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ABSTRACT

The AINS Hospital Website Management System is a web-based application developed to simplify and modernize the hospital appointment and consultation process. The objective of the project is to create an efficient platform for patients to book appointments, manage consultation histories, and track their real-time consultation status. The system allows a single user account to handle multiple patient profiles, making it convenient for families to manage healthcare collectively.

The scope of the project includes appointment booking, doctor consultation tracking, token queue management, and administrative control over doctor records and appointments. The methodology involves designing a user-friendly interface with secure login, dynamic appointment modules, and a real-time token update system managed by doctors. Administrators can manage doctor profiles and view appointments filtered by date or patient. Doctors can update the consultation status of each patient, which reflects in the patient's history, offering transparency and organized record-keeping.

Key findings include reduced manual effort in appointment scheduling, improved patient-doctor coordination, and enhanced user satisfaction through digital healthcare access. The system is currently built for a single hospital with one admin, but it is designed to be scalable for future multi-admin and multi-hospital extensions, contributing to a more efficient and transparent healthcare delivery process.

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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Introduction

Healthcare is a fundamental need, and with the growing demand for digital solutions in medical services, hospitals are increasingly turning toward technology to manage patient appointments and consultations. The *AINS Hospital Website Management System* is developed to bring efficiency, transparency, and ease of access to patients and hospital staff alike. Traditional appointment booking methods are often time-consuming and require physical presence, which this system aims to eliminate. By using this platform, patients can log in using their email credentials, manage multiple patient profiles under one account (ideal for families), and seamlessly book appointments with available doctors.

The platform maintains detailed appointment history for each patient, allowing users to keep track of past consultations. Doctors can log in to update the consultation status of their scheduled patients, and a live token system informs patients about their turn and current consultation progress. On the administrative side, the system empowers a single admin to add or update doctor profiles and view appointment logs filtered by date or patient.

This project brings together all stakeholders—patients, doctors, and administrators—on a single digital interface, offering a modern, centralized solution for managing hospital operations and enhancing the healthcare experience. It is designed to be user-friendly, secure, and adaptable to future expansions.

1.2 Background and Motivation

Hospitals often face challenges in maintaining accurate records, managing appointments, and coordination between departments. Traditional manual processes are not only time-consuming but also prone to human errors, delays, and miscommunication. With the rapid advancement in technology, there is a growing need for a system that ensures smooth, accurate, and secure management of hospital activities.

The motivation behind this project stems from the desire to improve the quality of healthcare services by introducing automation in appointment handling, patient data management, and administrative control. The system enables users to register and log in to manage multiple patient profiles under a single user account, facilitating a more convenient approach for families seeking healthcare for multiple members.

1.3 Objectives

The primary objective of the *Hospital Website Management System* is to provide an efficient, user-friendly, and digital solution to manage hospital consultations, appointments, and doctor-patient interactions. The system is designed to reduce manual efforts, save time, and improve the accessibility of healthcare services for patients and families.

Key objectives include:

1. **Patient Account Management:** Allow users to register and manage multiple patient profiles under a single account, simplifying family healthcare tracking.
2. **Online Appointment Booking:** Enable patients to book appointments with doctors through an intuitive interface, selecting date, time, and relevant details.
3. **Real-Time Token System:** Implement a live token tracking mechanism so that patients are aware of their position in the consultation queue and the current status of ongoing appointments.
4. **Consultation History:** Maintain detailed historical records of each patient's appointments and their consultation status.
5. **Doctor Dashboard:** Allow doctors to view scheduled appointments, mark patients as consulted, and update real-time data.
6. **Admin Control:** Provide a robust admin panel for managing doctor profiles, editing details, and reviewing appointment history based on date or patient.

Ultimately, the goal is to improve operational efficiency, reduce waiting times, and enhance transparency between patients, doctors, and administrators in a hospital environment.

1.4 Scope

The *Hospital Website Management System* is built to cover various aspects of hospital appointment and consultation management, with flexibility for future enhancements. The scope of the system spans across three main user roles—patients, doctors, and the administrator—each with unique functionalities.

For **patients**, the system offers:

1. Account creation and secure login using email and password.
2. Management of multiple patient profiles under one account.
3. Viewing past appointment records and consultation statuses.
4. Online appointment booking with preferred doctors.
5. Real-time token tracking on the day of consultation.

For **doctors**, the system allows:

1. Updating consultation statuses for each appointment.
2. Managing the current token in real-time to help patients monitor progress.

For the **admin**, the system provides:

1. Full control over doctor data including adding, editing, and removing doctors.
2. Viewing and filtering appointments by date or by patient.
3. Monitoring system usage and user interactions.

Currently, the system supports a **single hospital and one admin**, but the backend and frontend structures are designed to support **scalability**, enabling multi-admin and multi-hospital capabilities in future versions. This project focuses on enhancing healthcare service delivery through digital transformation, reducing manual errors, and improving user satisfaction.

CHAPTER 2

SYSTEM OVERVIEW

2.1 System Functions

The **AINS Hospital Website Management System** is developed with the objective of digitizing various core hospital activities, particularly focusing on patient-doctor interactions and administrative efficiency. The system offers a set of integrated and interactive functions designed to automate and simplify routine processes. The major system functions are as follows:

1. User Registration and Authentication:

The system allows users to securely register and log in using an email and password. Authentication ensures that unauthorized users cannot access patient or doctor data. Each user has a unique ID, and the login credentials are encrypted for data security.

2. Patient Profile Management:

Once a user is logged in, they can manage multiple patient profiles under a single account. This feature is especially useful for families where one member can book appointments for all dependents such as children, parents, or siblings.

3. Doctor Discovery and Viewing:

Patients can browse through a list of doctors, view their specializations, check their availability by day and time, and read their qualifications and years of experience. This ensures transparency and helps users make informed choices.

4. Real-Time Appointment Booking:

The system enables users to schedule appointments with available doctors based on their preferred date and time. Available slots are shown dynamically, and once booked, the appointment details are immediately reflected in the patient's dashboard.

5. Token Generation and Queue Management:

Upon successful appointment booking, the system generates a unique token number for the patient. This token number determines the consultation order, helping the hospital manage patient flow efficiently.

6. Consultation Status Updates:

Doctors can mark appointments as "Consulted" once a patient has been seen. Patients can then view their updated consultation status and history, including doctor feedback or comments if applicable.

7. Administrative Management:

The admin dashboard provides access to a wide range of hospital operations such as adding or updating doctor profiles, managing doctor schedules, viewing patient records, and tracking overall appointment statistics.

These core functions work together to eliminate paperwork, reduce waiting time, enhance transparency, and improve the overall healthcare experience for both patients and staff.

2.2 Module Description

To organize and modularize the functionality of the system, it is divided into several interrelated modules. Each module is responsible for a distinct feature or process.

1. Login Module:

This module provides secure registration and login features for users. It validates user credentials, handles login sessions, and provides a logout function to protect access to sensitive data.

2. Patient Module:

Allows users to create and manage profiles for multiple patients under a single login. This is particularly useful for users who want to book appointments for family members.

It stores details like name, gender, date of birth, and contact information.

3. Doctor Module:

Displays all available doctors along with their schedules, working days, and areas of specialization. The user can filter and select a doctor for booking appointments. This module also ensures that a maximum of 50 appointments can be made per doctor per day.

4. Appointment Module:

Provides the interface for booking new appointments and viewing previous and upcoming ones. Patients can select a doctor and an available time slot. Doctors can update the appointment status after consultation, and patients can track this in their appointment history. During each appointment it automatically assigns a token number when an appointment is confirmed. This token helps manage the queue and ensures that patients are seen in order. It includes fields like token number, status (Waiting/Consulted), and appointment date.

5. Admin Module:

Offers administrative control over the system. Admins can manage hospitals, add or update doctor details, modify their availability, and view appointment records and patient profiles. This module is essential for keeping the system updated and functional.

Each module is connected through well-defined relationships in the database, ensuring smooth information flow, minimal redundancy, and data integrity.

2.3 Operating Environment

The AINS Hospital Website Management System is designed to be platform-independent, lightweight, and adaptable to different hosting environments. It operates efficiently in both local and cloud-based server setups.

1. Software Requirements:

- a. **Operating System:** Windows 10 or later, Linux (Ubuntu preferred), or macOS
- b. **Frontend Technologies:** HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript
- c. **Backend Technologies:** PHP (Laravel framework optional) or Node.js
- d. **Database Server:** MySQL or MariaDB
- e. **Web Server:** Apache (with XAMPP/WAMP) or Node server
- f. **Browser Compatibility:** Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Microsoft Edge, Safari
- g. **IDE:** Visual Studio Code, Sublime Text, or PHPStorm (optional)
- h. **Others:** Git for version control, Postman for API testing (optional)

2. Hardware Requirements:

- a. **Processor:** Intel Core i3 or above (or AMD equivalent)
- b. **RAM:** Minimum 4 GB (Recommended: 8 GB for better performance)
- c. **Storage:** 512 MB of free space for software installation and database

This setup ensures that the system is capable of running on most commonly available hardware and software infrastructures.

2.4 Implementation Constraints

Despite its strengths, the system has a few constraints due to the scope and scale of development.

These limitations are as follows:

1. Web-Only Access:

The current version is limited to web browsers. Mobile applications or native apps are not yet developed. This limits usability for users who prefer mobile platforms.

2. Limited User Roles:

Only four user types are implemented: User, Patient, Doctor, and Admin. Additional roles like receptionist, billing staff, or lab technician are not currently supported.

3. No Billing or Payment Integration:

The current version does not include modules for handling billing, invoicing, or online payment. These can be added in future enhancements.

4. Security Constraints:

Basic authentication and encrypted passwords are implemented, but features such as Two-Factor Authentication (2FA), CAPTCHA, or SSL certification for production deployment are not part of this version.

5. No Multi-language Support:

The interface currently supports only English, which may be a limitation in multilingual regions.

Even with these constraints, the system has been designed in a modular and scalable manner, ensuring that additional features and modules can be integrated in future releases without major redesign.

