

**Prepared For:** Health Data Analysis

**Subject:** Project Charter & Requirements for Health Dataset Analysis using SQL Server Management Studio (SSMS)

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## 1. Project Overview & Objective

The client possesses a comprehensive healthcare dataset (`Health.csv`) containing records of patient admissions, treatments, billing, and outcomes. The primary objective is to leverage SQL Server Management Studio to import, clean, analyze, and derive actionable insights from this data. The goal is to answer key business questions related to patient demographics, hospital performance, financials, and treatment efficacy to support strategic decision-making.

## 2. Source Data Description

- **Patient Details:** Name, Age, Gender
- **Medical Information:** Blood Type, Medical Condition, Medication, Test Results
- **Admission Details:** Date of Admission, Admission Type, Discharge Date, Room Number
- **Hospital & Staff:** Hospital, Doctor
- **Billing & Insurance:** Insurance Provider, Billing Amount

## 3. Key Business Questions & Client Requirements

The analysis will be structured to answer the following critical business questions:

### A. Patient Demographics & Epidemiology:

1. What is the distribution of patients by Gender and Age groups (e.g., 0-18, 19-35, 36-50, 51-65, 65+)?
2. What are the top 5 most common Medical Conditions among admitted patients?
3. Is there a correlation between Blood Type and specific Medical Conditions?

### B. Hospital & Operational Analysis:

1. Which Hospital has the highest number of admissions? Which has the highest average Billing Amount?
2. Who are the top 5 Doctors by number of patients treated?
3. What is the average length of stay (Discharge Date - Date of Admission) for each Admission Type (Urgent, Emergency, Elective)?

### C. Financial & Insurance Analysis:

1. What is the total and average Billing Amount by Insurance Provider?
2. Which Medical Condition has the highest average billing amount?
3. What is the distribution of Admission Type across different Insurance Providers?

### D. Treatment & Outcomes Analysis:

1. What is the most common Medication prescribed for each Medical Condition?
2. How does the Test Results (Normal, Abnormal, Inconclusive) breakdown look for each condition?
3. Is there a relationship between the Length of Stay and the Test Results?

## 4. Technical Approach in SSMS

1. **Data Import:** The CSV file will be imported into a new SQL Server database table named HealthData using the SSMS Import Flat File wizard or a custom BULK INSERT/OPENROWSET script.
2. **Data Cleaning & Preparation:**
  - Standardize text fields (e.g., correct Name, Gender capitalization inconsistencies like 'Male' vs. 'MALE').
  - Ensure Date of Admission and Discharge Date are in a proper DATE or DATETIME data type.
  - Check for and handle any missing or invalid values (e.g., negative Billing Amount).
  - Create a new calculated column for LengthOfStay.
3. **Data Analysis:** Write and execute a series of SQL SELECT queries, utilizing GROUP BY, JOIN (if necessary after normalization), aggregate functions (COUNT, SUM, AVG), and ORDER BY to answer the business questions.
4. **Reporting:** The results of these queries will be presented to the client. Options include:
  - Exporting result sets to Excel for charting.
  - Creating SQL Views for frequently accessed data summaries.
  - Building a simple SSRS (SQL Server Reporting Services) report dashboard.

## 5. Deliverables

1. A fully populated and cleaned HealthData table within a SQL Server database.
2. A SQL script file (.sql) containing all queries used for the analysis.