

Improving ROI via Churn Reduction & **Smart Outreach**

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Problem Overview & Business Goal

Objective: Predict likelihood of member churn

Goal: Prioritize outreach to high-risk members

Constraints: Marginal cost per outreach - need to choose top-n users

Data Sources & Labels

- WellCo. data in July 2025
- Population of interest: diabetes mellitus, essential hypertension and documented dietary counseling and surveillance.
- Web activity: URL visits with timestamps
- App usage: Event types and frequency
- Claims: Medical ICD-10 codes
- Member metadata: Signup date, churn flag, outreach flag
- Label: Churn = member inactive for X=30 days (provided)

Features Extracted to Model Churn

Goal: Capture behavioral engagement + health context

- Digital Engagement:
 - Total user interactions, indicating engagement levels.
 - Time from sign-up to most recent activity helps capture user "freshness".
 - Tracks how often users visited health-related web content, signaling intent or interest.
- Healthcare Utilization:

Number of distinct medical claims submitted by the member.

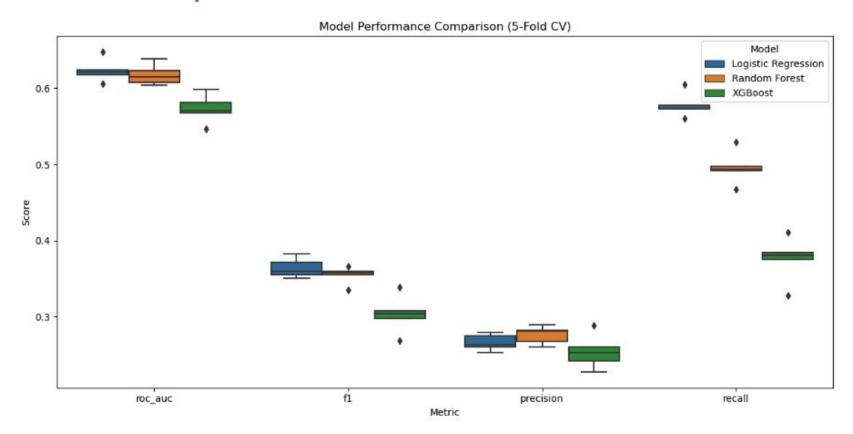
Behavior Patterns:

Frequency of app use normalized by membership length - helps distinguish casual vs. engaged users

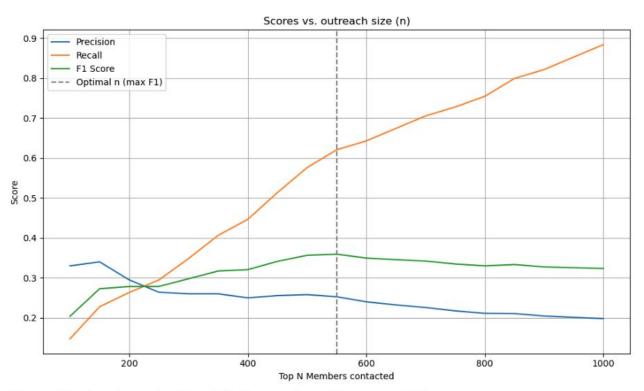
Model Performance

- Best model: Logistic Regression (compared to RandomForest and XgBoost)
- **AUC = 0.62** (Better than random (0.5), but shows there is a signal)

Model Comparison



Outreach Strategy



The optimal outreach size (n) for maximum F1 score: 550

Next Steps

- Add more features
- More granular features (e.g. session duration, recent trends)
- Time-aware models (e.g. survival analysis)
- Explainability
- Experiment: Monitor churn post-outreach for impact evaluation