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## **Assignment 2**

Deadline: Check the calendar of your course shell

#### **Learning Objectives**

The learning objectives of this assignment are:

- Learning the procedure of Comprative Analysis
- Creating the high fidelity prototype for your application

#### **Assignment Steps**

#### P1) Procedure of Competitive Analysis (50%)

• Competitor analysis in marketing and strategic management is an assessment of the strengths and weaknesses of current and potential competitors. This analysis provides both an offensive and defensive strategic context to identify opportunities and threats. Profiling combines all of the relevant sources of competitor analysis into one framework in the support of efficient and effective strategy formulation, implementation, monitoring and adjustment [1].

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In the first assignment, you provided similar applications to what you are going to develop. Regardless what you are developing, it is always possible to find the applications with similar themes. In this part, you need to compare your application with competitors in a matrix.

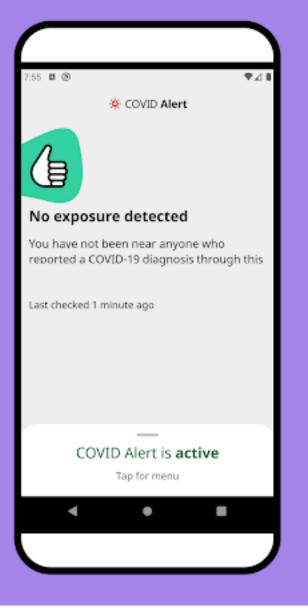
Please write the name top five competitor apps.

- COVID Alert
- Canada COVID-19
- COVID Alert NY
- COVID Alert NJ
- COVID Alert PA

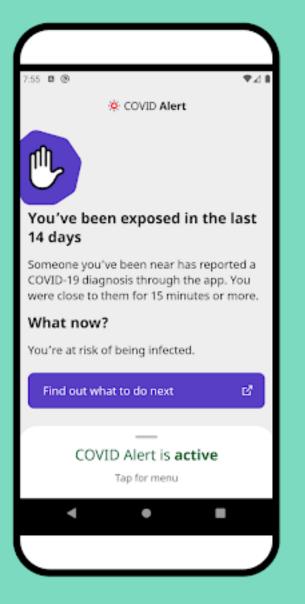
Use their products/services to understand how their business is structured.

COVID Alert

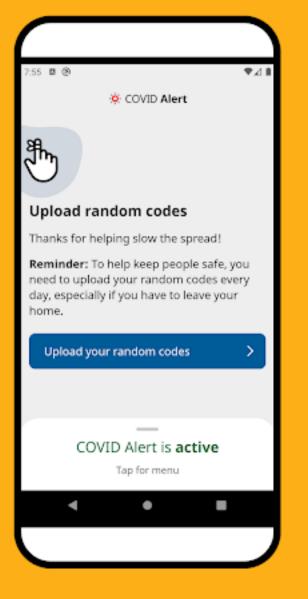
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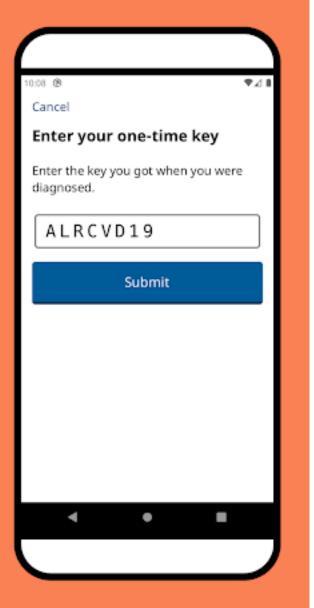
# Looking for exposures.



# Join the effort to slow the spread.



# Your privacy is protected.



Canada COVID-19



#### ACTIVE

#### ARCHIVE



Complete a self assessment and learn what to do



March 7, 2020

#### Review Hand Washing

Learn how to wash your hands properly.



March 7, 2020

#### What is COVID-19?

Learn about COVID-19, its symptoms and how it spreads.













Resources

Self-Chec

#### Updates

#### TODAY'S UPDATES



#### BC Gov News

Mar 21, 2020 10:50 AM

Government acting to protect province's most vulnerable during COVID-19 crisis

As British Columbias work to reduce the spread of the coronavirus, the Province is taking swift action to protect vulnerable...

#### PREVIOUS UPDATES



#### Health Canada

Mar 20, 2020 12:06 PM

No scientific evidence that ibuprofen worsens COVID-19 symptoms

OTTAWA - Health Canada is aware of reports, including on social media, that reference safety issues with the use of...



