Digital Patient Feedback & Experience Agent

The **NHS Patient Feedback Agent** is a conversational AI system built to collect, analyze, and process patient feedback in real-time via a chatbot interface. It is designed to improve patient engagement and identify service gaps by intelligently interacting with patients, categorizing feedback, and providing structured insight to healthcare administrators.

Overview:

- Automates collection of post-visit feedback and satisfaction surveys
- Implements sentiment analysis on patient reviews and comments
- Generates trend analysis reports for service quality metrics
- Identifies recurring issues and improvement opportunities
- Tracks feedback resolution and follow-up actions
- Provides real-time alerts for critical patient concerns

Tech Stack

Backend

- FastAPI: REST & WebSocket APIs
- pydantic-ai: Tool-based agent logic and context injection
- MongoDB: Database for user records and feedback collection
- OpenAl GPT-4o-mini: Language model for intelligent conversation
- TextBlob: Sentiment analysis engine
- Uvicorn: ASGI server
- Logfire: Centralized logging and tracing

Frontend

- React (Vite setup)
- Tailwind CSS for design
- WebSocket API for real-time chat

■ Database Collections Overview

Users collection

Field	Type	Description	
name	str	Patient's name	
password	str	Hashed password	
nhs number	dict	{ number, age, gender, treatment, issue }	

Feedback_collection

Field	Type
patient_name	str
nhs_number	str
satisfaction_rating	int
comments	str
category	str

Core Features (Completed)

1. Authentication System

- Users register/login using NHS number + password
- On login, user data is fetched from MongoDB (users_collection)
- Authenticated user info is stored in localStorage

2. WebSocket-Based Real-Time Chat

- Maintains persistent chat sessions using FastAPI WebSockets
- Sends NHS number on connection for **contextual personalization**

3. Al Agent with Contextual Awareness

- Agent is powered by pydantic-ai with tools for:
 - Sentiment analysis
 - Follow-up questions
 - Feedback form initiation (interactive)
 - Feedback saving (to MongoDB)
 - Categorization
 - Finding common issues
 - Generating trend analysis (admin-side)
 - Detecting critical issues (admin-side)

4. User Context Injection

- Agent receives ctx.deps including:
 - Patient name
 - o Age, gender, treatment date
 - Health issue
 - Feedback state (satisfaction rating, comments)
- These are dynamically injected when the chat session starts
- Agent uses this to personalize its conversation

5. Stateful Conversation Logic

- Agent knows when it is "waiting" for a rating or comment
- When rating is received, it triggers follow-up question
- When comments are received, it:
 - Categorizes using keyword-based matching
 - Saves feedback to feedback_collection

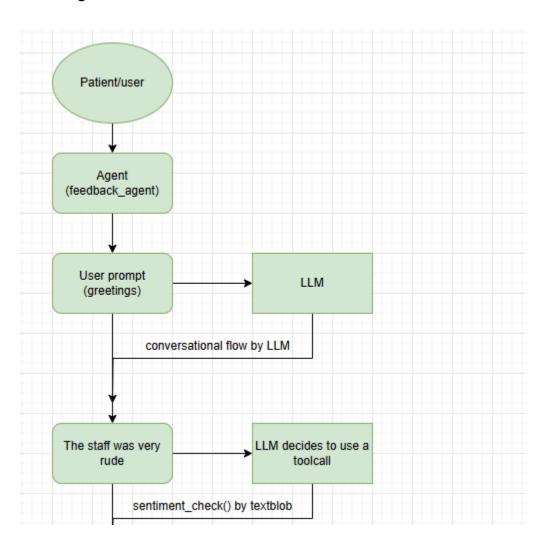
6. Feedback Analysis Tools

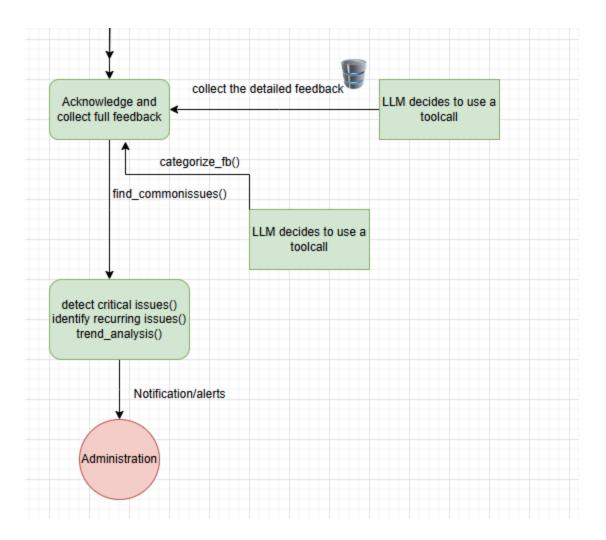
- find_common_issues: Analyzes DB for high-frequency complaints
- **generate_trend_analysis**: Calculates average ratings and other info.
- detect_critical_issues: Flags dangerous medical keywords

7. "New Chat" Flow

- Clears context and agent memory using a new_chat message
- Ensures a fresh conversation every time without confusion

Flow Diagram:





Features In Progress / To Be Implemented

1. Chat History System

- Save each message (user + bot) in a chat_sessions collection
- Each chat will have:
 - session_id, timestamp, messages[], nhs_number
- Chat list will populate the left sidebar in UI
- Allow users to revisit past chats

2. Scheduled Reporting

- Use schedule or APScheduler to:
 - Send trend analysis daily
 - o Alert admins if critical issue keywords spike