CHAPTER 3

SYSTEM DESIGN

3.1 ER Diagram

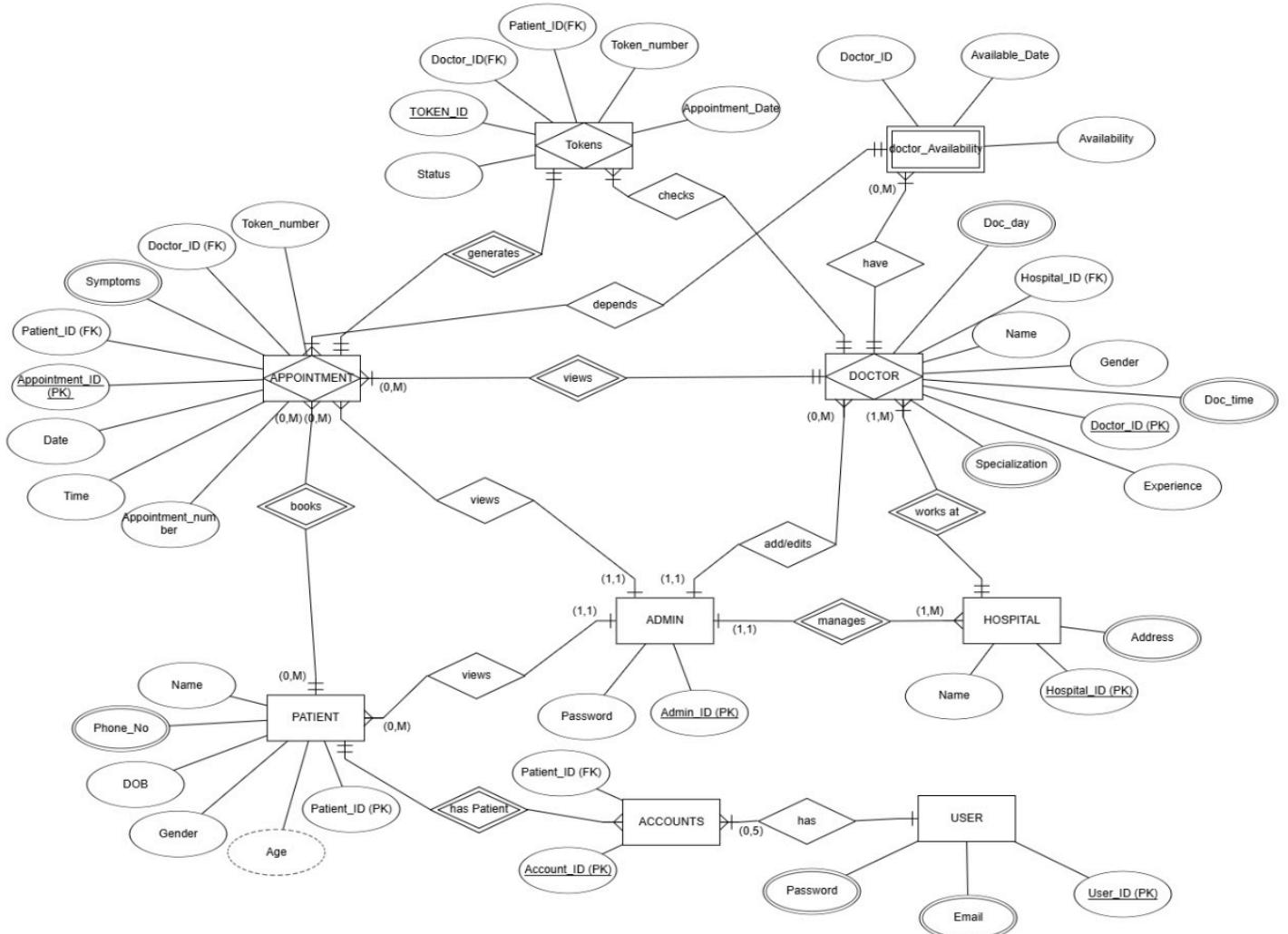


Fig 3.1 ER Diagram

1. ENTITIES AND ATTRIBUTES

a. DOCTOR

- Doctor_ID (PK): Unique identifier for each doctor.
- Name: Full name of the doctor.

- iii. Gender: Gender of the doctor.
- iv. Specialization: Medical specialty (e.g., cardiology, orthopedics).
- v. Experience: Years of experience.
- vi. Doc_day: Days available for appointment.
- vii. Doc_time: Available time slots.
- viii. Hospital_ID (FK): References the hospital the doctor works at.

b. PATIENT

- i. Patient_ID (PK): Unique identifier for each patient.
- ii. Name: Full name of the patient.
- iii. Phone_No: Contact number.
- iv. DOB: Date of birth.
- v. Gender: Gender of the patient.
- vi. Age: Age of the patient (possibly derived from DOB).

c. APPOINTMENT

- i. Appointment_ID (PK): Unique identifier for the appointment.
- ii. Doctor_ID (FK): Doctor assigned for the appointment.
- iii. Patient_ID (FK): Patient who books the appointment.
- iv. Token_number: Token assigned for the appointment.
- v. Symptoms: Patient's symptoms or reason for visit.
- vi. Date: Date of the appointment.
- vii. Time: Time of the appointment.
- viii. Appointment_number: Unique number associated with the appointment.

d. HOSPITAL

- i. Hospital_ID (PK): Unique identifier for the hospital.
- ii. Name: Name of the hospital.
- iii. Address: Location/address of the hospital.

e. ADMIN

- i. Admin_ID (PK): Unique identifier for the admin.
- ii. Password: Admin password for access.

f. TOKENS

- i. TOKEN_ID: Unique token number.

- ii. Token_number: Number assigned to patient visits.
- iii. Patient_ID (FK): References the patient assigned to the token.
- iv. Doctor_ID (FK): References the doctor the token is assigned to.
- v. Appointment_Date: Date for the token/appointment.
- vi. Status: Status of the token (e.g., active, used, cancelled).

g. DOCTOR_AVAILABILITY

- i. Doctor_ID: References the doctor.
- ii. Available_Date: Date the doctor is available.
- iii. Availability: Indicates if the doctor is available.

h. USER

- i. User_ID (PK): Unique identifier for users.
- ii. Email: Email address of the user.
- iii. Password: Password for user access

i. ACCOUNTS

- i. Account_ID (PK): Unique account ID.
- ii. Patient_ID (FK): References the patient.
- iii. Password: Account login password.

2. RELATIONSHIPS AND EXPLANATION

a. views (Between PATIENT and APPOINTMENT)

- i. **Cardinality:** One patient can view many appointments, and each appointment can be viewed by many patients.
- ii. **Explanation:** Patients can view available appointment slots, and appointments can be viewed by multiple patients (e.g., for time slot checking or token status).

b. books (Between PATIENT and APPOINTMENT)

- i. **Cardinality:** One patient can book many appointments, but each appointment is booked by one patient.
- ii. **Explanation:** Patients book appointments with doctors; this captures which patient booked which appointment.

- c. **views** (Between DOCTOR and APPOINTMENT)
 - i. **Cardinality:** One doctor can view many appointments, and each appointment can be viewed by one doctor.
 - ii. **Explanation:** Doctors can see all appointments scheduled with them.
- d. **depends** (Between TOKENS and APPOINTMENT)
 - i. **Cardinality:** A token depends on one appointment, but each appointment can have many tokens.
 - ii. **Explanation:** Tokens are generated for appointments; the token is issued only if the appointment exists.
- e. **generates** (Between APPOINTMENT and TOKENS)
 - i. **Cardinality:** Each appointment can generate many tokens.
 - ii. **Explanation:** After booking an appointment, a token is generated to manage the queue.
- f. **checks** (Between TOKENS and DOCTOR_AVAILABILITY)
 - i. **Cardinality:** Each token checks one doctor's availability.
 - ii. **Explanation:** Before assigning a token, the system checks if the doctor is available on that date.
- g. **have** (Between DOCTOR and DOCTOR_AVAILABILITY)
 - i. **Cardinality:** One doctor can have **many** availability records
 - ii. **Explanation:** Each doctor has a schedule of availability across multiple days.
- h. **views** (Between ADMIN and APPOINTMENT)
 - i. **Cardinality:** One admin can view **many** appointments
 - ii. **Explanation:** Admin can monitor or manage the appointments in the system.
- i. **adds/edits** (Between ADMIN and DOCTOR)
 - i. **Cardinality:** One admin can add or edit **many** doctors
 - ii. **Explanation:** Admin is responsible for managing doctor records.
- j. **manages** (Between ADMIN and HOSPITAL)
 - i. **Cardinality:** One admin manages **one** hospital

ii. **Explanation:** Each hospital is managed by an admin (e.g., hospital profile, admin-level control).

k. **works at** (Between DOCTOR and HOSPITAL)

i. **Cardinality:** One hospital can have **many** doctors; each doctor works at **one** hospital

ii. **Explanation:** Doctors are affiliated with hospitals

l. **has Patient** (Between ACCOUNTS and PATIENT)

i. **Cardinality:** One account is linked to **one** patient

ii. **Explanation:** Each patient has an account for logging in and managing their appointments

m. **has** (Between USER and ACCOUNTS)

i. **Cardinality:** One user can have **many** accounts

ii. **Explanation:** This may allow multiple user profiles or patient roles under a single user (e.g., family accounts).

