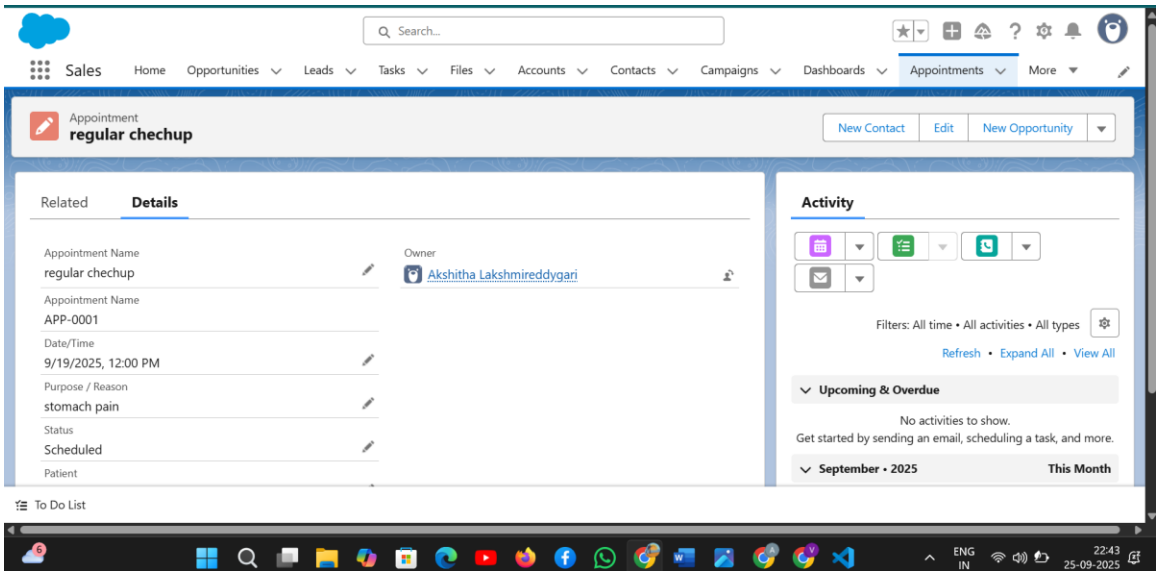
Phase 6: User Interface Development

Introduction:

This phase focuses on building an intuitive Lightning experience for different hospital roles (Doctor, Receptionist, Admin). I used Lightning App Builder, Record Pages, Tabs, Home Page Layouts, Utility Bar, a custom LWC and Apex integration to deliver a seamless UI.

1. Lightning App Builder

To provide different users with customized pages, I used Lightning App Builder to design Appointment – Doctor View and Appointment – Receptionist View record pages. Each page shows only the components relevant to that role.



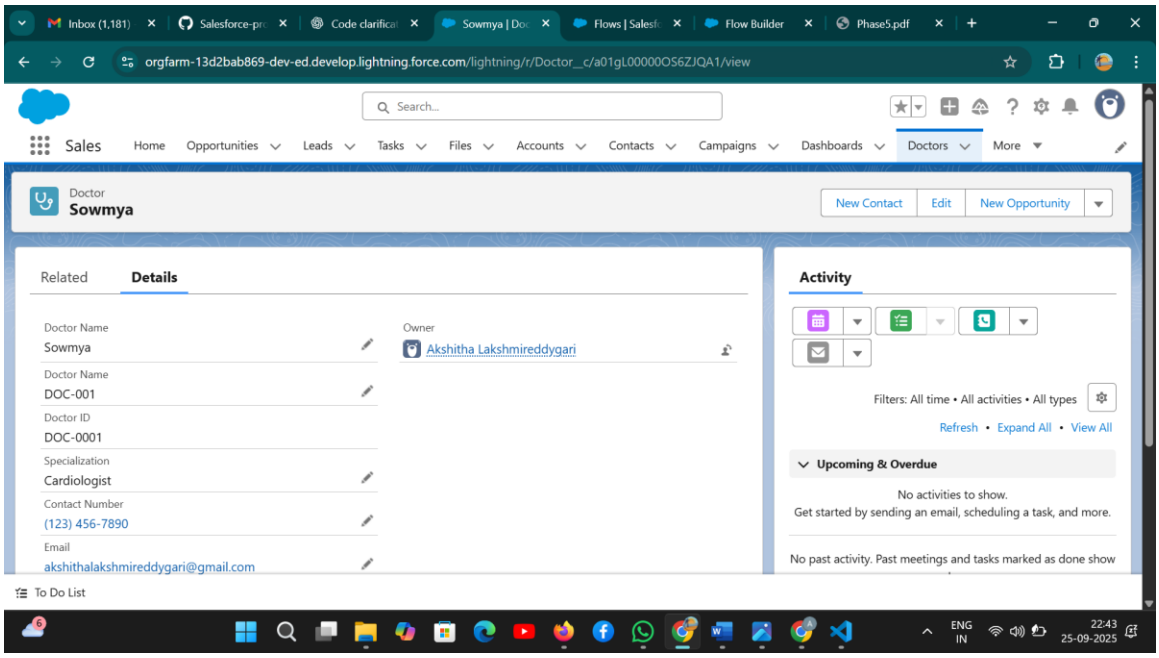
2. Record Pages (Doctor & Receptionist Views)

