

Database Project: Explore Care System

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Introduction



- ✓ WHO - Unprecedented growth in proportion of older population worldwide
 - ✓ 2020 data – number of individuals above 60 > children below 5 years
 - ✓ By 2030 – 1 in every 5 Americans will be 65 or older
 - ✓ Longer life- enjoy family and pursue new activities
 - ✓ However – decreased mental and physical capacity
 - ✓ Seniors/families make caregiving and healthcare decisions
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Explore Care Database: Purpose

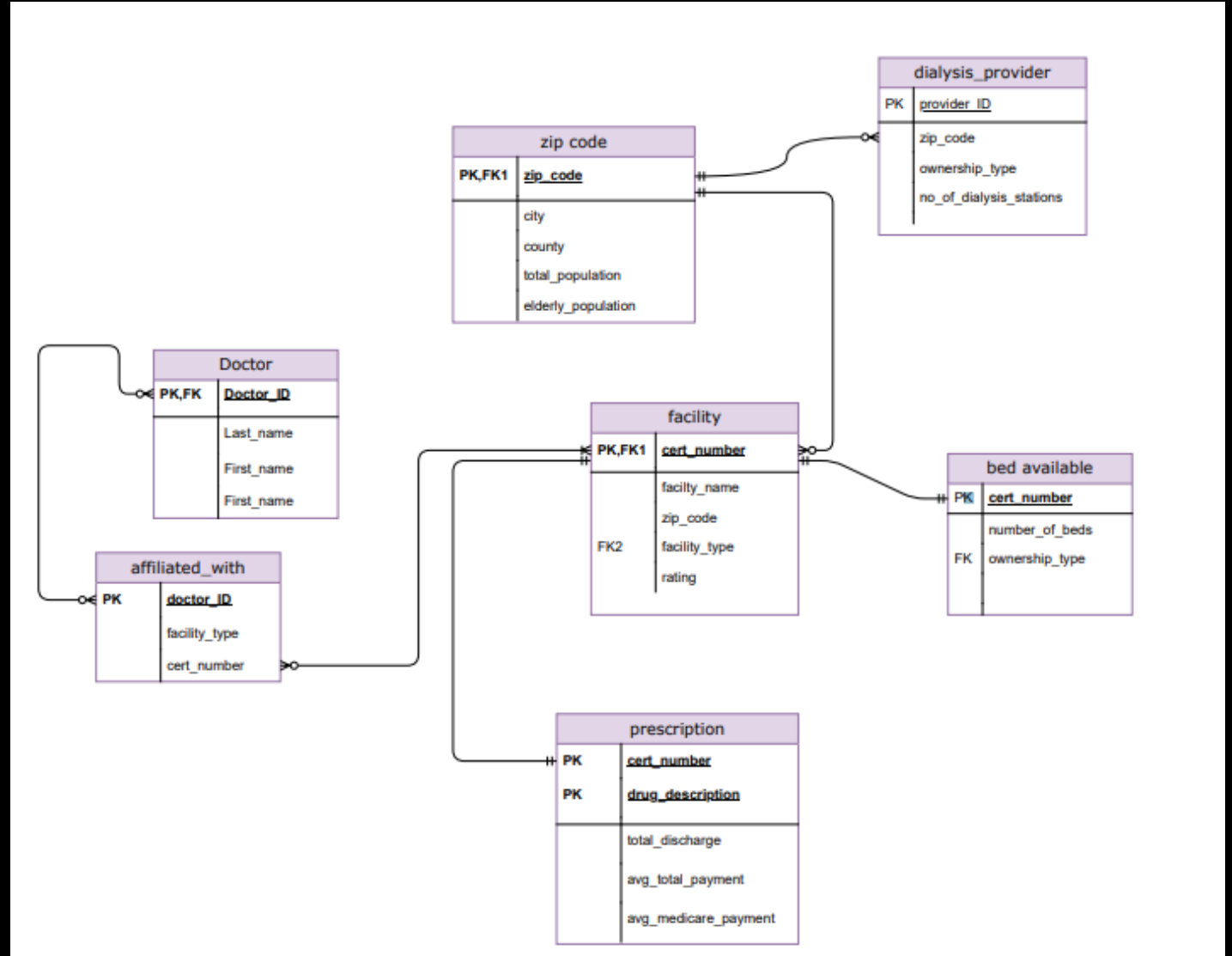
- ✓ Used to build an application for caregiving and healthcare options
- ✓ California has the largest older population in the US.
- ✓ By 2052 - 26% of the state population will be 65 or above
- ✓ Explore Care database assembles data:



- rehabilitation centers
- cost of care
- nursing homes
- physicians
- Evaluate caregiving options through a single application.
- Scaled later

Schema diagram

Schema Diagram for the proposed database



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