RELATIONSHIP SCHEMA

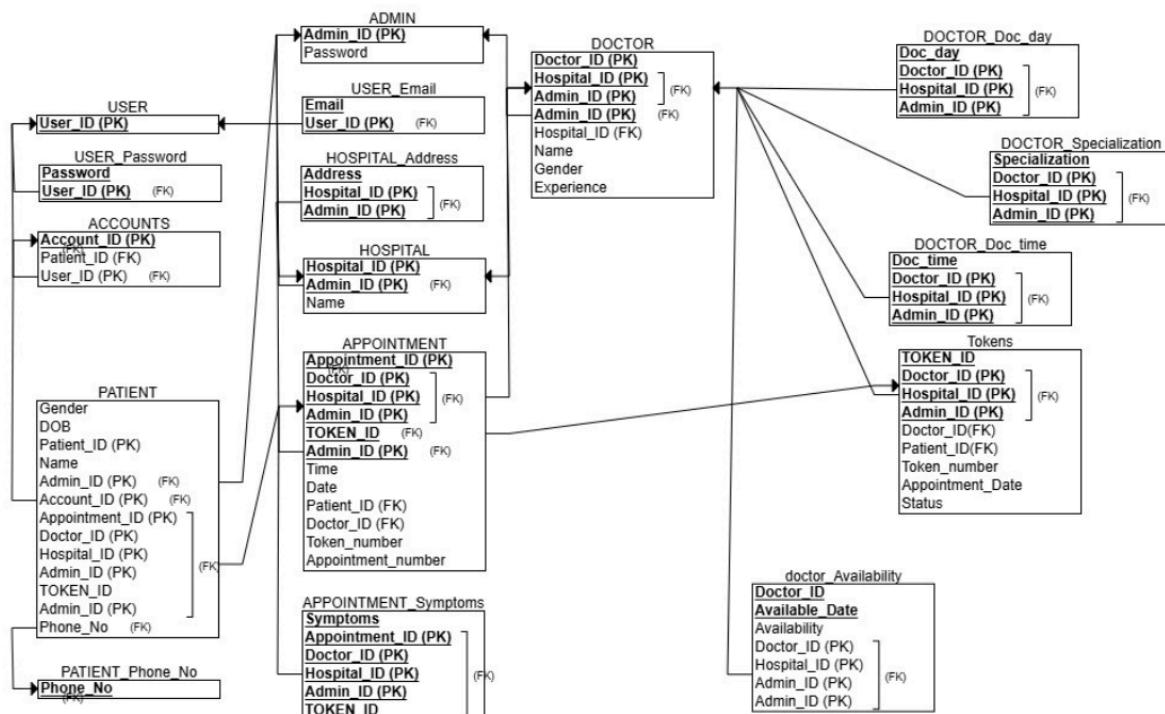


Fig 3.2 Relationship Schema

1. USER

- a. Attributes: User_ID (PK)
- b. Description: Represents a system user, possibly a patient or admin.
- c. Related Tables:
 - i. USER_Password: Stores Password, tied via User_ID.
 - ii. USER_Email: Stores email addresses.

2. ACCOUNTS

- a. Attributes: Account_ID (PK), Patient_ID (FK), User_ID (PK)
- b. Description: Links users to patients, each user has one account.

3. PATIENT

- a. Attributes: Patient_ID (PK), Name, Gender, DOB, Phone_No (FK), etc.
- b. Description: Contains patient profile data.
- c. Relationships:
 - i. Linked to User_ID through Account_ID.
 - ii. Connected to appointment via Appointment_ID.
 - iii. Linked to token via TOKEN_ID.

4. PATIENT_Phone_No

- a. Attributes: Phone_No (PK)
- b. Description: Stores phone numbers for patients.

5. ADMIN

- a. Attributes: Admin_ID (PK), Password
- b. Description: Represents hospital administrators who manage hospitals and users.

6. HOSPITAL

- a. Attributes: Hospital_ID (PK), Name, Admin_ID (FK)
- b. Description: Represents a hospital entity.
- c. Relationship: Each hospital is managed by one admin.

7. HOSPITAL_Address

- a. Attributes: Address, Hospital_ID (PK)
- b. Description: Holds hospital address details.

8. DOCTOR

- a. Attributes: Doctor_ID (PK), Name, Gender, Experience, etc.
- b. Description: Doctor profiles.
- c. Foreign Keys: Hospital_ID, Admin_ID

9. DOCTOR_Specialization

- a. Attributes: Specialization, Doctor_ID (PK)
- b. Description: Contains doctor specialties.

10. DOCTOR_Doc_day

- a. Attributes: Doc_day, Doctor_ID (PK)
- b. Description: Represents days when the doctor is available.

11. DOCTOR_Doc_time

- a. Attributes: Doc_time, Doctor_ID (PK)
- b. Description: Represents the specific time slots for availability.

12. doctor_Availability

- a. Attributes: Doctor_ID, Available_Date, Availability
- b. Description: Full availability record of a doctor including date.

13. APPOINTMENT

- a. Attributes: Appointment_ID (PK), Time, Date, Token_number, etc.
- b. Foreign Keys: Doctor_ID, Hospital_ID, Patient_ID, Admin_ID, TOKEN_ID
- c. Description: Appointment bookings between patient and doctor.

14. APPOINTMENT_Symptoms

- a. Attributes: Symptoms, Appointment_ID (PK)
- b. Description: Records the symptoms reported during booking.

15. Tokens

- a. Attributes: TOKEN_ID (PK), Doctor_ID, Patient_ID, Appointment_Date, Token_number, Status
- b. Description: Generated after an appointment is booked to manage queue.

3.2 Normalization

Normalization is the process of organizing data in a database to reduce redundancy and improve data integrity. It involves dividing large tables into smaller ones and defining relationships between them.

1. Normalization Principles:

a. **First Normal Form (1NF):**

- i. Ensures that each column contains atomic (indivisible) values.
- ii. No repeating groups or arrays.

b. **Second Normal Form (2NF):**

- i. Achieved when the table is in 1NF and all non-key columns are fully dependent on the entire primary key.
- ii. Eliminates partial dependencies in composite keys.

c. **Third Normal Form (3NF):**

- i. Achieved when the table is in 2NF and all columns are directly dependent on the primary key only.
- ii. No transitive dependencies (non-key → non-key).

2. Table-wise Normalization Check:

a. Accounts

- i. **1NF:** Yes (Atomic values).
- ii. **2NF:** Yes (Only one primary key – Patient_ID).
- iii. **3NF:** Yes (No transitive dependencies).

b. Admin

- i. **1NF:** Yes (Atomic data, encrypted password).
- ii. **2NF:** Yes (No partial dependency).
- iii. **3NF:** Yes (All non-key attributes depend on primary key admin_id).

c. Appointment

- i. **1NF:** Yes (No multi-valued fields).
- ii. **2NF:** Yes (Token and Appointment Number are dependent on composite key Doctor_ID + Date).
- iii. **3NF:** Yes (No indirect dependencies).

- d. Doctor
 - i. **1NF:** Yes.
 - ii. **2NF:** Yes.
 - iii. **3NF:** Yes (although doc_time and doc_day could be abstracted into a separate schedule table if more detailed logic is introduced).
- e. Doctor_availability
 - i. **1NF:** Yes.
 - ii. **2NF:** Yes (composite PK: Doctor_ID + Available_Date).
 - iii. **3NF:** Yes.
- f. Hospital
 - i. **1NF:** Yes.
 - ii. **2NF:** Yes.
 - iii. **3NF:** Yes (no derived data or transitive dependencies).
- g. Patient
 - i. **1NF:** Yes.
 - ii. **2NF:** Yes (no composite key).
 - iii. **3NF:** Yes.
- h. Tokens
 - i. **1NF:** Yes.
 - ii. **2NF:** Yes (each token is atomic and linked with unique Token_ID).
 - iii. **3NF:** Yes.
- i. Users
 - i. **1NF:** Yes.
 - ii. **2NF:** Yes.
 - iii. **3NF:** Yes.

3. Normalization Analysis

a. 1st Normal Form (1NF):

- i. Each table has a defined primary key and there are no repeating groups or arrays. For example, in the Patient table, each record is unique based on Patient_ID.

b. 2nd Normal Form (2NF)

- i. All non-key attributes are fully functionally dependent on the primary key. For instance, in the Appointment table, all fields depend on Appointment_ID.

c. **3rd Normal Form (3NF):**

- i. No transitive dependencies are present. Attributes in the patient table (Name, Gender, DOB, Age) are solely dependent on Patient_ID without relying on other non-key attributes.

Normalization was applied rigorously in this project to ensure that the hospital database remains organized, efficient, and scalable for future requirements.

3.3 Triggers

Database triggers are procedural code executed automatically in response to certain events on a specified table. Triggers help automate workflows and ensure real-time data accuracy.

1. Trigger: before_appointment_insert

```

CREATE DEFINER='root'@'localhost' TRIGGER `before_appointment_insert` BEFORE INSERT ON `appointment` FOR EACH ROW BEGIN
    DECLARE next_token INT;
    DECLARE available_slots INT;

    SELECT Availability INTO available_slots
    FROM doctor_availability
    WHERE Doctor_ID = NEW.Doctor_ID AND Available_Date = NEW.Date;

    IF available_slots IS NULL OR available_slots <= 0 THEN
        SIGNAL SQLSTATE '45000'
        SET MESSAGE_TEXT = 'Doctor is fully booked or does not consult on this date.';
    END IF;

    SELECT IFNULL(MAX(Token_Number), 0) + 1
    INTO next_token
    FROM appointment
    WHERE Doctor_ID = NEW.Doctor_ID AND Date = NEW.Date;

    SET NEW.Token_Number = next_token;

    UPDATE doctor_availability
    SET Availability = Availability - 1
    WHERE Doctor_ID = NEW.Doctor_ID AND Available_Date = NEW.Date;
END

```

Fig 3.3.1 trigger 1

2. Trigger: before_insert_doctor

```

CREATE DEFINER='root'@'localhost' TRIGGER `before_insert_doctor` BEFORE INSERT ON `doctor` FOR EACH ROW BEGIN
    DECLARE new_id INT;

    SELECT COALESCE(MAX(CAST(SUBSTRING(Doctor_ID, 4, 3) AS UNSIGNED)), 0) + 1
    INTO new_id FROM doctor WHERE Doctor_ID LIKE 'ADR%';

    SET NEW.Doctor_ID = CONCAT('ADR', LPAD(new_id, 3, '0'));
END