#### BC Gov News

Mar 21, 2020 10:50 AM







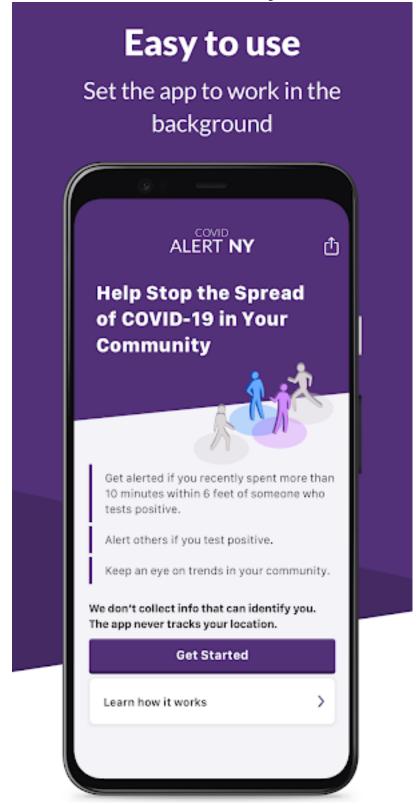




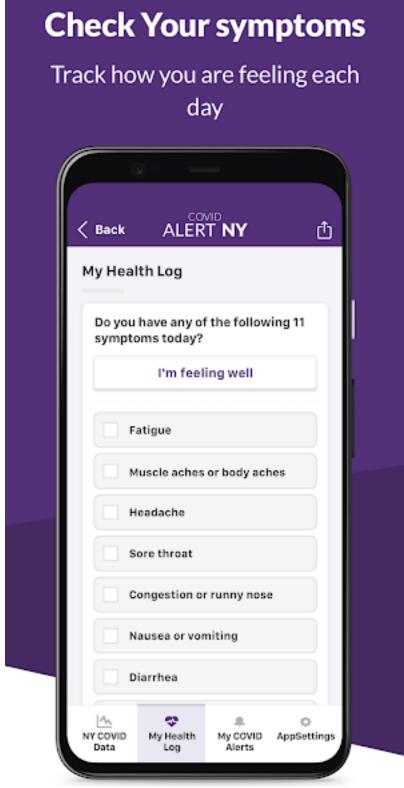
COVID Alert NY







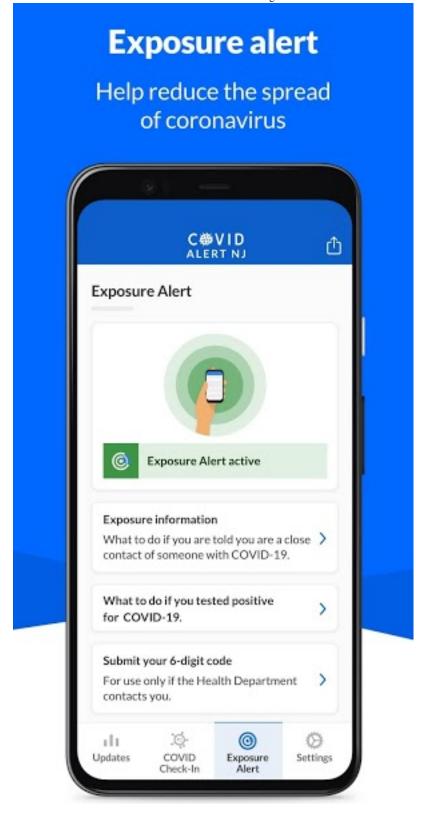
## **Latest Data** Get the latest facts and health advice ALERT NY ₾ My Health Log Let us know if you havesymptoms today NY COVID Data All Counties in New York \* How fast is COVID-19 spreading? Percent Tested Positive 0.91% 0.5% 01 Sep Daily figure — 7 day average ♨ My Health My COVID NY COVID AppSettings Data Log Alerts