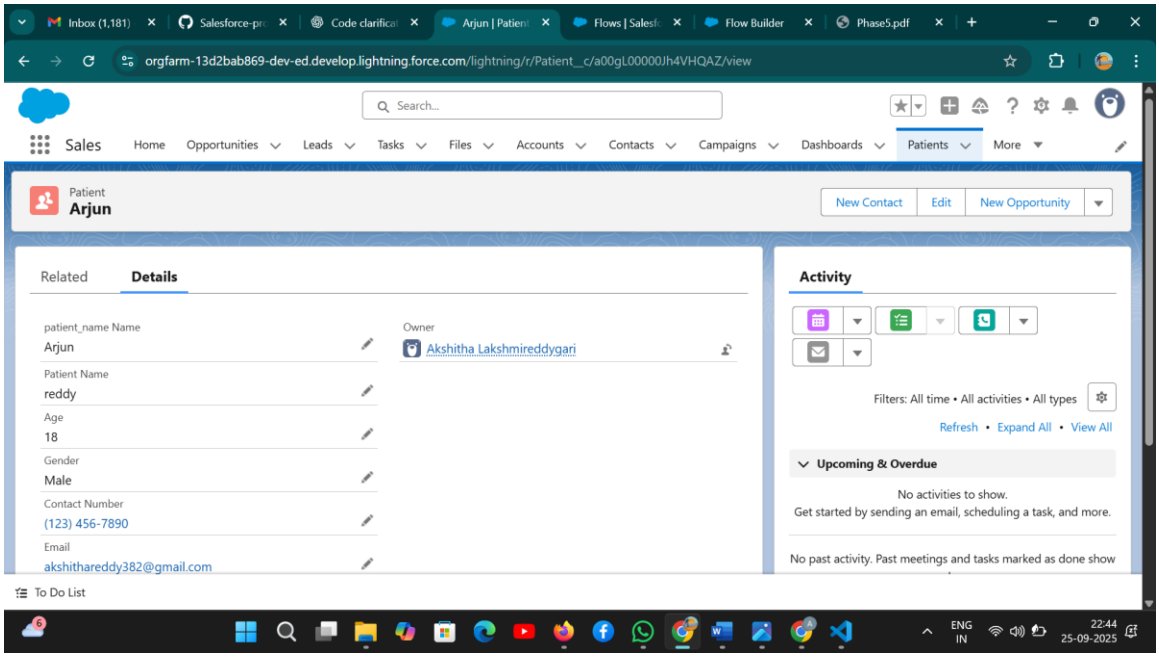
Doctors need quick access to upcoming appointments and related Medical Cases. Receptionists need fast appointment entry. I created two record pages with appropriate components:

• Appointment – Doctor View: shows patient summary, related Medical Cases, and the upcoming appointments LWC.

