

# **Hospital Patient Management System**

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#### **Overview**

The purpose of developing this "Hospital Patient Management System" is for the automation of Hospital Management which includes maintaining patient details, keeping the track and log of prescription, diet and tests along with billing.

In many places, data storage for patient details and records are still done via Books and Ledgers which is not good for the environment as a lot of paper needs to be used, which leads to requiring a lot of trees being cut down if a large number of hospitals use them.

On top of this, retrieving the data and the details after time has passed is a hassle as each book would need to be individually found and searched. Backing them up is also quite a tedious and expensive affair, as the amount of ledgers and books would be doubled.

To help in the data storage for hospitals, this Hospital Patient Management System streamlines the entry and retrieval process to make things easier for the people entering the details and also so that patients can also easily access and modify relevant data.

#### Introduction

# **Existing System**

The present system is a manual system or a semi-automated system. Manual system involves paper work in the form of maintaining various records. Maintaining critical information in the files is full of risk and a tedious process.

A manual system has the following disadvantages:

- Lack of immediate retrievals: It is very difficult to find and retrieve particular information. e.g. To find out about a patient's history, the user has to go through various registers. This is inconvenient and results in wastage of time.
- Lack of immediate information storage: Information generated by various transactions takes time and effort to be stored at the right place.
- **Lack of prompt updating**: Various changes to information like patient details or immunization details of a child are difficult to make as paperwork work is involved.
- **Error-prone manual calculation**: Manual calculations are error-prone and take a lot of time. For example, calculation of a patient's bill based on various treatments.
- **Preparation of accurate and prompt reports**: This becomes a difficult task as information is difficult to collect from various registers.
- Limited sharing is possible if the data is in the form of paper or disk drives.

• The manual system gives us less security for saving data, some data may be lost due to mismanagement.

#### **Proposed System**

The patient management system aims to provide the patient and hospital staff features equal to or better than the traditional record keeping.

The project maintains two level of users:

- 1. User level: Patient/Caretaker
- 2. Administrative level: Data entry operator

Main facilities available in this project are:

- Maintaining records of indoor/outdoor patients.
- Maintaining patient's diagnostic details, advised tests to be done.
- Maintaining patient's prescription, medicine, and diet advice details.
- Providing an interface for a patient to view his appointments, test details etc.
- Providing billing for indoor/outdoor patients.

# **Specifications**

#### **User Characteristics**

#### Admin:

- Has complete access to the database.
- Can add or delete any staff/doctor/patient
- Can modify any detail in the database.

#### Caretaker:

- Can add new patients to the database.
- View any patient's details(reports, medical history, etc.).
- Can update patient's appointment dates, test results, etc.

#### Patient:

- Can view their medical records.
- Can update their contact details and password.

## **Assumptions**

The following assumptions have been made while making this project:

- 1. All users have a basic knowledge of English language.
- 2. All users have a basic knowledge of computer usage.
- 3. Admin has a basic knowledge of how to use the system due to previous experience with other systems.
- 4. Patient and staff are equipped with a computer.
- 5. Users must have internet connection at all times.

## **Dependencies**

As it requires data to be fetched from a cloud database. It is dependent on internet connection. A connection is required to send commands and receive answers, usually in the form of a result set.

#### **Constraints**

All users must be logged in order to use the product and access information.

# Requirements

#### **Functional Requirements**

Functional requirements are tabulated as follows accompanied with a priority level.

- **Priority 1**: This requirement is a "must have" as outlined by policy/law.
- **Priority 2**: This requirement is needed for improved processing, and fulfillment of the requirement will create immediate benefits.
- **Priority 3**: This requirement is a "nice to have" which may include new functionality.

Functional Requirement	Priority Level
Nurses must have a userID and password to login	1
Only administrator can register new nurses	1
Patient will login using the ID and password	1

provided to them by the hospital	
Nurses can add/update the medical records, appointment date of a patient	1
Nurses can add contact details of the patient only while creating the record.	2
Patients can only view their medical records and appointments	1
Patients can edit their contact details and password.	2

# Non-Functional Requirements

#### **Usability Requirements**

The most important commands for each type of interface will be visible at first view so the software can be easily accessed. It will be designed in a way that allows modifications to be made, as it has to be updated time after time to fulfill management requirements and to manage possible error occurrences.

#### **UI** Requirements

- A simple, responsive and fast system.
- Web app, consistent in all interfacing screens.
- Details of anything will be displayed quickly.
- Flexible navigation to and displayed panels or pages.

#### Learnability

- Our product is user- friendly -- everyone can easily learn how to use the software following the guidelines provided by us.
- The software is in English. It can be understood by someone with basic knowledge of English.

## Portability

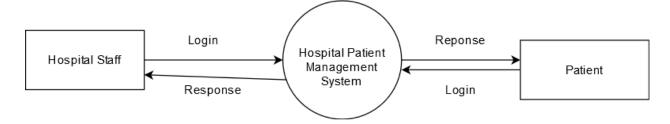
The website can be accessed in any platform and browser as long as the user has an Internet connection.