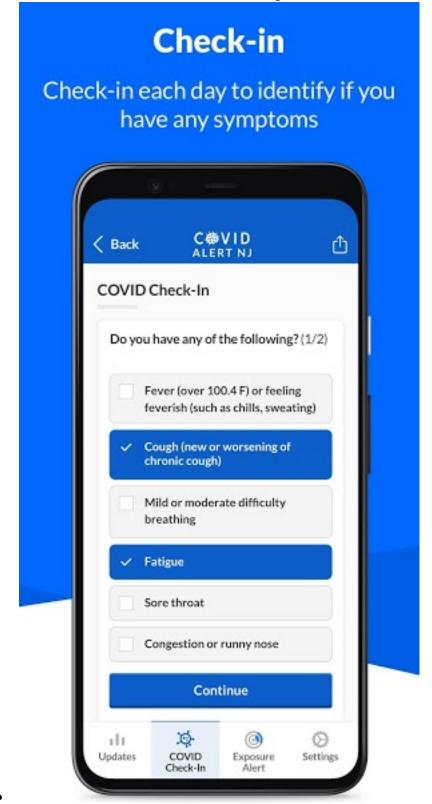


• COVID Alert NJ











COVID Alert PA



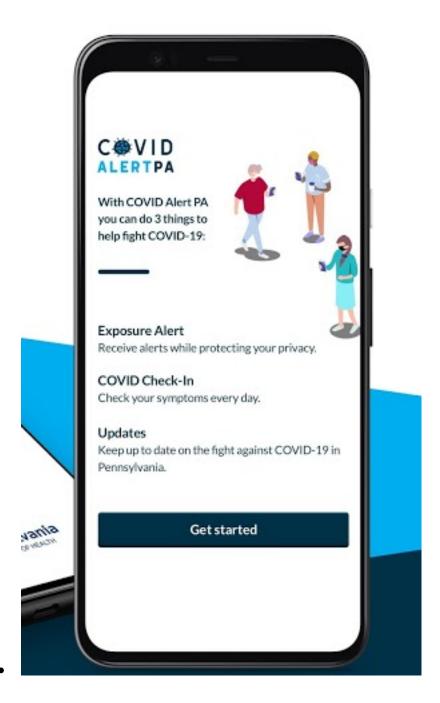
# PA Unites Against COVID

Stop the spread and protect each other from COVID-19



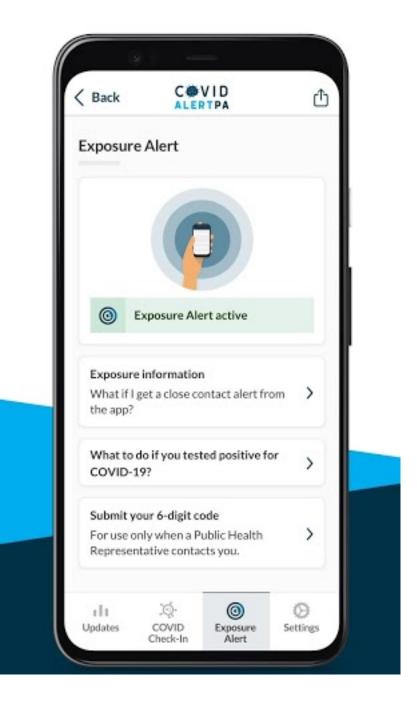
# Easy to use

## Protects your privacy



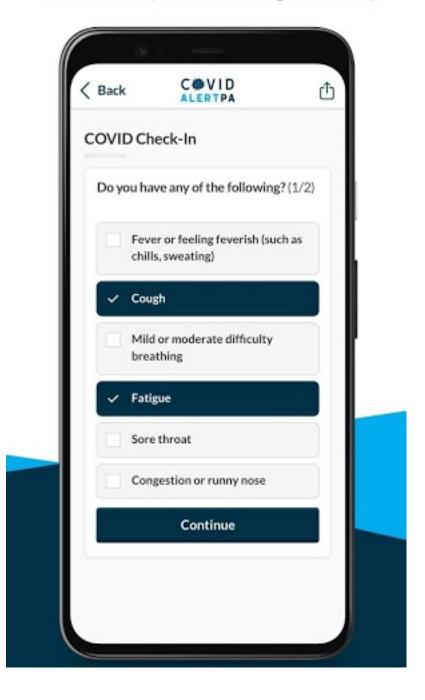
# **Exposure Alert**

### Helps break the transmission chain



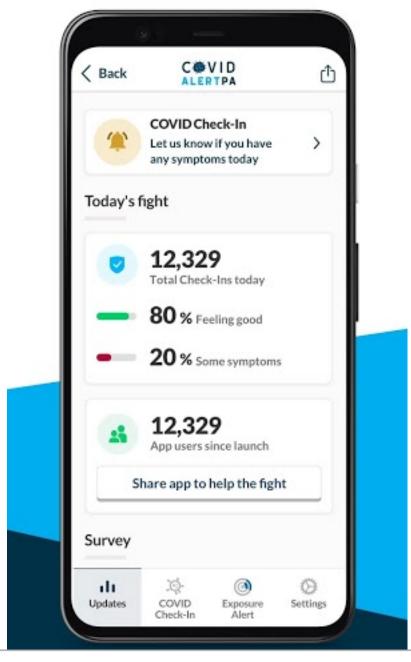
# COVID-19 Symptom Check-In

Check how you're feeling each day



# Latest updates

#### Get the latest Pennsylvania numbers



- Study "A Product Designer's Guide to Competitive Analysis" article and based on the given guidelines draw the Competitor Analysis Matrix while one of the columns is dedicated to your product. A typical competitor analysis matrix contains the following (yours should at least contain them as well):
  - 1. Features/solutions of the platform you are building.
  - 2. Confirmation that the competitors have/don't have the same feature/solution.
  - 3. Score you can assign a certain number of points to each of the features based on their importance. For example, in the sample above, chat may carry 10 points and stories may carry 5 points. Add all the points together and divide by the number of features = competitor score in percentage. The visual design, overall

user experience, and performance of each of the platforms you analyzed may also be included.

Competitor Analysis Matrix drawn in attached Excel spreadsheet.

Identify any UX/HCI issues with a competitor's product and **create a comprehensive list of UX/HCI issues of your competitors here**. This list will help you learn from other people's mistakes. After identifying UX issues, look for any visual design shortcomings. For example, how well are the calls to action designed and what kind of color palette are they using? This will help you design a better visual experience for

your product.

**Hint:** To find common UX/HCI issues, more than the main article, search for them. For example, you can find articles such as <u>9 Usability Issues that Plague Today's Mobile Apps</u> or <u>19 common UX problems and how to fix them.</u>

- Too many taps
- <u>Disregarding landscape mode</u>
- Turning a blind eye on OS versions
- No auto-filled customer data (only Canada COVID-19 has this feature)
- Deep navigation (only COVID alert does not seem to have this issue)

Identify any UX issues with **your initial prototype you created** in the first assignment and create a list of UX/HCI issues of your prototype here

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#### P2) Your second prototype using Figma(25%)

- Study <u>Perfect Your UX Design Process A Guide to Prototype Design</u> to learn about steps of creating a better prototype. Choose the best ideas of your first design and remove the issues you made in first design.