```

Fig 3.3.2 trigger 2

3. Trigger: generate_admin_id

```

CREATE DEFINER='root'@'localhost' TRIGGER `generate_admin_id` BEFORE INSERT ON `admin` FOR EACH ROW BEGIN
    DECLARE new_id VARCHAR(10);
    DECLARE random_part VARCHAR(6);

    -- Generate a random alphanumeric part (6 characters)
    SET random_part = CONCAT(
        CHAR(FLOOR(65 + (RAND() * 26))), -- Random uppercase letter
        FLOOR(RAND() * 10), -- Random digit
        CHAR(FLOOR(65 + (RAND() * 26))),
        FLOOR(RAND() * 10),
        CHAR(FLOOR(65 + (RAND() * 26))),
        FLOOR(RAND() * 10)
    );

    -- Generate final admin_id (e.g., ADM5G7K8)
    SET new_id = CONCAT('ADM', random_part);

    -- Assign the new ID
    SET NEW.admin_id = new_id;

    -- Encrypt password before storing
    SET NEW.password = AES_ENCRYPT(NEW.password, 'your_secret_key');
END

```

Fig 3.3.3 trigger 3

4. Trigger: before_insert_patient

```

CREATE DEFINER='root'@'localhost' TRIGGER `before_insert_patient` BEFORE INSERT ON `patient` FOR EACH ROW BEGIN
    DECLARE new_id INT;

    SELECT COALESCE(MAX(CAST(SUBSTRING(Patient_ID, 4, 3) AS UNSIGNED)), 0) + 1
    INTO new_id FROM patient WHERE Patient_ID LIKE 'AIN%';

    SET NEW.Patient_ID = CONCAT('AIN', LPAD(new_id, 3, '0'));
END

```

Fig 3.3.4 trigger 4

5. Trigger: prevent_overbooking

```

CREATE DEFINER='root'@'localhost' TRIGGER `prevent_overbooking` BEFORE UPDATE ON `doctor_availability` FOR EACH ROW BEGIN
    DECLARE booked_count INT;

    SELECT COUNT(*) INTO booked_count
    FROM appointment
    WHERE Doctor_ID = NEW.Doctor_ID AND Date = NEW.Available_Date;

    IF NEW.Availability < booked_count THEN
        SIGNAL SQLSTATE '45000'
        SET MESSAGE_TEXT = 'Cannot reduce availability below already booked tokens.';
    END IF;
END

```

Fig 3.3.5 trigger 5

6. Trigger: before_insert_appointment

```

CREATE DEFINER='root'@'localhost' TRIGGER `before_insert_appointment` BEFORE INSERT ON `appointment` FOR EACH ROW BEGIN
    DECLARE next_number INT;

    -- Get the maximum Appointment_Number for the same Patient_ID
    SELECT COALESCE(MAX(Appointment_Number), 0) + 1
    INTO next_number
    FROM appointment
    WHERE Patient_ID = NEW.Patient_ID;

    -- Assign the next available Appointment_Number
    SET NEW.Appointment_Number = next_number;
END

```

Fig 3.3.6 trigger 6

These triggers automate crucial backend tasks and maintain the integrity of the system data without manual intervention.

3.4 Data Description (Description of tables, fields, primary and foreign keys)

A well-structured relational database consists of multiple tables with relationships maintained via keys. Below is a summary of the primary tables used in the AINS Hospital Website Management System:

1. accounts

- a. Stores financial or login-related data linked to patients.
- b. Account_ID: Unique identifier for the account.
- c. Patient_ID: Foreign key linking to the patient table (Primary Key here).

2. admin

- a. Stores administrator login credentials.
- b. admin_id: Unique admin identifier (Primary Key).
- c. password: Encrypted admin password (varbinary).

3. appointment

- a. Stores appointment booking details.
- b. Appointment_ID: Unique ID for each appointment (Primary Key, Auto Increment).
- c. Date: Date of the appointment.
- d. Time: Time of the appointment.
- e. Symptoms: Symptoms reported by the patient.
- f. Doctor_ID: Foreign key referencing the doctor table.
- g. Patient_ID: Foreign key referencing the patient table.
- h. Token_Number: Queue number assigned to the patient.
- i. Appointment_Number: Internal reference number (used for sequence or count).

4. doctor

- a. Stores doctor profile information.
- b. Doctor_ID: Unique ID for each doctor (Primary Key).
- c. Name: Doctor's name.
- d. Specialization: Medical specialty (e.g., Cardiology).
- e. Experience: Years of experience.

- f. Gender: Male/Female/Other.
- g. Hospital_ID: Foreign key referencing the hospital table.
- h. doc_time: Time slot(s) the doctor is available.
- i. doc_day: Days of the week the doctor is available.

5. doctor_availability

- a. Tracks a doctor's availability on a specific date.
- b. Doctor_ID: Foreign key referencing the doctor table (Composite Primary Key).
- c. Available_Date: Date of availability (Composite Primary Key).
- d. Availability: Number of patients the doctor can take on that day.

6. hospital

- a. Stores hospital location and basic info.
- b. Hospital_ID: Unique hospital ID (Primary Key, Auto Increment).
- c. Name: Hospital name.
- d. Address: Hospital address.

7. patient

- a. Stores patient profile data.
- b. Patient_ID: Unique patient ID (Primary Key).
- c. Name: Patient's full name (Unique).
- d. Gender: Patient's gender.
- e. DOB: Date of birth.
- f. Age: Patient's age.
- g. Phone_No: Contact number.

8. tokens

- a. Tracks the token number and consultation status for a patient on a specific day.
- b. Token_ID: Unique identifier (Primary Key, Auto Increment).
- c. Doctor_ID: Foreign key linking to doctor.
- d. Patient_ID: Foreign key linking to patient.
- e. Token_Number: Queue number assigned to the patient.
- f. Appointment_Date: Date of appointment.
- g. Status: Pending or Consulted (default is Pending).

9. users

- a. Stores credentials for users (patients/admin/staff).
- b. User_ID: Unique user ID (Primary Key).
- c. Email: Unique email address.
- d. Password: User's password (usually hashed).

Each table is normalized and carefully linked using foreign keys to maintain referential integrity, ensuring a robust database design that supports all the operations of the hospital system.

CHAPTER 4

TOOLS AND TECHNOLOGIES USED

In order to develop a responsive, secure, and efficient hospital management system, a combination of modern tools and technologies has been employed. These tools span across database management, server-side and client-side development, and various utilities for debugging, version control, and interface testing. This chapter outlines the software components and development technologies utilized in the implementation of the **AINS Hospital Website Management System**.

4.1 DBMS software

1. MySQL (Version 8.0)^[2]

MySQL is an open-source relational database management system used for storing and managing the hospital data. It was chosen for its speed, flexibility, ease of use, and wide adoption in web-based applications.

Key Features:

- a. Supports complex queries, joins, triggers, and transactions.
- b. Compatible with major programming languages like PHP and Java.
- c. Offers high performance and scalability for handling real-time patient and appointment data.

4.2 Development languages

Several programming and scripting languages were used for building the different components of the system:

1. SQL (Structured Query Language):

Used to create and manage database schema, perform queries, create triggers, and enforce data relationships using primary and foreign keys.

2. JavaScript:

JavaScript was used for client-side scripting to make the user interface interactive, validate forms, and handle real-time events like appointment slot display and token status updates.

4.3 Front-end tools

For the visual and interactive interface, the following front-end technologies were used:

1. HTML5:

Provides the basic structure of the web pages such as forms, navigation bars, and content containers.

2. CSS3:

Used for styling the HTML content, including layout designs, color themes, button styling, and responsive formatting for different screen sizes.

3. Bootstrap 5:

A popular front-end framework used to create a mobile-first, responsive design with built-in UI components such as navbars, buttons, modals, and forms.

4.4 List of other Tools used

To support development, testing, and version control, the following tools were also used:

1. Visual Studio Code (VS Code)

- a. A lightweight and powerful source-code editor.
- b. Extensions like MySQL integration were used for real-time coding and testing.

2. Git

- a. A version control tool used to track code changes and collaborate with team members.
- b. Allows safe experimentation and rollbacks in case of errors.

3. Canva^[5]

- a. Canva is an intuitive graphic design platform that enables users to create professional presentations, reports, and other visual content.
- b. It was used to design and structure the project's user interface mockups and visual assets.

4. Google Docs

- a. Google Docs is a cloud-based word processor that allows real-time collaboration and document editing.
- b. It was used for documentation, writing project reports, and collaboratively drafting code explanations and system design overviews.

5. ERDPlus

- a. ERDPlus is an online diagramming tool that allows users to design Entity-Relationship Diagrams (ERDs) and generate Relational Schemas.
- b. It offers an easy-to-use interface to create, visualize, and document database relationships and schema designs.
- c. For your hospital management system, ERDPlus would have been used to represent the structure of the hospital database, highlighting tables such as appointments, patients, doctors, and their relationships like foreign keys, primary keys, and other database constraints.