# Security

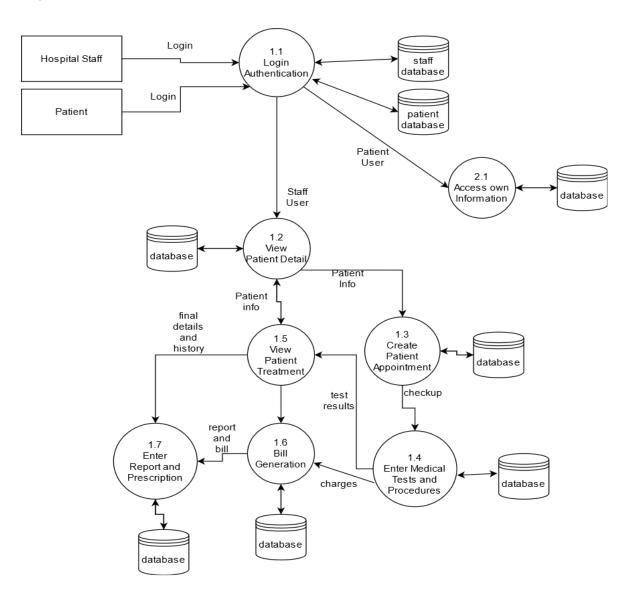
- Ensures that both patient and nurses are registered in the database before they try to login to respective applications.
- Passwords are stored in the database in hashed format in order to provide additional layer security for users in case of data breach.
- A log of all the changes made in the database is kept for data recovery purposes.

# **Data Flow Diagram**

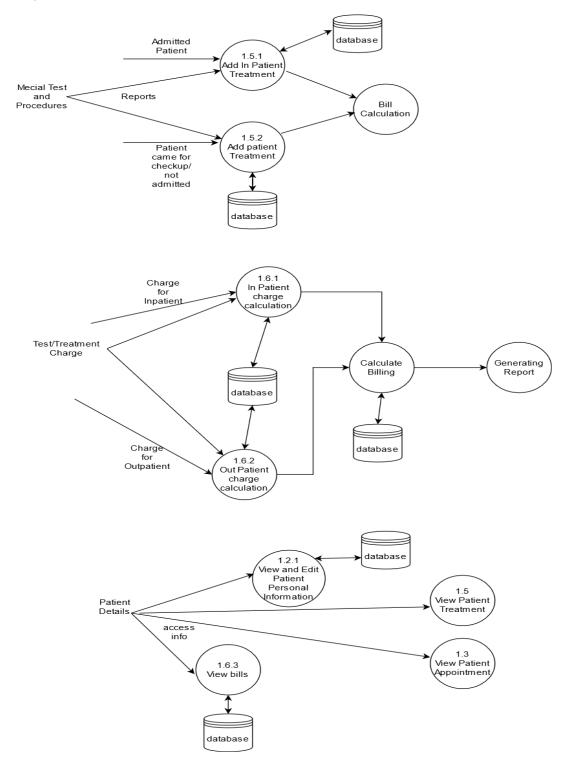
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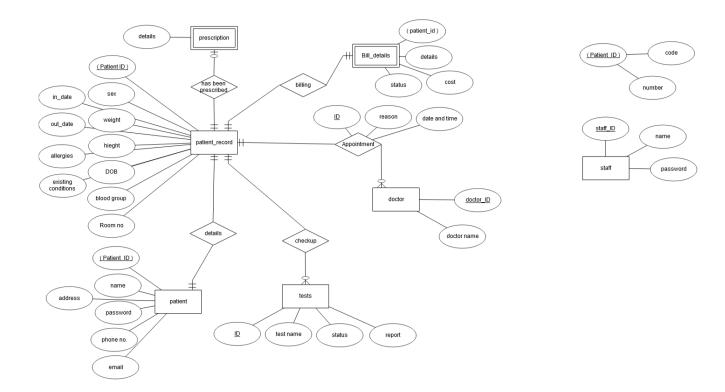
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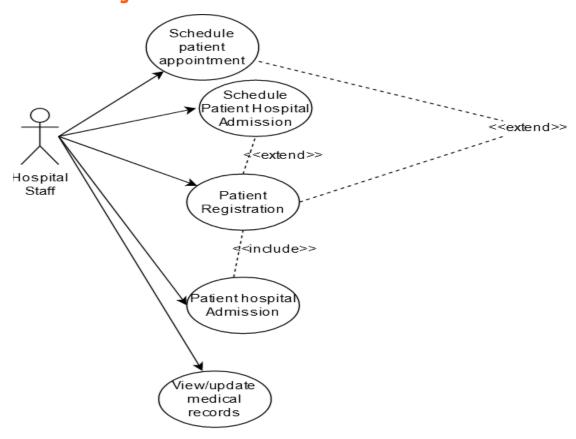
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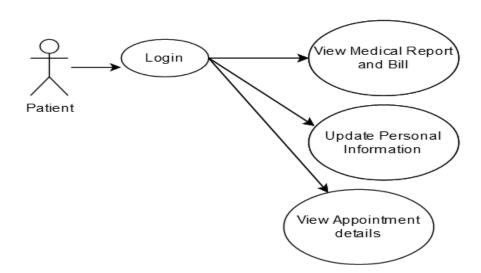


# **ER Diagram**



# **Use Case Diagram**





# **Testing**

The testing for both the applications follows Black Box Testing via manual testing of various inputs in each form for input validation and to check for error handling.

