## alpha.1:2
              0.895 0.1880
## alpha.1:3
               0.716 0.1611
## alpha.1:4
               0.545 0.1405
## alpha.1:5
               0.263 0.0941
## alpha.1:6
               0.153 0.0789
## alpha.1:7
               0.131 0.0804
## alpha.2:3
               0.832 0.1848
## alpha.2:4
               0.648 0.1629
## alpha.2:5
               0.285 0.1016
## alpha.2:6
               0.240 0.0947
## alpha.2:7
               0.154 0.0870
## alpha.3:4
               0.850 0.2027
## alpha.3:5
               0.296 0.1073
## alpha.3:6
               0.213 0.0961
## alpha.3:7
               0.187 0.0968
## alpha.4:5
               0.397 0.1256
## alpha.4:6
               0.294 0.1120
## alpha.4:7
               0.258 0.1128
## alpha.5:6
               0.493 0.1502
## alpha.5:7
               0.438 0.1500
## alpha.6:7
               0.607 0.1842
## Number of clusters:
                       294 Maximum cluster size: 7
```

```
# MI
toenail5 = toenail2
pred = make.predictorMatrix(toenail5)
##
             id visit response treatment month
## id
                    1
                             1
                    0
                                        1
## visit
              1
                              1
                                              1
                    1
                                        1
                                              1
## response
              1
## treatment 1
                    1
                              1
                                        0
                                              1
## month
              1
                    1
                              1
pred["response", "id"] = -2
pred
             id visit response treatment month
##
## id
                    1
                              1
## visit
              1
                    0
                                        1
                                              1
                              1
## response -2
                    1
                              0
                                        1
## treatment 1
                              1
                                              1
                    1
## month
              1
                    1
                              1
                                              0
pred = pred["response",,drop = FALSE]
##
            id visit response treatment month
## response -2
toenail5$id <- as.integer(toenail5$id)</pre>
imp = mice(toenail5, method = "21.bin", pred = pred, seed = 1, maxit = 1, m = 5, print = FALSE, blocks
table(mice::complete(imp)$response, useNA = "always")
##
##
      0
           1 <NA>
## 1500 408 150
implist = mids2mitml.list(imp)
gee4 = with(implist, geeglm(response ~ treatment + (visit + I(visit^2)), id = id, family = binomial, co
testEstimates(gee4)
##
## Call:
## testEstimates(model = gee4)
## Final parameter estimates and inferences obtained from 5 imputed data sets.
##
                Estimate Std.Error
                                                           P(>|t|)
                                                                                    FMI
##
                                      t.value
                                                     df
                                                                         RIV
                  -0.377
                                       -2.026
                                                             0.043
                                                                       0.000
                                                                                  0.000
## (Intercept)
                              0.186
                                                     Inf
                  -0.150
                              0.214
                                       -0.698
                                                     Inf
                                                             0.485
                                                                       0.000
                                                                                  0.000
## treatment
## visit
                  -0.124
                              0.091
                                       -1.353
                                                     Inf
                                                             0.176
                                                                       0.000
                                                                                  0.000
## I(visit^2)
                  -0.030
                              0.015
                                       -2.025
                                                     Inf
                                                             0.043
                                                                       0.000
                                                                                  0.000
##
## Unadjusted hypothesis test as appropriate in larger samples.
```

```
## term estimate std.error statistic df p.value

## 1 (Intercept) -1.5468 0.8562 -1.81 1901 0.0710

## 2 treatment -0.7008 0.6830 -1.03 1901 0.3050

## 3 visit -0.5330 0.2282 -2.34 1901 0.0196

## 4 I(visit^2) -0.0521 0.0305 -1.71 1901 0.0875
```