  - 1. Provide screenshots of your final design which contains all the features of the app you are designing.

#### Screenshots provided on attached PDF.

2. **Provide a public URL of your Figma design.** The prototype should be workable (clicking on the menus, icons, etc should show the interface or move to the next screen)

 $\underline{https://www.figma.com/file/1FPC4Za4zYbykC6suuh1Bm/My-COVID-19-App-Copy?node-id=0\%3A1}$ 

3. Create a video of interactions with audio narration, and upload to YouTube (Or upload on Slate/OneDrive if you have privacy concerns). Go through all the screens and talk about what app is capble of. You can watch this video to see how to record it or simply use OBS. Provide the URL of video in the document.

<u>Video uploaded to SLATE Dropbox and Google Drive</u>
(https://drive.google.com/file/d/1LiljXjRd5dBfm2cgdZenVbF5x3pH-Aa6/view?usp=sharing).

#### P3) GitHub and new features (25%)

- Create a GitHub repository and upload your figma file there and write a short description with some screenshots, public URL of your figma design, and your vide URL (if uploaded on YouTube) in README. Share the URL of GitHub in the document you submit for the assignment. Good GitHub repository and documentation and video preparations will receive **bonus marks**.
- https://github.com/marcohcanada/My-COVID-19-App.git

Based of the process of Need Finding and Competitive Analysis, write top five **new** desirable functionlities (such as having the ability of helping people in need such as elderly people) in the COVID-19 app that you have not seen before in any other apps. Please add these to your README on GitHub.

- 1. <u>COVID-19 Case-Based Surveillance:</u> Enrolling and tracking suspected cases
- 2. <u>Contact Registration:</u> Strengthening active COVID-19 case detection through contact tracing activities such as identification
- 3. <u>Ports of Entry Screening:</u> Enrolling travellers who have visited COVID-19-high-risk locations for 14-day monitoring and followup
- 4. <u>COVID-19 Surveillance Event:</u> A simplified list that captures minimum necessary data points for daily or weekly reporting
- 5. <u>COVID-19 Aggregate Surveillance:</u> A reporting dataset that captures minimum necessary data points for daily or weekly reporting
- **Optional** (but recommended): Share your GitHub URL in <u>this page</u>. This helps everyone in this course look at your design and we collaborate together to discuss about the prototypes

#### **Submission**

- This is an individual assignment
- The deadline is based on what you see on the course shell.
- You should submit a single PDF contaiting all three parts and a fig file of your prototype
- Late submission will receive 10% deductions per 24 hours up to 72 hours. After 72 hours, 0 will be assigned.