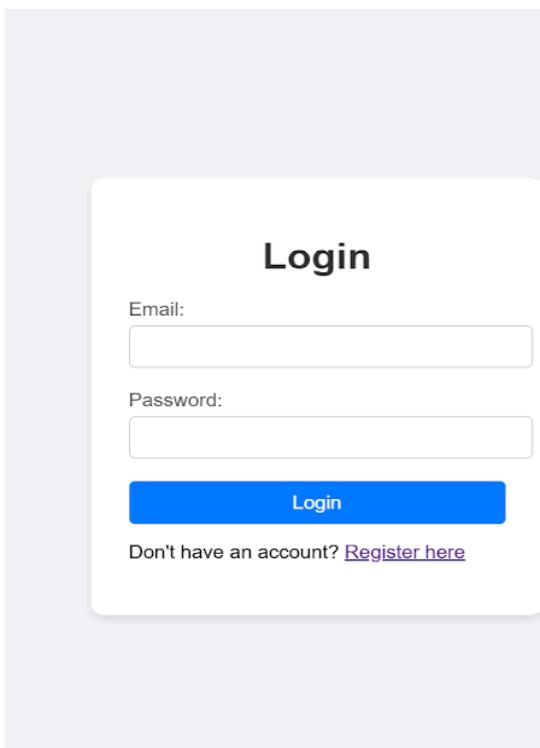
CHAPTER 5

IMPLEMENTATION AND RESULTS

5.1 MODULES

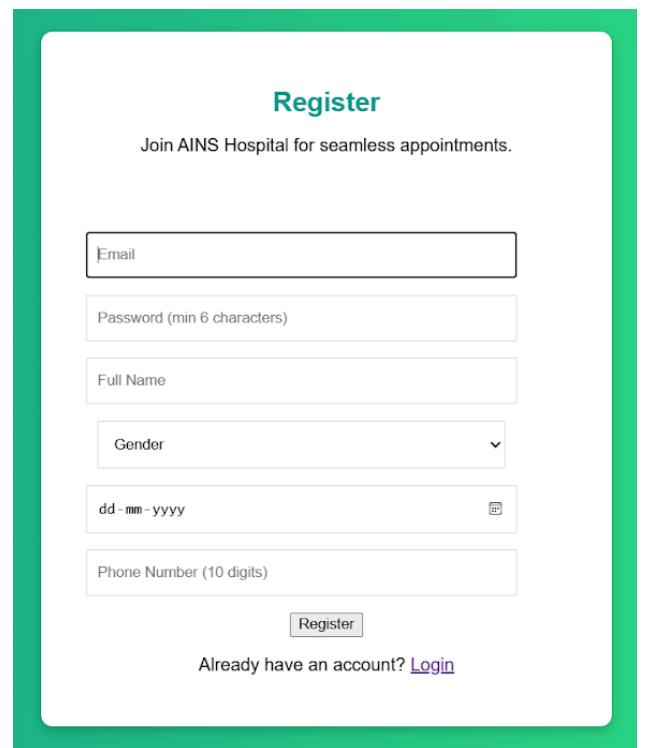
1. LOGIN MODULE

- a. It allows the user to register the account for appointment in the hospital, then login the user and proceed for appointment.
- b. It also provides a logout facility for the user logged in.



The login form is titled "Login". It contains fields for "Email" and "Password", both represented by input boxes. Below these fields is a blue "Login" button. At the bottom of the form, there is a link "Don't have an account? [Register here](#)".

Fig 5.1.1 Login



The register form is titled "Register" and has the subtitle "Join AINS Hospital for seamless appointments.". It includes fields for "Email", "Password (min 6 characters)", "Full Name", "Gender" (a dropdown menu), "dd-mm-yyyy" (date input field with a calendar icon), and "Phone Number (10 digits)". At the bottom right is a "Register" button, and at the bottom center is a link "Already have an account? [Login](#)".

Fig 5.1.2 Register

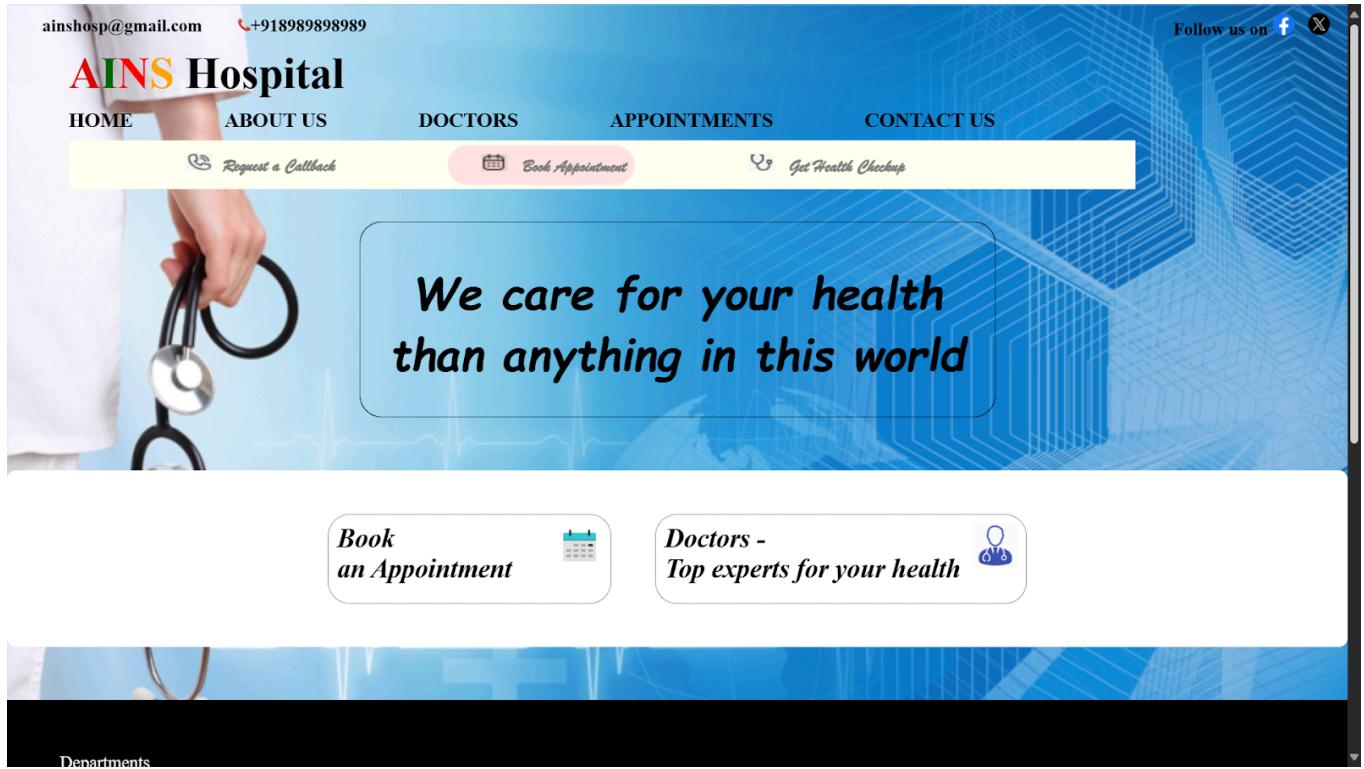


Fig 5.1.3 Home page of website

mysql> select * from users;		
User_ID	Email	Password
8RDSOF	njan@gmail.com	\$2b\$12\$jbVA1JL2nSMsZjcTzaD6juw8/KAwQowpE1L2XknExlAgH0fg2yKdu
9H07Q6	kirancotmvtm@gmail.com	\$2b\$12\$wnVOuXFUU/Vf8Mpn/hZam.tm0dbWcQskxYw0waXLB2/p6bbFr0vqS
MR4339	ad@gmail.com	\$2b\$12\$mjxHbq1qX1tRbYbyzpAqheHbGHUUzzKhPQrkGT8.5pf7/ARBAjtFS
QYV7TG	230274@tkmce.ac.in	\$2b\$12\$AR.p4SyhcUAEYhLcRTslPewo/a8MkpiHMWMhVWCUW9yLufhZ7oxZ2

Fig 5.1.4 users table

mysql> select * from accounts;	
Account_ID	Patient_ID
9H07Q6	AIN001
9H07Q6	AIN002
9H07Q6	AIN003
MR4339	AIN004
9H07Q6	AIN005
8RDSOF	AIN006
QYV7TG	AIN007

Fig 5.1.5 accounts table

2. PATIENT MODULE

- a. Here the patient can select the name of patient under the same user id to book appointment in case if family members logged in with single user credentials.

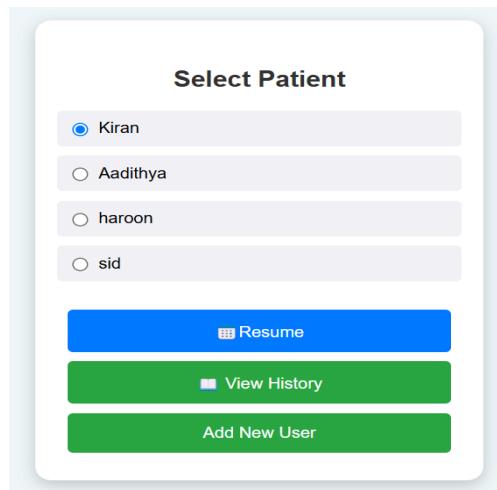


Fig 5.2.1 Select patient

mysql> select * from patient;						
Patient_ID	Name	Gender	DOB	Age	Phone_No	
AIN001	Kiran	Male	2005-10-11	19	8848974677	
AIN002	Aadithya	Male	2006-01-19	19	9539344676	
AIN003	haroon	Male	2005-10-11	19	9847152403	
AIN004	vasu	Female	2005-03-01	20	9539344676	
AIN005	sid	Male	2005-10-16	19	9446011856	
AIN006	Akhil	Male	2008-09-11	13	9633696501	
AIN007	Akash	Male	2006-03-03	19	9847152403	

Fig 5.2.2 patient table

3. DOCTOR MODULE

- a. It has the details of doctors available for the appointment booking with 50 appointments daily and also allows booking appointments for selected doctor with confirmed appointments.

