

Project Title

Health AI: Intelligent Healthcare Assistant

1. Introduction

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2. Project Overview

Purpose:

The purpose of Health AI is to provide smart, accessible, and secure healthcare support using IBM Granite AI models. It empowers patients with instant medical guidance, disease prediction, and treatment plan suggestions, bridging the gap between healthcare services and patients who lack immediate access to doctors. The assistant is designed to be fast, reliable, and easy to use through cloud deployment.

Features:

- Patient Chat – Interactive assistant for health-related questions.
- Disease Prediction – AI-powered analysis based on patient symptoms.
- Treatment Plans – Suggestions for care and next steps.
- Accessibility – Cloud-based deployment via Google Colab and Gradio.
- Scalability – Can be extended with more features like medical report uploads.

3. Architecture

Frontend (Gradio): Provides a simple and user-friendly interface for patients to chat, predict diseases, and view treatment suggestions. Backend (Python + IBM Granite Model): Runs the AI models and logic to process queries. Deployment (Google Colab): Uses T4 GPU for performance and ensures accessibility from any device.

4. Setup Instructions

- Python 3.9 or later installed.
- Install required libraries: transformers, torch, gradio.
- Access Hugging Face and select IBM Granite model (e.g., granite-3.2-2b-instruct).
- Run application in Google Colab with T4 GPU.
- Launch Gradio interface to interact with the assistant.

5. Folder Structure

health_ai/ – Root folder containing code. app.py – Main application file. models/ – Contains model integration code. utils/ – Helper functions. requirements.txt – List of dependencies. notebooks/ – Google Colab notebooks for deployment.

6. Running the Application

- Open Google Colab and load the Health AI notebook.
- Set runtime to T4 GPU.
- Install dependencies using pip.
- Run all cells in the notebook.
- Access Gradio link to interact with the healthcare assistant.

7. API Documentation

POST /chat – Accepts user health queries and responds with AI-generated guidance. POST /predict – Predicts possible diseases from symptoms. POST /treatment – Suggests treatment options. GET /status – Returns server and model status.

8. Authentication

Currently runs in an open environment for demonstration. Future secure deployments may include:

- Token-based authentication (JWT or API keys)
- OAuth2 integration with IBM Cloud
- Role-based access for patients and doctors

9. User Interface

The UI is built using Gradio with an intuitive design. Users can:

- Chat with the AI assistant
- Input symptoms for predictions
- View suggested treatment plans
- Access a simple dashboard

10. Testing

Testing included:

- Unit Testing – Core functions like prediction and response generation
- Manual Testing – Checking chatbot accuracy and usability
- API Testing – Ensuring endpoints function correctly
- Edge Cases – Handling incomplete or unclear symptom descriptions

11. Known Issues

- Limited to general health advice, not a replacement for doctors.
- Model accuracy depends on quality of training data.
- Requires stable internet for Colab deployment.

12. Future Enhancements

- Integration with medical databases for more accurate predictions.
- Multi-language support for wider accessibility.
- Mobile app version for easier access.
- Integration with wearable health devices.
- Secure authentication and patient history tracking.