# Project Notebook

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# **Project Objectives**

Create a predictive model for identifying patients with Diabetes See Capstone Proposal for details.

## **Project Dataset**

Practice Fusion De-Identified Data Set containing EHR data for approximately 10,000 de-identified patients, including data points for diagnoses, medication, transcript data, and lab observations. See the Data Dictionary for details.

#### General Notes

# Working with SQLite

The dataset is contained within an SQLite database file (420.7MB). To load the data into R requires installation and loading of **RSQLite** and **DBI** R packages. One of the dependencies is the tibble package. During the install, I was asked whether to install the binary version (1.3.4) or the source version (1.4.1), which would need compilation. I wasn't comfortable enough to explore compiling R package code yet, so I went with the 1.3.4 version.

I found this brief example of how to connect to and query an SQLite database file to be very helpful in getting up and going quickly.

```
#Connect to SQLite file
con <- dbConnect(SQLite(), dbname="data.db")

#Define query and store it in my_query
my_query <- dbSendQuery(con, "SELECT name from person_table")
#Fetch data using query and store it in my_data
my_data <- dbFetch(my_query)

#Clear the results cache from my_query
dbClearResult(my_query)

#Perform additional queries

#Disconnect from the database file
dbDisconnect(con)</pre>
```

dplyr also has sqlite functions

# **Project Notes**

## R Packages

The following packages are needed to work on the project.

Note that dbplyr is required to make database connections using dplyr functions.

```
library(tidyr)
library(dplyr)
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
       filter, lag
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
       intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
library(dbplyr)
##
## Attaching package: 'dbplyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
       ident, sql
##
library(readr)
```

#### Connect to database

Note that dbplyr library is required in order for this command to work

```
# Connect to database
my_db <- src_sqlite("compData.db")</pre>
```

#### Load relevant tables

The tables of interest are:

- training\_diagnosis contains diagnosis information (we need this in order to identify the patients diagnosed with diabetes)
- training\_allergy contains allergy information for patient
- training\_medication contains medication information for patient
- training\_patient contains gender and year of birth
- training smoke combines patient info with smoking statuses
- lab tables contain lab results
  - training\_labResult contains a record of lab results for a particular transcript
  - $-\ training\_labPanel$  links training\\_labResult and training\\_labObservation
  - training\_labObservation contains details regarding lab tests

```
diagnosis_tbl <- tbl(my_db, sql("SELECT DiagnosisGuid, PatientGuid, ICD9Code, StartYear, StopYear, Acut
```

```
allergy_tbl <- tbl(my_db, sql("SELECT AllergyGuid, PatientGuid, AllergyType, StartYear as AllergyStartY medication_tbl <- tbl(my_db, sql("SELECT MedicationGuid, PatientGuid, MedicationNdcCode, MedicationName patient_tbl <- tbl(my_db, sql("SELECT PatientGuid, Gender, YearOfBirth FROM training_patient")) transcript_tbl <- tbl(my_db, sql("SELECT TranscriptGuid, PatientGuid, VisitYear, Height, Weight, BMI, S smoke_tbl <- tbl(my_db, sql("SELECT PatientGuid, SmokeEffectiveYear, SmokingStatus_Description, Smoking # to get a single table that links the observation data back to the patient, # join training_labResult, training_labPanel, and training_labObservation
lab_tbl <- left_join(left_join(tbl(my_db,sql("SELECT LabResultGuid, PatientGuid FROM training_labResult
```

## Identify target population

All Type 1 Diabetes diagnoses have an ICD9Code that starts with 205. We have a table with all of the diagnoses and one with only the diabetes diagnoses.

```
diabetes tbl <- tbl(my db, sql("SELECT DiagnosisGuid, PatientGuid, ICD9Code, StartYear, StopYear, Acute
## Observations: ??
## Warning in rsqlite_fetch(res@ptr, n = n): Column `StopYear`: mixed type,
## first seen values of type string, coercing other values of type integer
## Variables: 6
## $ DiagnosisGuid <chr> "AC80E20C-EEF2-4AA4-B9C8-00661EF88886", "43EA46E...
                 <chr> "D76FC581-580A-4988-B13F-D4E9BD6763EA", "F6E5C45...
## $ PatientGuid
                 <chr> "250.71", "250.61", "250.03", "250.61", "250.03"...
## $ ICD9Code
                 <int> 0, 2010, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2011, 0, ...
## $ StartYear
                 <chr> "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", ...
## $ StopYear
## $ Acute
```