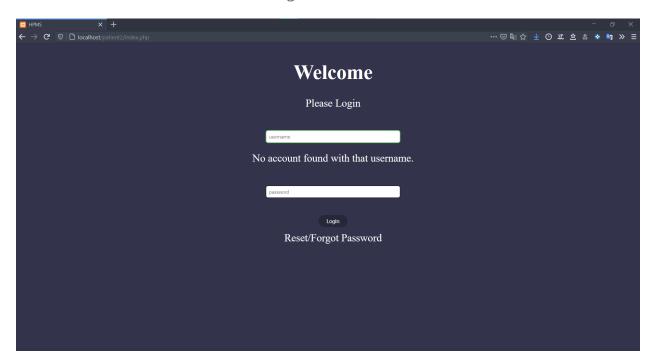
The testing is done as follows:

- Input valid data into each field to confirm dataflow is working as expected. Enter garbage data to check for error handling
- Test each input field
  Test that all required fields are filled before accepting input

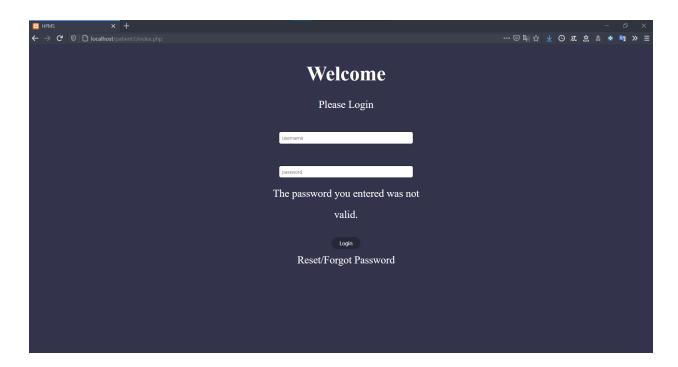
#### Website

# Login Page

Tried to enter incorrect username for login.



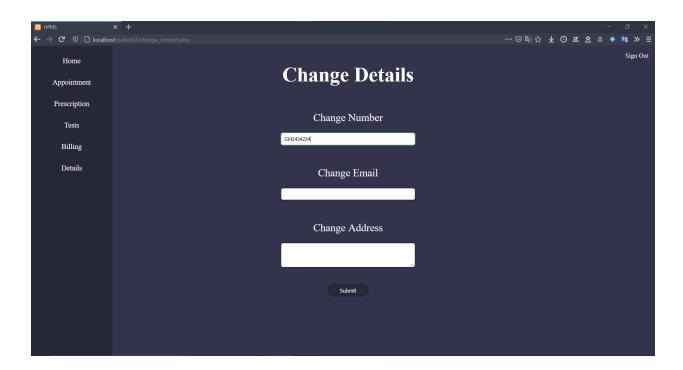
Password checker to validate if the entered password is correct or not.



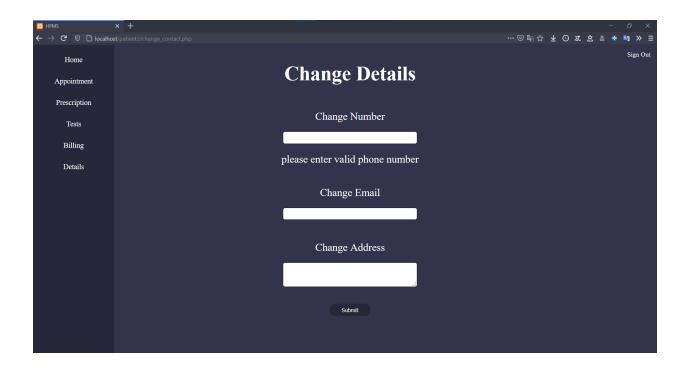
#### Change contact details page

While changing phone no. it will check if the number is valid or not.

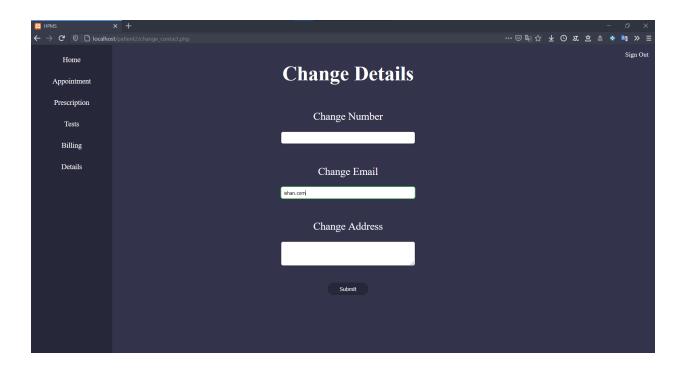
A number can start from 0 or +91, first digit should be 6-9, and it should be 10 digits.



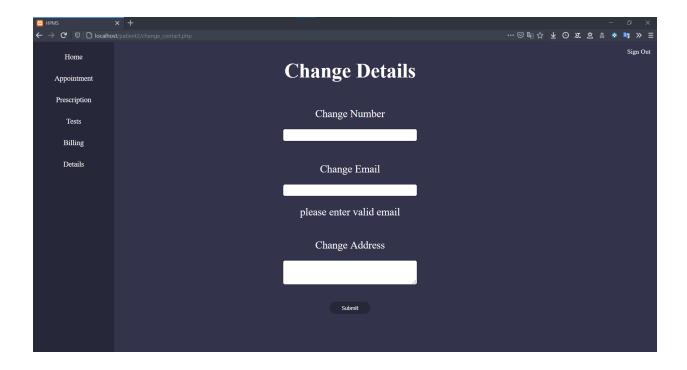
Web page will show an error message if the phone number is not valid.