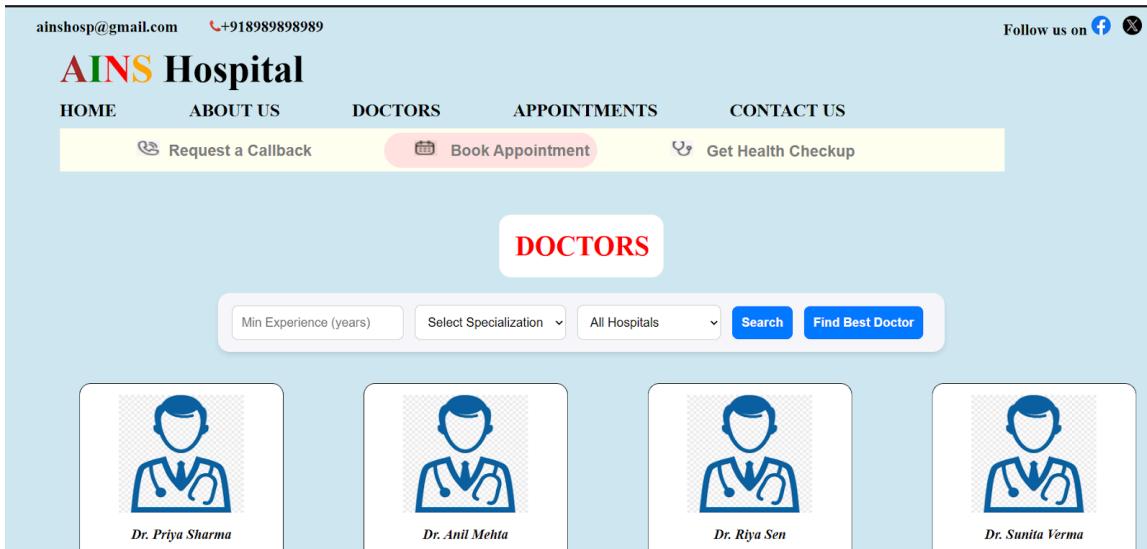


Fig 5.3.1 Doctors list

mysql> select* from doctor;								
Doctor_ID	Name	Specialization	Experience	Gender	Hospital_ID	doc_time	doc_day	
ADR001	Dr. Priya Sharma	Dermatology	8	Female	2	10:00-14:00	Mon, Wed	
ADR002	Dr. Anil Mehta	Neurology	15	Male	3	9:00 - 12:00	Mon Tue Fri	
ADR003	Dr. Riya Sen	Pediatrician	10	Female	1	09:30-13:30	Tue, Thu	
ADR004	Dr. Arjun Nair	Orthopedic	7	Male	4	NULL	NULL	
ADR005	Dr. Sunita Verma	General Physician	11	Female	5	11:00-15:00	Mon, Fri	
ADR006	Dr. Ramesh Yadav	Oncology	14	Male	3	08:30-12:30	Wed, Sat	
ADR007	Dr. Meera Joshi	Orthopedic	9	Female	2	NULL	NULL	
ADR008	Dr. Sanjay Gupta	Dermatology	13	Male	1	09.30-13.30	Mon, Thu	
ADR009	Dr. Alok Pandey	General Physician	6	Male	4	14.00-18.00	Wed, Fri	
ADR010	Dr. Neha Kapoor	Cardiology	12	Female	1	N/A	N/A	
ADR011	Dr. Amit Sinha	Neurology	9	Male	2	09:00-13:00	Tue, Fri	
ADR012	Dr. Kavita Rao	Dermatology	7	Female	3	11:30-16:00	Wed, Sat	
ADR013	Dr. Rajesh Khanna	Orthopedic	10	Male	4	08:00-12:00	Mon, Wed	
ADR014	Dr. Alisha Verma	Ophthalmology	14	Female	5	12:00-17:00	Tue, Thu	
ADR015	Dr. Manish Tiwari	Ophthalmology	11	Male	6	09:00-13:30	Mon, Fri	
ADR016	Dr. Ritu Sharma	General Physician	8	Female	7	NULL	NULL	
ADR017	Dr. Suresh Mehta	General Physician	13	Male	8	10:30-14:30	Wed, Sat	
ADR018	Dr. Poonam Jain	General Physician	5	Female	9	14:00-18:00	Tue, Thu	
ADR019	Dr. Harish Patel	Ophthalmology	6	Male	10	09:00-12:30	Mon, Fri	
ADR020	Dr. Vikram Sharma	Cardiology	16	Male	1	08:00-12:00	Mon, Thu	
ADR021	Dr. Pooja Mehta	Dermatology	9	Female	2	NULL	NULL	
ADR022	Dr. Sanjay Kapoor	Neurology	12	Male	3	10:00-14:00	Tue, Fri	
ADR023	Dr. Anjali Rao	Pediatrician	6	Female	4	NULL	NULL	
ADR024	Dr. Harsh Tandon	Orthopedic	14	Male	5	09:30-13:30	Wed, Sat	
ADR025	Dr. Simran Kaur	Dermatology	11	Female	6	11:00-15:00	Mon, Wed	
ADR026	Dr. Ramesh Iyer	Dermatology	13	Male	7	9:00 - 12:00	Mon Tue Fri	
ADR027	Dr. Nidhi Sharma	Dermatology	7	Female	8	12:30-16:30	Tue, Thu	
ADR028	Dr. Rajat Verma	General Physician	8	Male	9	NULL	NULL	
ADR029	Dr. Swati Joshi	Dermatology	5	Female	10	14:00-18:00	Wed, Fri	

Fig 5.3.2 doctor table

Doctor_ID	Available_Date	Availability
ADR001	2025-04-16	50
ADR001	2025-04-17	50
ADR001	2025-04-18	50
ADR002	2025-04-17	50
ADR002	2025-04-18	50
ADR002	2025-04-20	50
ADR003	2025-04-18	50
ADR003	2025-04-19	50
ADR005	2025-04-17	50
ADR005	2025-04-20	50
ADR006	2025-04-18	50
ADR006	2025-04-19	50

Fig 5.3.3 doctor_availability table

4. APPOINTMENT MODULE

- Here the patient can book appointments for the required doctor, view their appointment history and the consultation updates of last consulted token on a particular day.
- It also allows doctors to mark the consulted appointment after each consultation readily available for patients to see it on their appointment history.

This page helps you to book appointment for the available doctor the selected user on date.

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Book Your Appointments

Doctor's Name	Specialization
Dr. Priya Sharma	Dermatology
Patient's Name	Phone Number
kiran	8848974677
Email	Gender
kirancomtv@gmail.com	Male
Select Date	Symptoms

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Fig 5.4.1 Appointment Page

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Date: 2025-04-16 Doctor: Dr. Priya Sharma Specialization: Dermatology Appointment No: 12 Time: 22:05:34 Token Number: 1 Last Completed Token: 0 PENDING Thanks	Date: 2025-04-16 Doctor: Dr. Anil Mehta Specialization: Neurology Appointment No: 11 Time: 13:01:42 Token Number: 1 Last Completed Token: 0 PENDING Thanks	Date: 2025-03-31 Doctor: Dr. Rajesh Khanna Specialization: Orthopedic Appointment No: 10 Time: 18:12:34 Token Number: 1 Last Completed Token: 0 PENDING Thanks	Date: 2025-03-30 Doctor: Dr. Ramesh Yadav Specialization: Oncology Appointment No: 7 Time: 18:10:41 Token Number: 1 Last Completed Token: 0 PENDING Thanks
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Fig 5.4.2 Appointment History Page

This page is controlled by a doctor who consults patients and marks the consultation status of each patient and makes pending tokens available for patients to see.

The screenshot shows a web-based application titled "Doctor Consultation Queue". At the top, it displays "Logged in as: ADR005". Below this is a table with four columns: "Token Number", "Patient Name", "Status", and "Action". The table contains two rows of data:

Token Number	Patient Name	Status	Action
1	haroon	Consulted	Completed
2	Kiran	Pending	<button>Mark Consulted</button>

At the bottom left is a red "Logout" button.

Fig 5.4.3 Doctor Consultation Management Page

mysql> select * from appointment;								
Appointment_ID	Date	Time	Symptoms	Doctor_ID	Patient_ID	Token_Number	Appointment_Number	
1	2025-03-27	14:17:53	fever	ADR005	AIN001	1		1
2	2025-03-26	14:21:31	wound	ADR005	AIN003	1		1
3	2025-03-26	14:25:57	cough and cold	ADR005	AIN001	2		2
9	2025-03-28	18:07:13	Stomach pain and eyes yellow	ADR001	AIN001	1		3
10	2025-03-27	18:08:34	Leg pain	ADR002	AIN001	1		4
11	2025-03-28	18:09:15	Cough	ADR003	AIN001	1		5
12	2025-03-29	18:09:54	Headache	ADR005	AIN001	1		6
13	2025-03-30	18:10:41	Hair loss and body pain	ADR006	AIN001	1		7
14	2025-03-27	18:11:18	Pimples	ADR008	AIN001	1		8
15	2025-03-28	18:11:57	Severe shivering	ADR009	AIN001	1		9
16	2025-03-31	18:12:34	Leg pain	ADR013	AIN001	1		10

Fig 5.4.4 appointment table

mysql> select * from tokens;						
Token_ID	Doctor_ID	Patient_ID	Patient_Name	Token_Number	Appointment_Date	Status
1	ADR005	AIN003	haroon	1	2025-03-26	Consulted
2	ADR005	AIN001	Kiran	2	2025-03-26	Pending

Fig 5.4.5 tokens table

Hospital_ID	Name	Address
1	AINS - Mumbai	123 Main Street, Mumbai
2	AINS - Delhi	45 Green Avenue, Delhi
3	AINS - Bangalore	78 Sunshine Road, Bangalore
4	AINS - Hyderabad	Rajaji Nagar, Hyderabad
5	AINS - Chennai	College Road, Chennai
6	AINS - Kolkata	Park Street, Kolkata
7	AINS - Pune	FC Road, Pune
8	AINS - Jaipur	MI Road, Jaipur
9	AINS - Chandigarh	Sector 17, Chandigarh
10	AINS - Ahmedabad	SG Highway, Ahmedabad

Fig 5.4.6 hospital table

5. ADMIN MODULE

- a. Here the admin can manage the hospital , add/edit doctor schedules, view patient details and appointments.