#### Identify allergy data for target population

```
# join allergy_tbl to diabetes_tbl to get allergy data for diabetic patients
diabetes_allergy_tbl <- as_tibble(left_join(diabetes_tbl, allergy_tbl, by = c("PatientGuid"))) %%
  select(PatientGuid, AllergyGuid, AllergyType, ReactionName, SeverityName, AllergyMedicationNdcCode = 1
# add has_allergy to diabetes_allergy_tbl to indicate whether diabetic patient has allergies
diabetes_allergy_tbl <- diabetes_allergy_tbl %>%
  mutate(has_allergy = as.integer(!is.na(diabetes_allergy_tbl$AllergyGuid)))
glimpse(diabetes_allergy_tbl)
## Observations: 219
## Variables: 7
## $ PatientGuid
                              <chr> "D76FC581-580A-4988-B13F-D4E9BD6763EA...
## $ AllergyGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, "2CDB164D-4AB8-4B...
## $ AllergyType
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, "Medication", "Me...
## $ ReactionName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, "Shortness of bre...
## $ SeverityName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, "Modest", "Mild",...
## $ AllergyMedicationNdcCode <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, "68462033905", "6...
## $ has_allergy
                              <int> 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0...
```

#### Identify medication data for target population

```
Exclude medication specifically given in response to diabetes diagnosis (?)
```

```
# join medication_tbl to diabetes_tbl to get medication data for diabetic patients
# filter out medication that is linked to the diabetes diagnosis
diabetes_medication_tbl <- as_tibble(left_join(diabetes_tbl, medication_tbl, by = c("PatientGuid"))) %>
 filter(DiagnosisGuid.x != DiagnosisGuid.y) %>%
 select(PatientGuid, MedicationGuid, MedicationNdcCode)
# add has_meds to diabetes_medication_tbl to indicate whether diabetic patient has medication
diabetes_medication_tbl <- diabetes_medication_tbl %>%
 mutate(has_meds = as.integer(!is.na(diabetes_medication_tbl$MedicationGuid)))
glimpse(diabetes medication tbl)
## Observations: 1,099
## Variables: 4
## $ PatientGuid
                     <chr> "D76FC581-580A-4988-B13F-D4E9BD6763EA", "D76...
## $ MedicationGuid <chr> "18D1EC29-6EB4-48C0-AF06-95E7F74D1270", "2D0...
## $ MedicationNdcCode <chr>> "49483022110", "00247200674", "38245067973",...
                     ## $ has_meds
```

## Identify patient information for target population

### Identify smoking information for target population

Need to parse through results to identify smokers, former smokers, etc. How should these be grouped?

```
# join smoke_tbl to diabetes_tbl to get smoking data for diabetic patients
diabetes_smoke_tbl <- as_tibble(left_join(diabetes_tbl, smoke_tbl, by = c("PatientGuid"))) %>%
    select(PatientGuid, SmokeEffectiveYear, SmokingStatus_Description, SmokingStatus_NISTCode) %>%
    arrange(SmokingStatus_NISTCode) %>%
    glimpse()
```

#### Identify lab information for target population

```
# join lab_tbl to diabetes_tbl to get lab results data for diabetic patients
diabetes_lab_tbl <- as_tibble(left_join(diabetes_tbl, lab_tbl, by = c("PatientGuid"))) %>%
 select(PatientGuid, LabObservationGuid, HL7Identifier, HL7Text, HL7CodingSystem, ObservationValue, Un
# add has_labs to diabetes_lab_tbl to indicate whether diabetic patient has lab results
diabetes_lab_tbl <- diabetes_lab_tbl %>%
 mutate(has_labs = as.integer(!is.na(diabetes_lab_tbl$LabObservationGuid)))
glimpse(diabetes_lab_tbl)
## Observations: 312
## Variables: 12
## $ PatientGuid
             <chr> "D76FC581-580A-4988-B13F-D4E9BD6763EA", "F6...
## $ HL7Identifier
             ## $ HL7Text
             ## $ HL7CodingSystem
             ## $ ObservationValue
             ## $ Units
             ## $ ReferenceRange
             ## $ AbnormalFlags
             ## $ ResultStatus
             ## $ ObservationYear
             ## $ has_labs
```

#### disconnect from database

This is getting an error. May have to use a different method to connect

```
dbDisconnect(my_db)
```