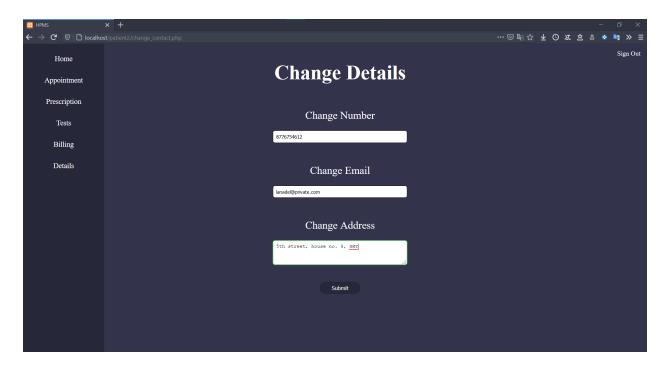
Similarly email validation is also implemented. Program will check first if the email entered is valid or not before updating.



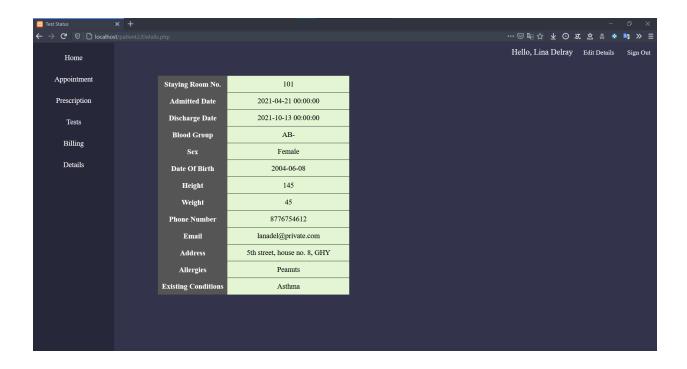
If the email is not valid an error message will be displayed.



If all the fields have valid input, contact details will be updated. User need not enter all the fields to update, they can selectively update any of the details they want.



Updated information is visible in the Details page.



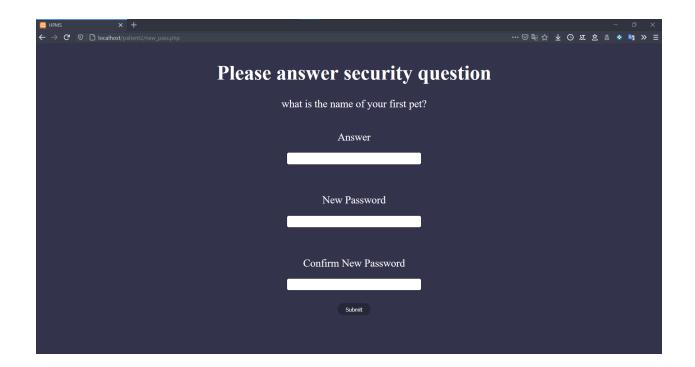
#### Reset/Forgot password page

Users will be asked to enter a username for which they want to change password. If the username is incorrect an error message will be displayed.

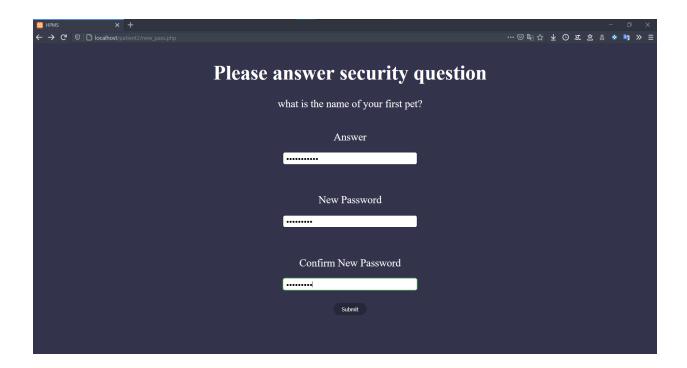




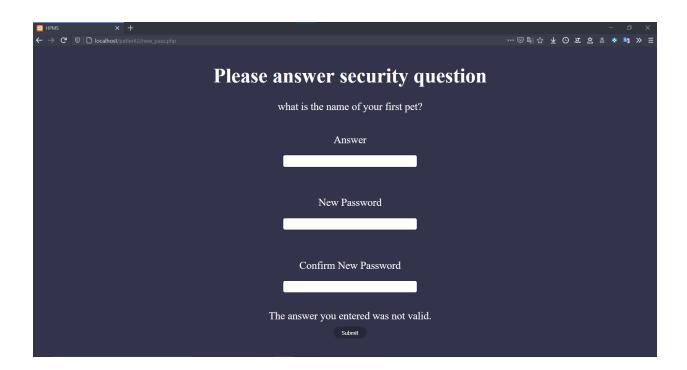
If the username is correct, the user is redirected to a change password page where they need to answer their security question and enter a new password.