The login page provides a interface for admin to enter their credentials and access the system

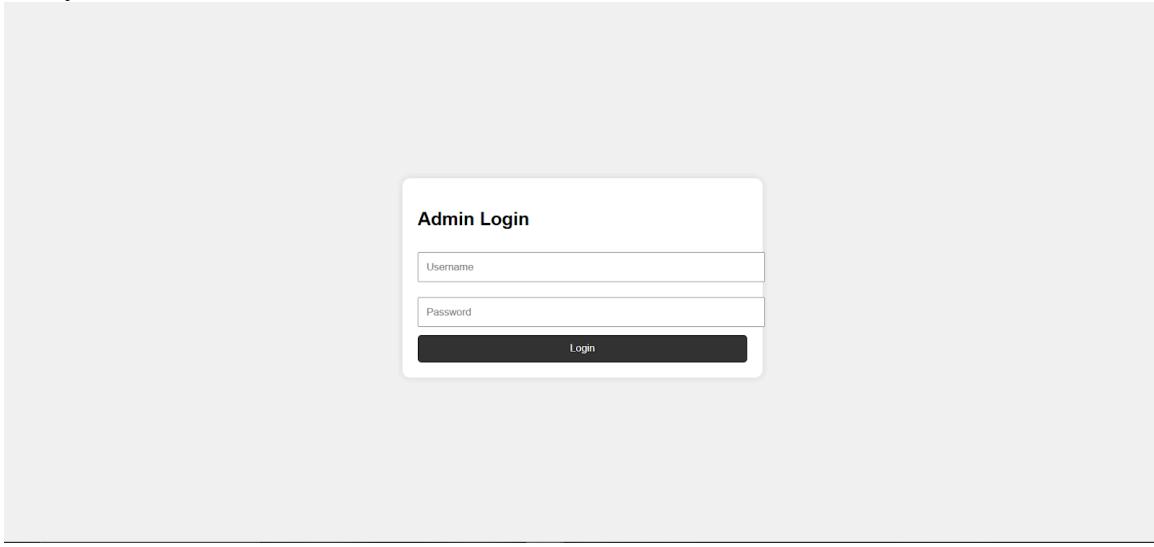


Fig 5.5.1 Admin Login page

The admin dashboard page allows authorized administrators to access and manage the system's backend functionalities.

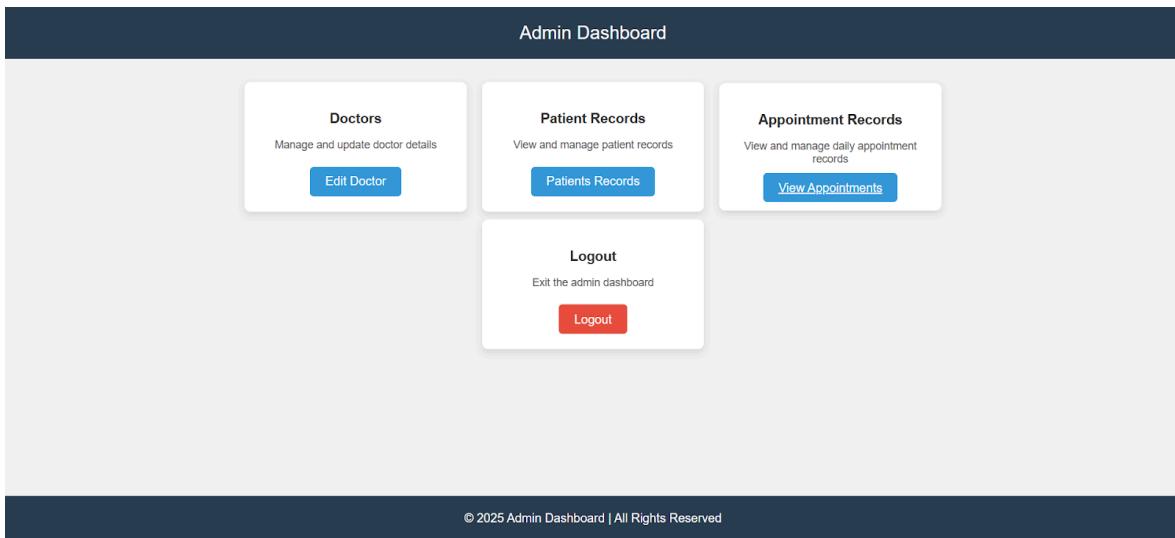


Fig 5.5.2 Admin dashboard

The Edit doctor page displays a comprehensive list of registered doctors, allowing admin to view their details and availability.

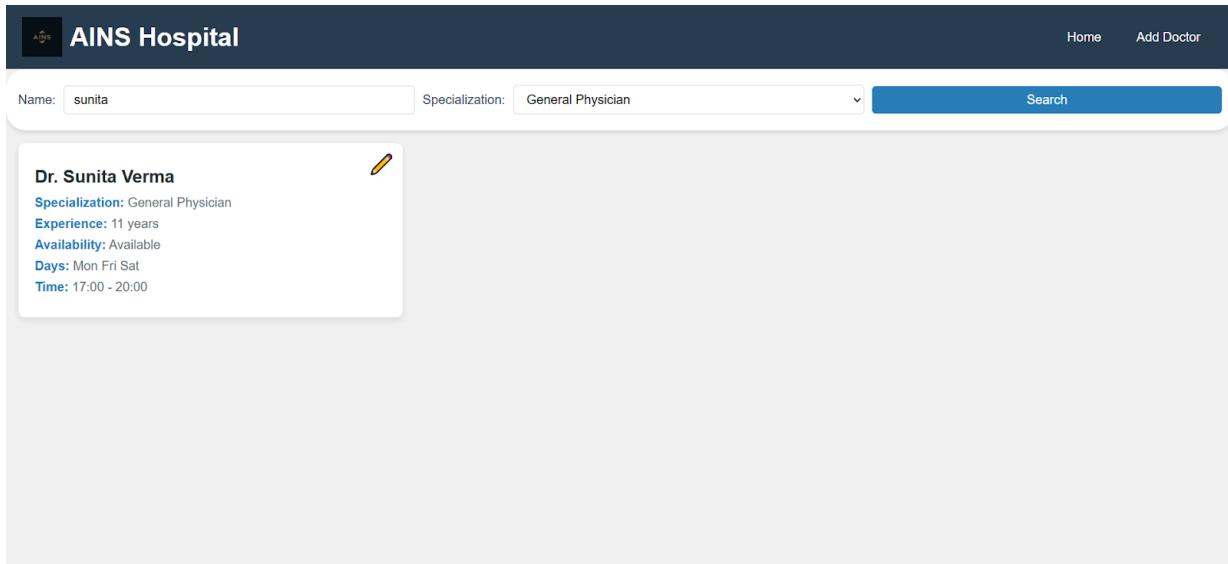


Fig 5.5.3 Edit/Add doctors page

The update doctor page enables authorized admin to modify and manage existing doctor's schedules in the system.

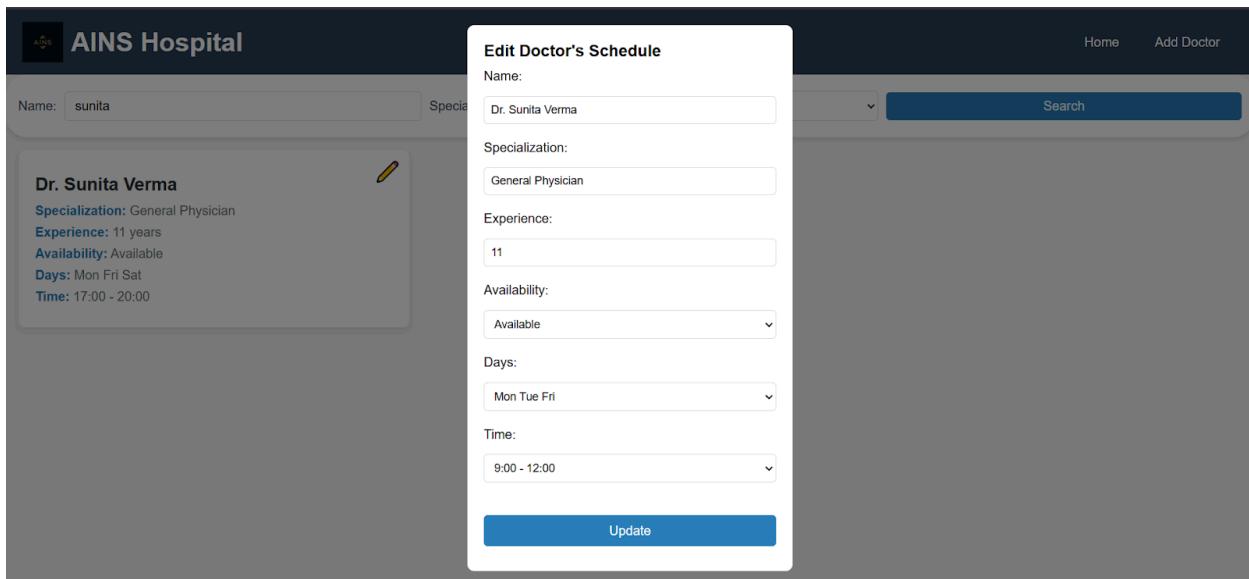


Fig 5.5.4 Edit doctor page

The add doctor page allows authorized users to input and register new doctor details into the system.

The screenshot shows a web-based form titled "Add Doctor". The form consists of several input fields and dropdown menus:

- Doctor's Name: A text input field.
- Specialization: A dropdown menu set to "Cardiology".
- Experience (years): A text input field.
- Gender: A dropdown menu set to "Male".
- Availability: A dropdown menu set to "Available".
- Time: A dropdown menu set to "9:00 AM - 12:00 PM".
- Days: A dropdown menu set to "Mon Tues Fri".
- Hospital ID: A text input field.

At the bottom right of the form is a blue "Add Doctor" button.

Fig 5.5.5 Add doctor

The view patient page provides a detailed overview of registered patients, allowing admin to access and review their information.

The screenshot shows a web-based search interface for patients. At the top, there is a dark header with the "AINS Hospital" logo and a "Home" link. Below the header is a search bar with the placeholder "Name: aad" and a blue "Search" button. The main content area is titled "Patients Data" and displays a single result card:

Aadithya

Fig 5.5.6 Manage patients



Fig 5.5.7 Patient details page

The appointment record page displays all appointments, allowing admin to view and track patient-doctor interactions.

