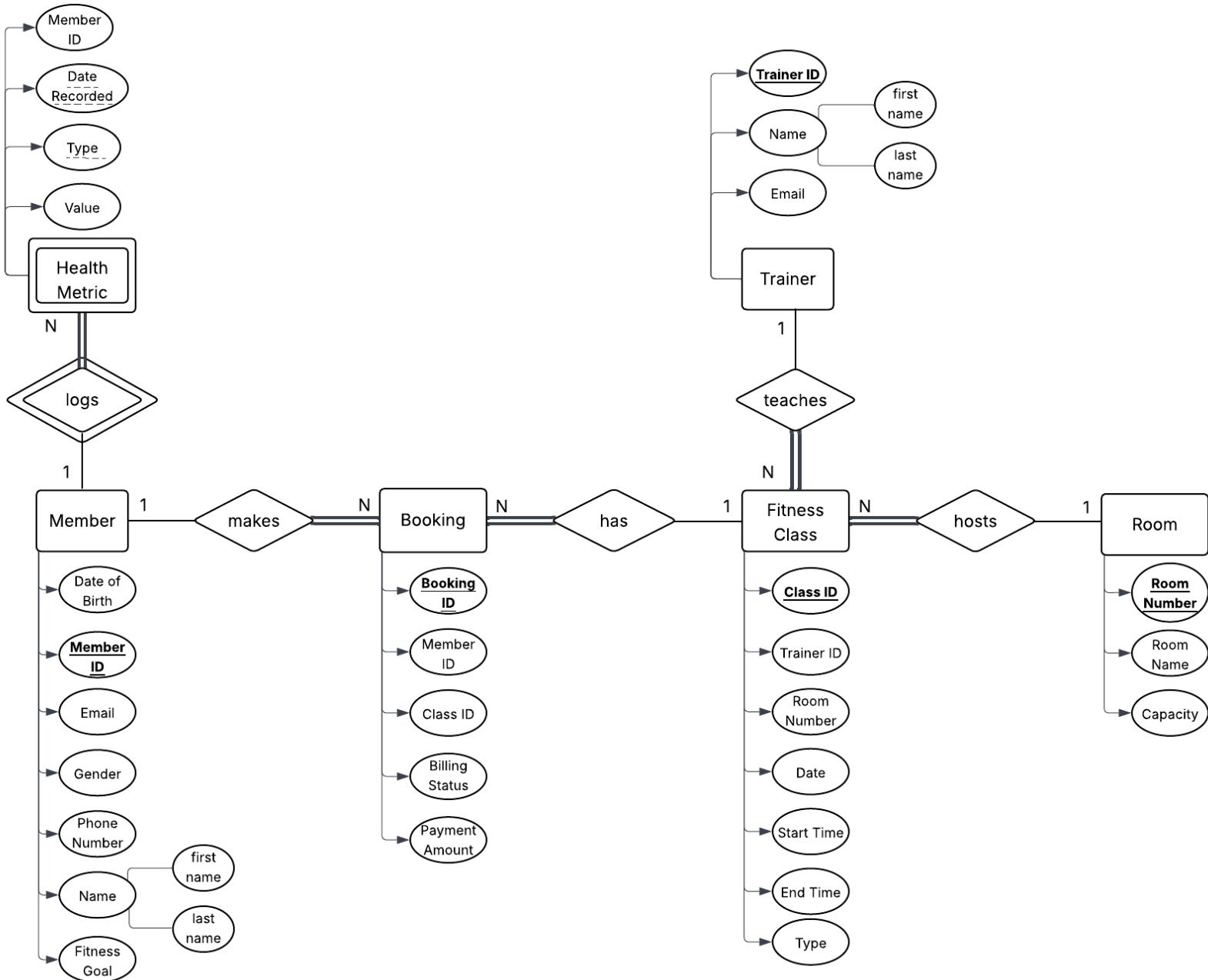


ER MODEL DIAGRAM



The database schema has already been designed to satisfy 3NF requirements :