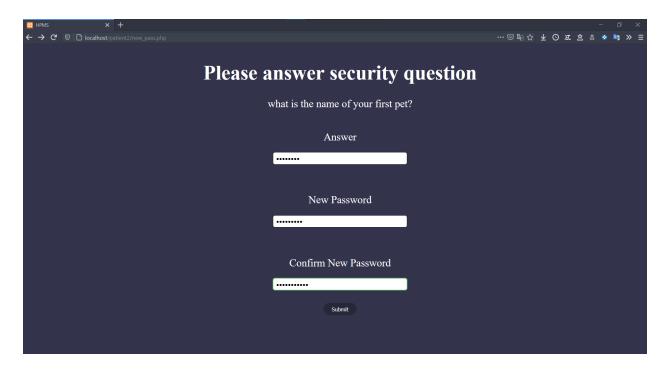
Security question displayed on the top needs to be answered correctly by the user.



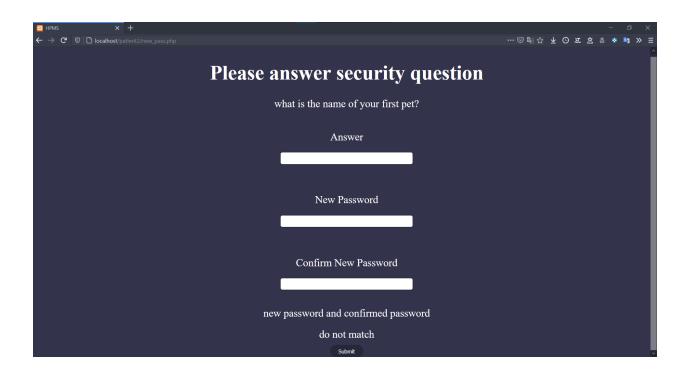
If the answer entered by the user is incorrect an error message is displayed.



User is asked to confirm the password to make sure the new password they entered is correct and remembered by the user.

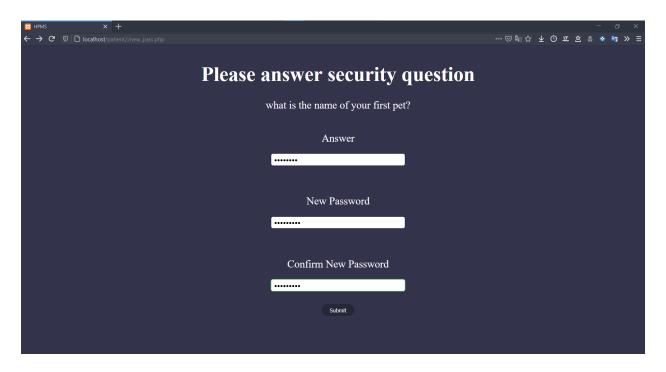


If the new password and confirm password do not match an error message is displayed.

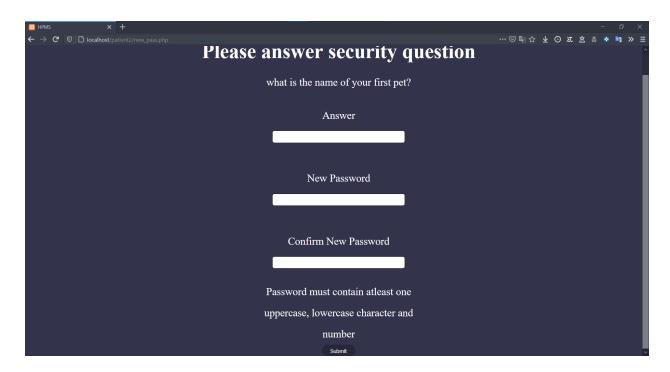


The password entered by the user should be of sufficient strength in order to ensure the security of the system.

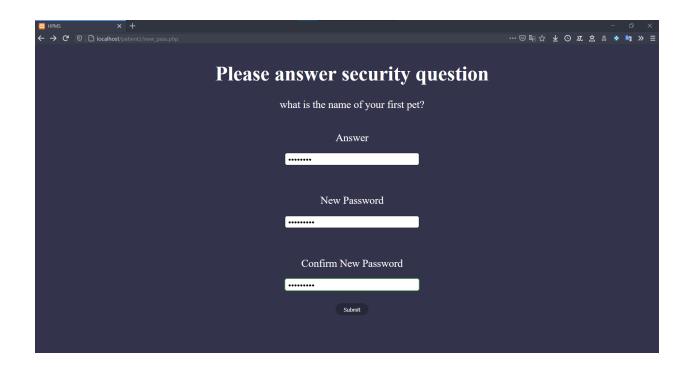
Password should be at least 8 characters and must contain at least one uppercase letter, lowercase letter and number



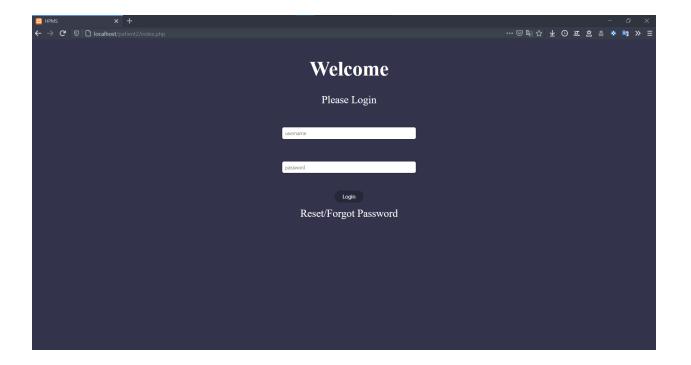
If the entered password is not of sufficient strength an error message is displayed.