• Appointment – Receptionist View: optimized for quick data entry and follow-up creation.

• Activated per profile/record type so each user sees the correct page.





3. Tabs

I exposed all major objects (Patients, Appointments, Medical Cases) as tabs in the MediCare Lightning app so staff can navigate quickly.

4. Home Page Layouts

I built a custom MediCare Home Page that displays a dashboard component (Upcoming Appointments, Recent Appointments & Medical Cases, Upcoming Appointments Report Chart) for a real-time view.

5. Utility Bar

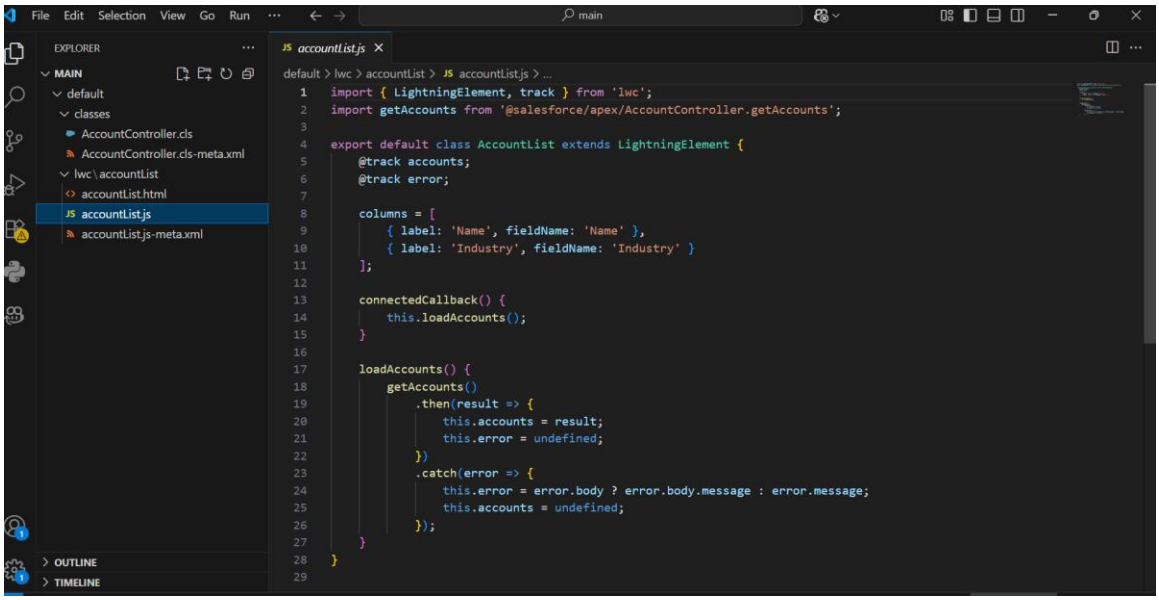
I added Reports/Dashboards and Quick Actions to the Utility Bar to give staff one-click access from anywhere in the app.

6. Lightning Web Component (LWC) – "Upcoming Appointments"

• A custom LWC appointmentCalendar built and deployed.
• It queries all upcoming appointments and displays Patient, Doctor, Date/Time, Status, Duration in a datatable.
• Dropped into the Appointment – Doctor View page so the doctor can instantly see upcoming appointments.

7. Apex with LWC

The LWC calls the Apex class AppointmentController using a wire adapter to fetch upcoming appointments server-side. This ensures the doctor always sees real-time appointment data without page refresh.



8. Wire Adapters

I used a @wire adapter in the LWC to call the Apex method automatically and refresh when the data changes. This keeps the appointments list up-to-date without manual refresh.

9. Results / Observations

• Doctors now see a live list of upcoming appointments directly on their Appointment page.

• Receptionists can quickly create and manage appointments without leaving their view.

• The MediCare Home Page provides a real-time snapshot of the hospital's activities (appointments and cases).

• Utility Bar ensures quick access to reports, dashboards and actions from anywhere in the app.

• The LWC with Apex integration makes the UI dynamic and responsive, reducing page refreshes.