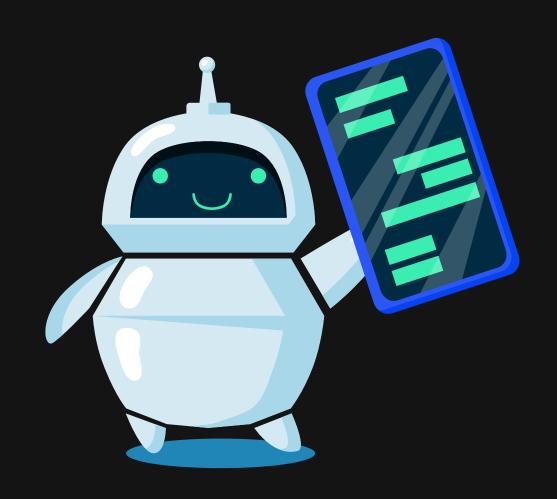
**Biomedical NLP** 

## BIO-NER TOOL

For symptom identification in preliminary diagnosis

#### PROBLEM STATEMENT



- Presence of ambiguity
   present in medical-bots
   deployed in general
   healthcare.
- Reduce presence of false positives in medical-related NLP.
- Lack of real life implementation of chatbots

# RESEARCH GAP

- Application of dialog models in medicine such as ComBot performs optimally but can falsely consider chats with a stressed individual to be a false positive.
- Performance of LLMs, ChatGPT and BARD are much better, but failed to provide precise diagnosis and required further consultation to reach a decision.
- In terms of ethics, AI models should consider- patient safety, regulation, accountability, liability and the impact on the patient-physician relationship.

### Proposed Approach

A middle-ware tool



• GENERAL SYMPTOM
DATASET

• BERT MODEL

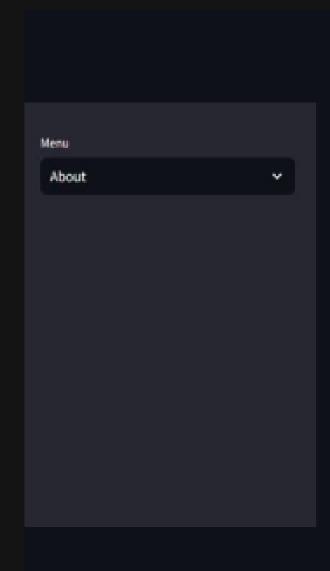
• FRONT END DEMO

#### DATASET

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when i raise my hand i feel pain in my shoulder.	Shoulder pain
I have acne all over my face	Acne
I get clusters of pimples on my face that never go away.	Acne
My foot hurts me a lot of playing football	Foot ache
I'm having a hard time reading because the letters are all fuzzy	Blurry vision
i was playing football and injuried with joint pain.	Joint pain
I feel discomfort throughout the body in general	Body feels weak
there pain in my foot	Foot ache
I don't know why I'm constantly sad.	Emotional pain
I got a divorce last year and I just can't stop dwelling on how to get revenge on my ex hus	Emotional pain
Chronic disease of hair follicles and sebaceous glands	Acne
My chest hurts when I smoke	Internal pain
I feel lightheaded when I stand up	Feeling dizzy

#### MODEL

- Train-val-test split- 70:10:20
- AdamW optimizer
- Learning rate scheduler
- Streamlit frontend



#### **General disease NER**

#### Dr. Jane

#### A Bio-NER tool for symptom identification in preliminary diagnosis

We propose a tool which acts as a middleware in identifying symptoms from the patient's conversation with medical symptom-based diagnostic chatbots- both traditional and voice-based. The research assumes that the mode of input is text or speech-to-text communication between the chatbot and patient. The tool shall be used to narrow down the symptoms which can be utilized as a term-based summary for diagnosing diseases.

#### **DEMO**



#### **General disease NER**

#### Dr. Jane

Hello! I am a standby Emergency department medic. In order to proceed with your appointment with the correct doctor, I shall diagnose your symptoms as accurately as possible.

Therefore, kindly enter the symptoms you are facing in the box below. Please adhere to mentioning one problem per sentence for your ease and faster prediction.

#### Explain your ailments for first response diagnosis:

Symptom:

I have a wound on my head. My hair falls out a lot as well.

Submit

You seem to have the following symptoms:

Open wound, Hair falling out

Thank you for your response! Please wait while I shall perform a quick diagnosis and direct you to the concered department.

#### OUTCOMES

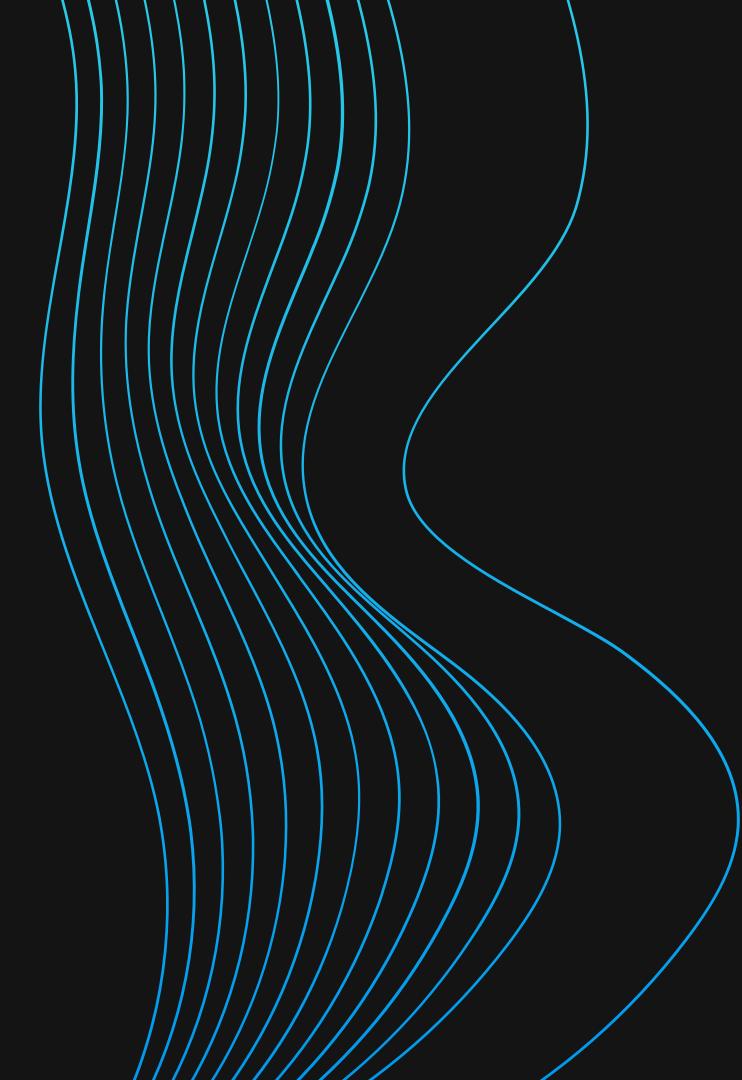
An effective web application capable to preliminary symptom recognition



- TEST LOSS OF 0.14
- RESOLVES AMBIGUITY

#### FUTURE WORK

- USE OF LARGER LABELED DATASET
- ACCOMODATE MULTI-ENTITY RECOGNITION
- IMPLEMENTATION OF A STACK MODEL WITH DISEASE PREDICTION



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