If all the details are provided correctly and bypass the placed constraints the password is changed and updated in the database.



User is redirected to the login page where they can login again using their new password.

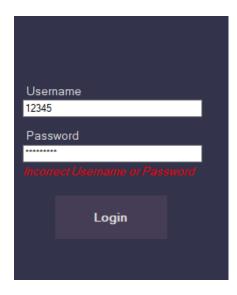


# Windows Application

The program opens with a login page that accepts a username and password that is entered by an administrator into the staff table in the database.

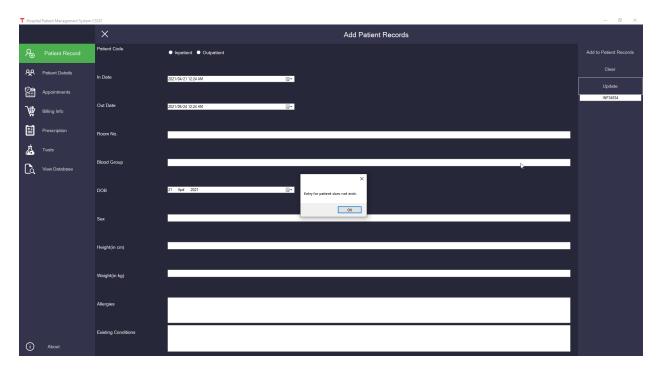


Incase of incorrect password/username, i.e. values which don't exist in the staff table, an error message is displayed.

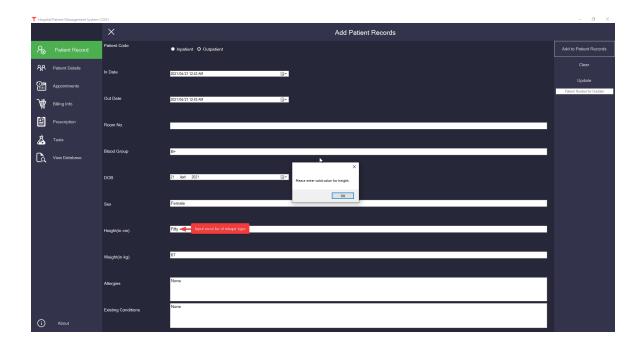


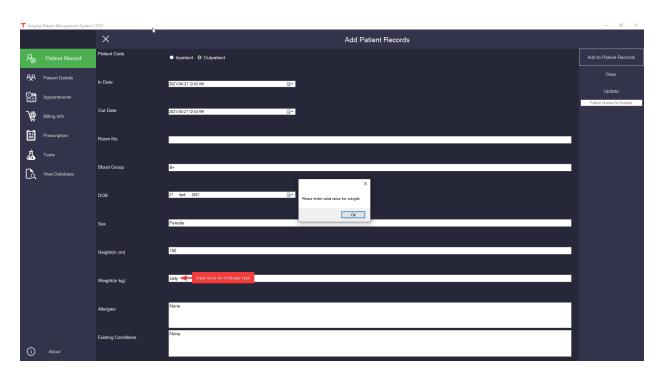


If Patient ID does not match or exist for updating the Outdate(only works for InPatients), an error message is shown.

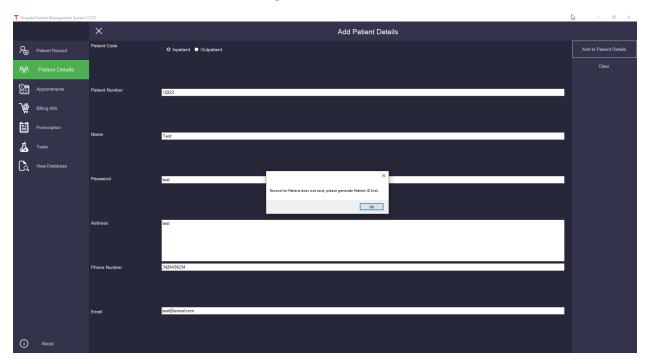


Height and Weight display error message if input type is incorrect.