# Revised process for loading and organizing data

Read the data files into R. Use select statements to pre-filter the desired columns.

```
patient <- read_csv("db/training_patient.csv")
diagnosis <- read_csv("db/training_diagnosis.csv") %>%
    select(DiagnosisGuid, PatientGuid, ICD9Code, StartYear, StopYear, Acute)

allergy <- read_csv("db/training_allergy.csv") %>%
    select(AllergyGuid, PatientGuid, AllergyType, AllergyStartYear = StartYear, ReactionName, SeverityNam

allergy <- transform(allergy, MedicationNdcCode = as.character(MedicationNdcCode))
medication <- read_csv("db/training_medication.csv") %>%
    select(MedicationGuid, PatientGuid, MedicationNdcCode, MedicationName, MedicationStrength, Schedule, immunization <- read_csv("db/training_immunization.csv") %>%
    select(ImmunizationGuid, PatientGuid, VaccineName, AdministeredYear, CvxCode)

# read in lab observations joined to include PatientGuid and PanelName
```

```
labs <- left_join(</pre>
  left_join(
    read_csv("db/training_labResult.csv") %>%
      select(LabResultGuid, PatientGuid, TranscriptGuid),
    read_csv("db/training_labPanel.csv") %>%
      select(LabResultGuid, LabPanelGuid, PanelName),
    by="LabResultGuid"
  ),
  read csv("db/training labObservation.csv"),
  by="LabPanelGuid"
# read in transcript table
transcript <- read_csv("db/training_transcript.csv") %>%
  select(TranscriptGuid, PatientGuid, VisitYear, Height, Weight, BMI, SystolicBP, DiastolicBP, Respirat
# read in smoke table
smoke <- read_csv("db/training_smoke.csv") %>%
  select(PatientGuid, SmokeEffectiveYear, SmokingStatus_Description, SmokingStatus_NISTCode)
#read in join tables
transDiag <- read_csv("db/training_transcriptDiagnosis.csv")</pre>
transMed <- read_csv("db/training_transcriptMedication.csv")</pre>
transAllergy <- read_csv("db/training_transcriptAllergy.csv")</pre>
join tables that link on transcript
#join diagnosis and transcript
diagJoin <- left_join(diagnosis, transDiag) %>% select(-TranscriptDiagnosisGuid)
diagTran <- left join(diagJoin, transcript)</pre>
diagTran$TranscriptGuid[is.na(diagTran$TranscriptGuid)] <- "DIAG"</pre>
#join medication and transcript
medJoin <- left_join(medication, transMed) %>% select(-TranscriptMedicationGuid)
medTran <- left_join(medJoin, transcript)</pre>
medTran$TranscriptGuid[is.na(medTran$TranscriptGuid)] <- "MED"</pre>
# join allergy and transcript
allerJoin <- left_join(allergy,transAllergy) %>% select(-TranscriptAllergyGuid)
allerTran <- left_join(allerJoin, transcript)</pre>
allerTran$TranscriptGuid[is.na(allerTran$TranscriptGuid)] <- "ALLERGY"
# join medTran, diagTran, allerTran, and rest of transcript
allerDiagMedTran <- full_join(full_join(full_join(allerTran,diagTran),medTran),transcript)</pre>
give non-transcript tables TranscriptGuid column so that they join without causing cartesian products
smoke <- smoke %>% mutate(TranscriptGuid = "SMOKE")
immunization <- immunization %>% mutate(TranscriptGuid = "IMMUNIZATION")
join remaining tables
admts <- full_join(allerDiagMedTran, smoke)</pre>
admtsi <- full join(admts, immunization)</pre>
admtsil <- full_join(admtsi, labs)</pre>
patient_pop_data <- left_join(patient,admtsil)</pre>
```