The screenshot shows a search interface with fields for "Name" (sid) and "Date" (01-03-2025), followed by a blue "Search & Filter" button. Below this, the title "Appointments Record" is displayed, and a table lists one appointment entry:

Appointment ID	Date	Time	Symptoms	Doctor Name	Patient Name
3	2025-03-01	12:54:57	slight fever	Dr. Alok Pandey	sid

Fig 5.5.8 Appointment Records

```
mysql> select * from admin;
+-----+-----+
| admin_id | password |
+-----+-----+
| ADMX200M3 | 0x61696E73686F73706974616C |
+-----+-----+
```

Fig 5.5.9 admin table

CHAPTER 6

TIMELINE AND TASK DISTRIBUTION

6.1 TIMELINE

S. No.	Milestone	Description	Date/Period
1	Initial Presentation	Submission of: Problem Identification, ER Diagram, Communication Plan, Ethics, Time Management, and Status.	31 December 2024
2	Requirement Analysis & Planning	Functional analysis, use-case definition, and system workflow planning.	20–24 December 2024
3	Finalized ER & Schema Diagram Submission	Submission of the finalized ER diagram and normalized database schema.	26 January 2025
4	System Design Phase	Frontend wireframes, backend architecture, and flow diagrams.	01–12 January 2025
5	Database Setup & Backend Configuration	Database creation, user authentication logic, and doctor-patient models.	15–25 January 2025
6	Frontend UI Implementation	Login, registration, patient dashboard, appointment UI screens.	27 Jan – 10 Feb 2025
7	Core Module Development	Appointment booking, token generation, appointment history, doctor dashboard logic.	11–22 February 2025
8	Admin Panel & Doctor Management	Admin CRUD for doctor details, appointment tracking features.	23–28 February 2025
9	Interim Presentation	Demonstration of implemented modules and SQL queries.	03 March 2025
10	Real-Time Queue & Token System Integration	Logic for displaying token numbers and doctor consultation status updates.	08–13 March 2025
11	Testing & Debugging	Functional and integration testing, fixing bugs, database query validation.	15–21 March 2025
12	Final Deployment & Hosting	Deploying website to hosting platform, adding security layers.	22–28 March 2025
13	Documentation & Final Report Preparation	Preparing project report, presentation, adding system screenshots and diagrams.	05–13 Apr 2025
14	Final Presentation, Demonstration & Submission	Complete system demonstration, viva, and final report submission.	15 April 2025

Fig 6.1 Timeline

6.2 TASK DISTRIBUTION

1. Login module : ARAVIND KUMAR V
2. Patient module : ABHINAV R
3. Doctor module : SIDHARTH HARIHARAN
4. Appointment module and backend development(for modules : login, patient, doctor, appointment) : A V KIRAN
5. Admin module and its backend development : AADITHYA P K

CHAPTER 7

CONCLUSION

1. Project Objective Achieved:
 - a. The system fulfills its core objective of simplifying hospital appointment booking and consultation tracking through a centralized online platform.
2. User Account Flexibility:
 - a. It allows a single user account to manage multiple patient profiles, making it especially useful for families to coordinate healthcare in one place.
3. Functional Scope Covered:
 - a. Core functionalities like appointment booking, doctor consultation tracking, token queue management, and doctor record administration are fully implemented.
4. User-Friendly Design:
 - a. The interface is intuitive and secure, ensuring ease of use for patients, doctors, and administrators while maintaining data privacy.
5. Real-Time Updates:
 - a. The dynamic token system and real-time consultation status updates improve transparency and reduce patient waiting time uncertainty.
6. Doctor Interaction Module:
 - a. Doctors can update patient consultation statuses instantly, which reflect in the patient's history, enhancing continuity and clarity in care delivery.
7. Administrative Capabilities:
 - a. Admin users have complete control over managing doctor profiles and appointments, with features to view and filter records by patient or date.
8. Improved Healthcare Efficiency:
 - a. The system reduces the need for manual appointment scheduling, cuts down on errors, and streamlines doctor-patient coordination.

9. Technology and Methodology:

- a. Implemented using modern web development practices, ensuring security, scalability, and responsive design across devices.

10. Scalability and Future Scope:

- a. Though initially developed for a single hospital with one admin, the architecture is designed to support multi-hospital and multi-admin models in the future.

11. Social Impact:

- a. Enhances patient satisfaction by offering accessible digital healthcare services and promoting a paperless, streamlined process.

CHAPTER 8

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APPENDICES

Appendix I: Vision, Mission and Program Educational Objectives (PEOs)

VISION

To be a center of excellence imparting quality education in Computer Science and Engineering and transforming students to critical thinkers and lifelong learners capable of developing environment friendly and economically feasible solutions to real world problems

MISSION

- To provide a strong foundation in Computer Science and Engineering, prepare students for professional career and higher education, and inculcate research interest.
- To be abreast of the technological advances in a rapidly changing world.
- To impart skills to come up with socially acceptable solutions to real world problems, upholding ethical values.

PROGRAMME EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES(PEOs)

PEO 1: Excel in professional career by acquiring knowledge in mathematics, science and engineering and apply the knowledge in the design of hardware and software solution for challenging problems of the society

PEO 2: Pursue higher studies and research thereby engages in lifelong learning by adapting to the current trends in the area of Computer Science and Engineering

PEO 3: Ability to Provide socially acceptable and economically feasible computer oriented solutions to real world problems with teamwork, while maintaining environmental balance, quality and cognizance of the underlying principles of ethics.

Appendix II: Program Outcomes

1. **PO1 -Engineering Knowledge:** Apply fundamental principles of mathematics, science, and engineering to solve complex problems.
2. **PO2 -Problem Analysis:** Identify, formulate, and analyze complex engineering problems to reach conclusions based on solid data.
3. **PO3 -Design/Development of Solutions:** Design solutions and develop systems that meet specified needs while considering safety, cultural, and environmental factors.
4. **PO4 -Investigation of Complex Problems:** Use research-based knowledge and methods to investigate complex issues and derive conclusions.
5. **PO5 -Modern Tool Usage:** Select and apply appropriate techniques, resources, and modern engineering and IT tools to complex engineering activities.
6. **PO6 -The Engineer and Society:** Apply knowledge to assess societal, health, safety, legal, and cultural issues, and understand the engineer's responsibility in these contexts.
7. **PO7 - Environment and Sustainability:** Understand the impact of engineering solutions in societal and environmental contexts and demonstrate knowledge of sustainable development.
8. **PO8 - Ethics:** Apply ethical principles and commit to professional ethics and responsibilities in engineering practice.
9. **PO9 - Individual and Team Work:** Function effectively as an individual, and as a member or leader in diverse teams and multidisciplinary settings.
10. **PO10 - Communication:** Communicate effectively on complex engineering activities with peers and the broader community.
11. **PO11 - Project Management and Finance:** Demonstrate knowledge of project management principles and apply them to manage projects efficiently.
12. **PO12 - Life-long Learning:** Recognize the need for continuous learning and engage in independent learning to stay current with technological advancements.

Appendix III: Course Outcomes (COs)

1. **CO1**- Explain DBMS characteristics
2. **CO2**- Construct ER models
3. **CO3**- Develop PL/SQL programs
4. **CO4**- Explain storage structures
5. **CO5**- Explain transaction concepts
6. **CO6**- Design and develop database applications

Appendix IV: Fulfillment of Programme Outcomes (POs)

1. PO1: Engineering Knowledge

Justification:

The project applies DBMS concepts such as relational schema design, normalization, and indexing. Engineering knowledge is evident in the implementation of complex table relationships, use of ENUM types, and optimized queries for real-time appointment and token updates.

2. PO2: Problem Analysis

Justification:

Analyzed challenges in hospital operations like overbooking, availability clashes, and appointment mismanagement. These were solved using BEFORE INSERT triggers, unique constraints (e.g., unique_appointment), and FOREIGN KEY checks to maintain data integrity.

3. PO3: Design/Development of Solutions

Justification:

Designed an efficient multi-table system (appointment, tokens, doctor_availability, accounts) with well-defined primary and foreign keys. Implemented real-time solutions like dynamic token assignment using custom logic in triggers and backend Flask queries.

4. PO4: Investigation of Complex Problems**Justification:**

Investigated complex appointment constraints like duplicate bookings, token overflow, and weekday-based availability. Developed MySQL **triggers** (before_appointment_insert, prevent_overbooking) and validation logic to handle these cases without manual input.

5. PO5: Modern Tool Usage**Justification:**

Used MySQL Workbench for schema design and real-time query testing, and integrated Flask for RESTful APIs. Leveraged stored procedures and triggers for backend logic automation, enhancing the system's responsiveness and reliability.

6. PO6: The Engineer and Society**Justification:**

Through database-driven automation, the system reduces in-hospital crowding and manual errors, supporting safer, faster patient access to healthcare services—especially important during public health emergencies.

7. PO7: Environment and Sustainability**Justification:**

Minimized paper usage and physical queuing through digital tokens and appointment history storage. Database backup and data redundancy mechanisms help sustain system reliability and long-term patient data management.

8. PO8: Ethics**Justification:**

Role-based access (doctor, patient, admin) and secure handling of credentials (e.g., varbinary for password hashing) reflect ethical practices in storing and accessing sensitive health information in compliance with data protection standards.

9. PO9: Individual and Team Work**Justification:**

The system architecture was designed for multi-user access with clear role distinctions stored in the accounts and users tables. Effective table design facilitates simultaneous operations by different users without conflict.

10. PO10: Communication**Justification:**

Database fields like consultation_status and real-time token updates allow patients and doctors to exchange timely status updates via the web interface, powered by efficient query-response handling in the backend.

11. PO11: Project Management and Finance**Justification:**

Backend DBMS structure supports scheduling, resource management (doctor availability), and system auditing. The doctor_availability and appointment tables collectively manage time slots and hospital capacity efficiently.

12. PO12: Life-long Learning**Justification:**

Working with advanced DBMS features like indexing, composite keys, triggers, and stored procedures provided hands-on learning and problem-solving, preparing for future enhancements like multi-hospital or cloud-based extensions.