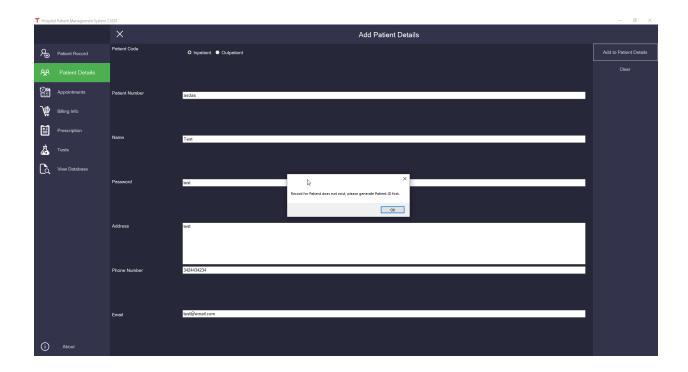


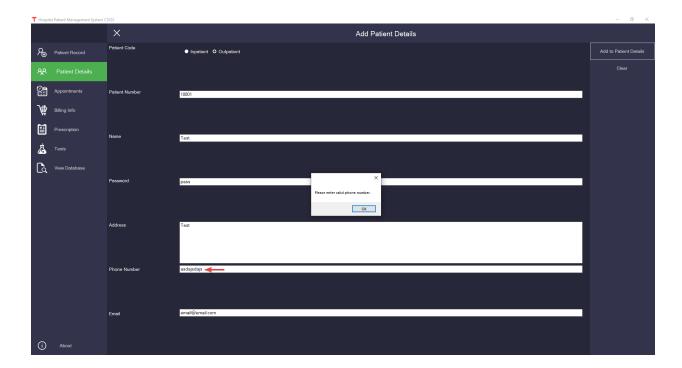


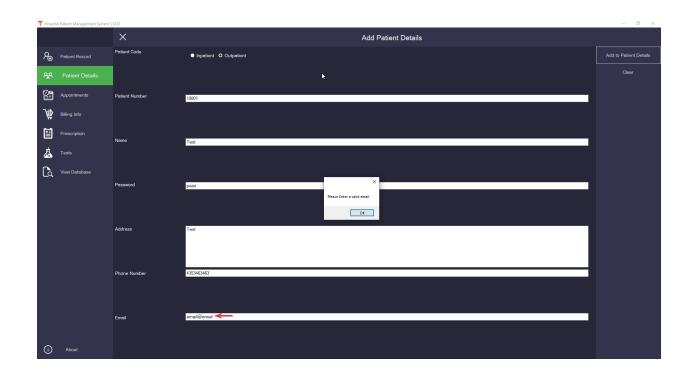
Patient Record(i.e. Patient ID) must be generated before details can be entered.

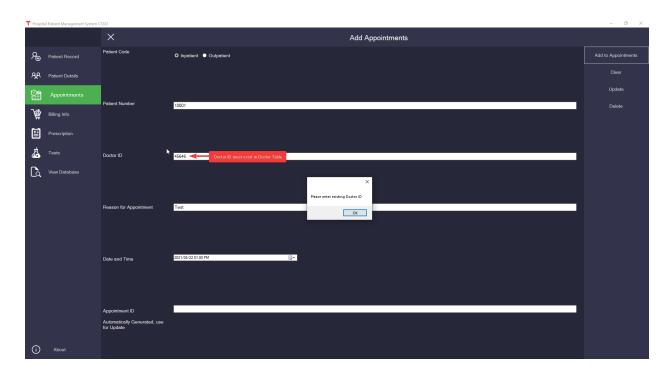


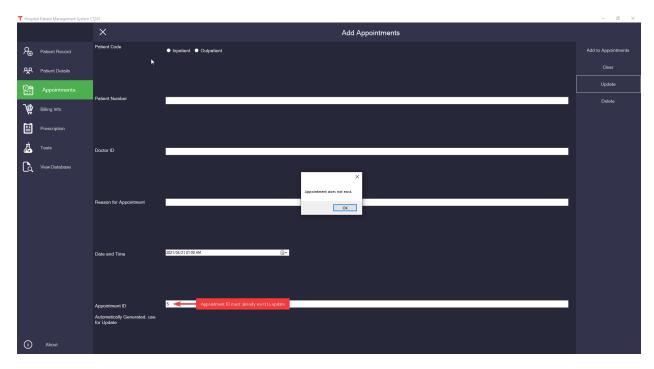
Error Message displayed for wrong input types in respective fields.