#### isolate diabetes patients

## \$ HL7CodingSystem

```
diabetes_pop_data <- patient_pop_data %>% filter(dmIndicator == 1)
glimpse(patient_pop_data)
## Observations: 462,414
## Variables: 53
## $ PatientGuid
                              <chr> "FB6EFC3D-1A20-4497-9CBD-00027CC5D22...
## $ dmIndicator
                              <int> 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, ...
## $ Gender
                              <chr> "M", "M", "M", "M", "M", "M", "M", "...
                              <int> 1929, 1929, 1929, 1929, 1929, 1929, ...
## $ YearOfBirth
                              <chr> "SD", "SD", "SD", "SD", "SD", "SD", ...
## $ State
## $ PracticeGuid
                              <chr> "7BF4DAD8-5F67-4985-B911-20C9E89A373...
## $ AllergyGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ AllergyType
## $ AllergyStartYear
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ReactionName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ SeverityName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ MedicationNdcCode
                              <chr> "5D30ACC4-1D99-482B-964A-8A80DE1F048...
## $ TranscriptGuid
                              <int> 2009, 2009, 2011, 2011, 2011, 2009, ...
## $ VisitYear
## $ Height
                              <chr> "69", "69", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", ...
                              <dbl> 128, 128, 0, 137, 141, 128, 0, 137, ...
## $ Weight
## $ BMI
                              <dbl> 18.900, 18.900, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000,...
                              <chr> "NULL", "134", "136", "142", "132", ...
## $ SystolicBP
                              <chr> "NULL", "72", "86", "71", "80", "72"...
## $ DiastolicBP
                              <chr> "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NUL...
## $ RespiratoryRate
                              <chr> "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NUL...
## $ HeartRate
## $ Temperature
                              <chr> "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NUL...
## $ DiagnosisGuid
                              <chr> "CF8EC250-BF6D-4C1C-84E3-489F349C007...
                              <chr> "V58.69", "V58.69", "805.4", "805.4"...
## $ ICD9Code
## $ StartYear
                              <int> 0, 0, 2011, 2011, 2009, 2009, 2009, ...
## $ StopYear
                              <chr> "NULL", "NULL", "2011", "2011", "NUL...
## $ Acute
                              <int> 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, ...
## $ MedicationGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ MedicationName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ MedicationStrength
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ Schedule
## $ SmokeEffectiveYear
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
<int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ SmokingStatus_NISTCode
## $ ImmunizationGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ VaccineName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ AdministeredYear
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ CvxCode
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ LabResultGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ LabPanelGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ PanelName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ HL7Identifier
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ HL7Text
                              ## $ LabObservationGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
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<chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...

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## $ ObservationValue
                              <dbl> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ Units
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ReferenceRange
## $ AbnormalFlags
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ResultStatus
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ObservationYear
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ UserGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ IsAbnormalValue
glimpse(diabetes_pop_data)
## Observations: 113,027
## Variables: 53
## $ PatientGuid
                              <chr> "D2516A79-B6E2-4830-B637-002B16BA942...
## $ dmIndicator
                              <int> 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, ...
## $ Gender
                              <chr> "F", "F", "F", "F", "F", "F", "F", "...
                              <int> 1951, 1951, 1951, 1951, 1951, 1951, ...
## $ YearOfBirth
## $ State
                              <chr> "OK", "OK", "OK", "OK", "OK", "OK", ...
## $ PracticeGuid
                              <chr> "444D72AC-4F3C-4571-81DF-FFB9B5F1601...
## $ AllergyGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ AllergyType
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ AllergyStartYear
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ReactionName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ SeverityName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ MedicationNdcCode
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ TranscriptGuid
                              <chr> "BF10ED38-3DAD-478D-A34A-682490ACD19...
## $ VisitYear
                              <int> 2010, 2011, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2010, ...
## $ Height
                              <chr> "64", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL"...
## $ Weight
                              <dbl> 255, 252, 0, 0, 252, 255, 250, 0, 0,...
## $ BMI
                              <dbl> 43.766, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, ...
                              <chr> "132", "198", "NULL", "NULL", "198",...
## $ SystolicBP
                              <chr> "75", "82", "NULL", "NULL", "82", "7...
## $ DiastolicBP
                              <chr> "16", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL"...
## $ RespiratoryRate
                              <chr> "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NUL...
## $ HeartRate
                              <chr> "97.9", "97.9", "95.5", "NULL", "97....
## $ Temperature
                              <chr> "6A20D092-EF35-41FE-93E0-2CE7B8A8CD8...
## $ DiagnosisGuid
                              <chr> "787.0", "729.5", "465.9", "272.0", ...
## $ ICD9Code
## $ StartYear
                              <int> 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, ...
                              <chr> "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NULL", "NUL...
## $ StopYear
## $ Acute
                              <int> 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, ...
## $ MedicationGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ MedicationName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ MedicationStrength
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ Schedule
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ SmokeEffectiveYear
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ SmokingStatus NISTCode
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ImmunizationGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ VaccineName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ AdministeredYear
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ CvxCode
                              <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
                              ## $ LabResultGuid
## $ LabPanelGuid
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ PanelName
                              <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ HL7Identifier
```

```
## $ HL7Text
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ LabObservationGuid
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ HL7CodingSystem
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ObservationValue
                               <dbl> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ Units
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ReferenceRange
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ AbnormalFlags
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ ResultStatus
## $ ObservationYear
                               <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ UserGuid
                               <chr> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
## $ IsAbnormalValue
                               <int> NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, ...
```