- **1NF:** All attributes contain atomic values. For example, the Name attribute has been decomposed into first and last name in both Members and Trainers Table making sure no composite values exist
- **2NF – Full Functional Dependency:** all non-key attributes are fully dependent on the primary key. In HealthMetrics table, which uses a composite key (member_id + date + type), the value attribute depends on the *entire* key combination, not just a part of it (e.g., a value cannot be determined by member_id alone).
- **3NF – Transitive Dependencies:** There are no transitive dependencies where a non key attribute depends on another non-key attribute. For example, In the FitnessClasses table, we store room_number (a foreign key) but not room_capacity. Storing capacity there would create a transitive dependency (class_id → room_number → capacity). Instead, capacity is correctly stored only in the Rooms table, eliminating redundancy.

ERD MAPPING TABLE:

| Requirements | Assumptions | Representation in ER model |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A member should be register by providing information such as name, date of birth, gender, and contact details • Members will have the ability to establish/track personalized fitness goal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name is composite (First/Last) for normalization. • Email is unique. • Only one contact detail per person (1 phone number) • Fitness Goal is a single current target. | Member - Entity Attributes: PK Member ID, First Name, Last Name, Email, Phone, Gender, DOB, Fitness Goal. |
| Trainers are uniquely identified by a system ID. Record name and email. | Name is composite (First/Last). Trainers do not have health metrics in this system. | Trainer - Entity Attributes: PK Trainer ID, First Name, Last Name, Email. |
| Health Metrics track a member's history (weight, heart rate, etc) over time. Entries must not be overwritten. | This is a Weak Entity. It cannot exist without a Member. A specific log is identified by the MemberID + Date + Type. | Health Metric - Weak Entity Owner: Member Relationship: logs (1:N, Total Participation) |

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| | | <p>Attributes: member_id (FK), date_recorded, type, value.</p> <p>Primary Key: Composite (member id + date recorded + type).</p> |
| Fitness Classes represent the schedule. Each class has a specific time, room, and trainer. | Personal Training is treated as a Class with capacity = 1. | <p>Fitness Class – Entity</p> <p>Attributes: Class id (PK), Class type, Class date, Start Time, End Time.</p> <p>Foreign Keys: room number and trainer id</p> <p>Relationships: Trainer <u>teaches</u> Fitness Class, Room <u>hosts</u> Fitness Class.</p> |
| Bookings link a member to a class and track payment status. | Payment amount is recorded per booking. | <p>Booking – Entity</p> <p>Attributes: Booking id (PK), Payment Amount, Billing Status.</p> <p>Foreign Keys: Member id, Class id</p> |
| Rooms are physical spaces with a unique number/name and capacity | Room Number is a string and unique. | <p>Room - Entity</p> <p>Attributes: PK Room Number, Room Name, Capacity.</p> |

Application Implementation:

- The application logic was implemented in Java using JDBC
 - Database Connection: The application establishes a connection to the PostgreSQL/Pg Admin database using the DriverManager class
 - Data Retrieval: To retrieve data such as verifying a member's login credentials or viewing their dashboard, the application uses PreparedStatement to execute SELECT queries

- Data Modification: For operations that modify the database state, such as registering a new user or booking a class, the executeUpdate() method is used.
- The system follows a command line interface structure where a main loop handles user navigation (such as user login + signup) and helper methods perform specific database operations using SQL
- The application uses try-catch blocks to handle the SQL exceptions and is especially important for catching the errors raised by the SQL trigger (`check_room_availability`) when a double- booking is attempted
- The view, trigger and index were implemented in this way:
 - **View (PublicSchedule):** A virtual table was created to simplify complex joins between FitnessClasses, Rooms, and Trainers. This provides a readable, view of the schedule for public display without exposing underlying IDs
 - **Trigger (check_room_availability):** A BEFORE INSERT trigger was implemented on the FitnessClasses table. This function automatically checks for time overlaps in a specific room before a new class is scheduled. If a conflict is detected, the database raises an exception, preventing double-booking.
 - **Index (idx_member_last_name):** An index was created on the last_name column of the Members table. This optimizes the search performance for the Trainer's "member lookup" function as the member base grows.