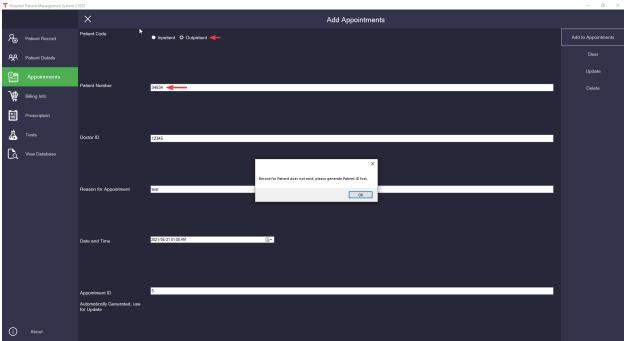


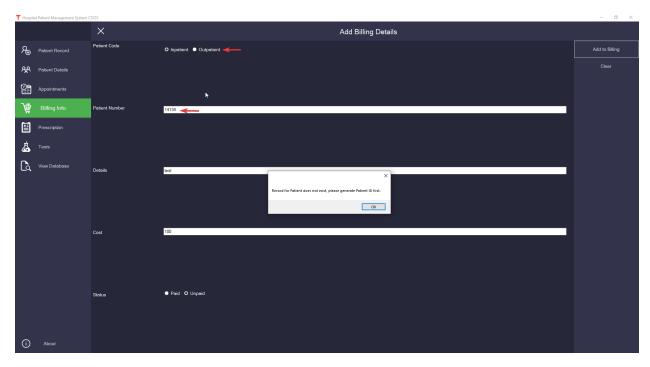


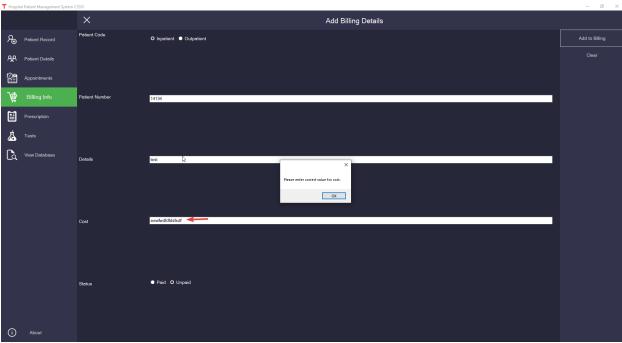


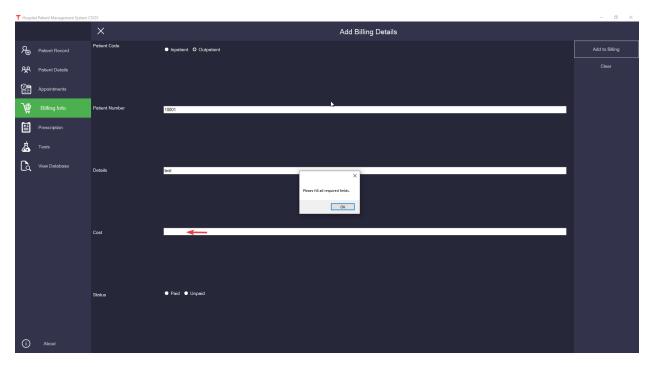


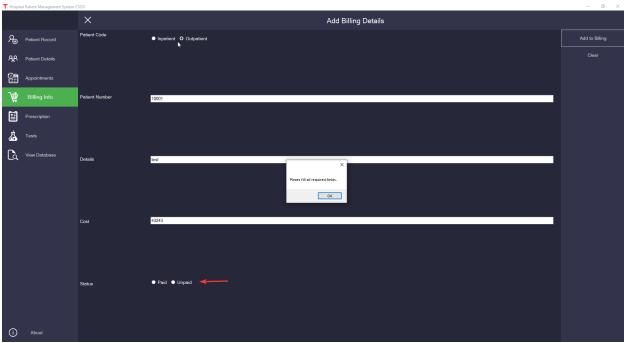




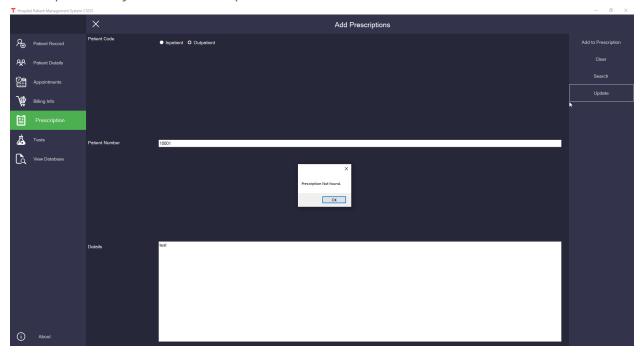


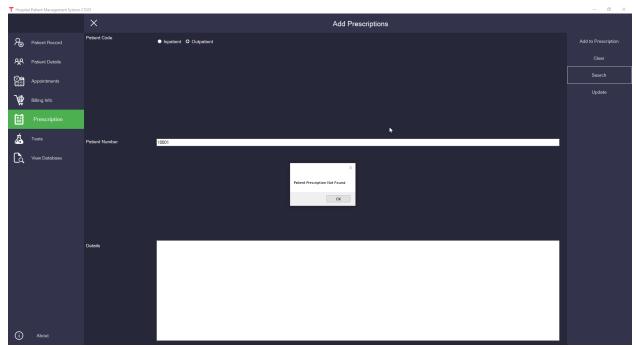


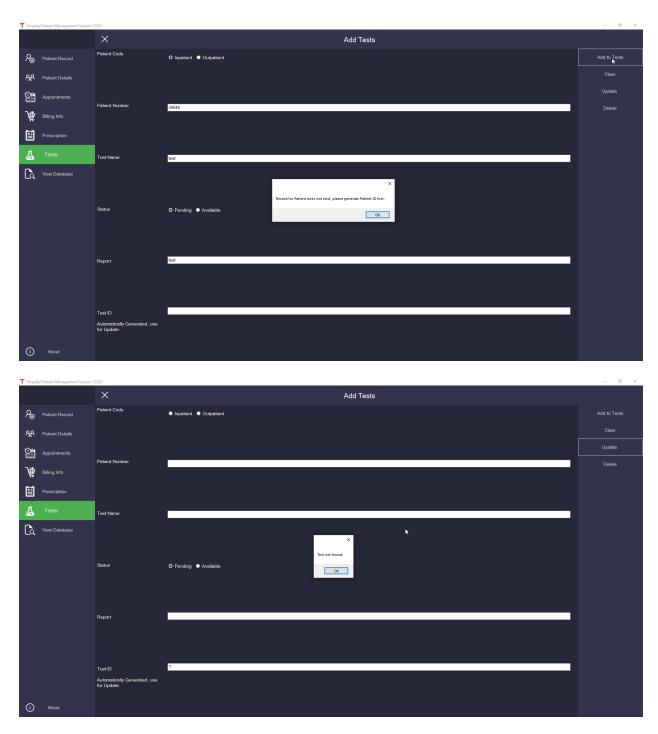




Prescription entry must exist to update and search.







Test ID must exist in the database to update.

# Error message if PatientID does not exist in database

