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# CardioHealth

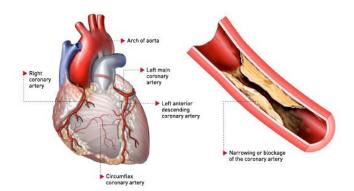
Home Based Rehabilitation System for People with Cardiovascular Diseases

#### **Cardiovascular Diseases**

- Coronary Artery Disease (CAD)
- Heart attack
- Heart failure
- Angioplasty
- Heart surgery

They can be managed in 2 ways:

- 1. Conservative Method
- 2. Surgical Management



Anyone under conservative or surgical method both are eligible for cardiac rehabilitation.

#### **Cardiac Rehabilitation**

- Exercise is actually a key part of managing cardiovascular disease
- Cardiac rehabilitation is a medically supervised program that involves
  exercise and other components to help improve heart health after a person
  had surgery, or suffers a heart attack or other significant cardiac event
- Cardiac rehabilitation programs generally span three months, with sessions two or three times a week (usually 36 sessions over a 12-week time-period)

#### Phases of cardiac rehab

Cardiac rehab - 4 phases

- Phase 1 Early rehab. Upto 10 days restricted to hospital stay.
- Phase 2 Monitored rehab. 10 days to 3 months. Under the physiotherapist.
- Phase 3 Not monitored. 3 months to 1 year. Visit once a month for assessment and advice.
- Phase 4 Lifelong management. To avoid reversibility.

Cardiac parameter - heart rate (pulse rate calculated from heart rate)

Individually tailored exercise - MIDF

Mode

Intensity

**Duration** 

Frequency

## Affordability/ Current facilities

- Rehab facilities Focused in A grade hospitals
- Inconvenience to travel to the specific centers
- Targeted for upper class / Business oriented
- Monitoring multiple patients/slots

### The Problem

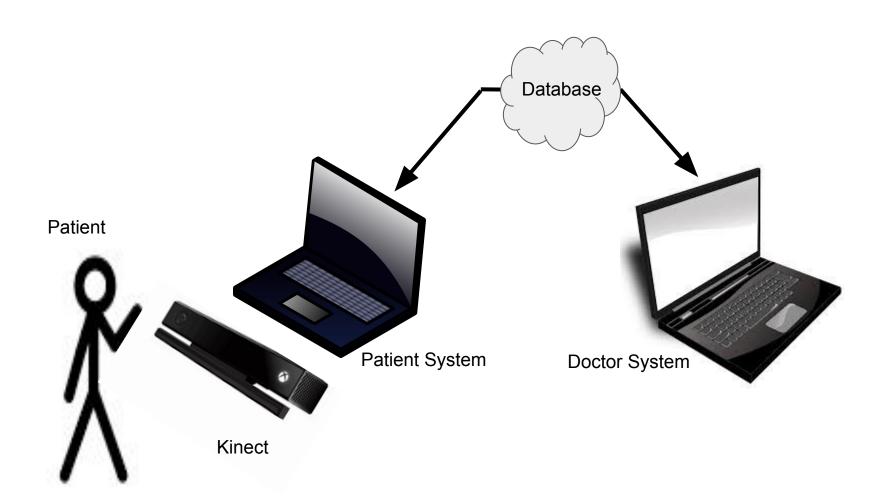
- Frequent visits are required
- Time consuming
- Expensive
- Difficulty in communicating with the practitioner about the progress
- Lose motivation
- Skipped sessions

#### **Solution**

Home based system allows patient doctor interaction.

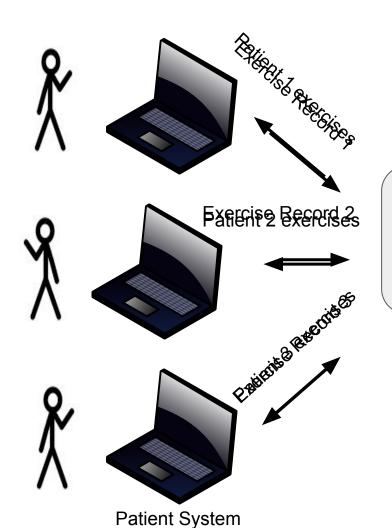
## Concerns about home based system

- Which set of exercises to perform
- Number of repetitions per session
- Not sure if the postures are correct
- Maintain required range of heart rate



## **System Overview**

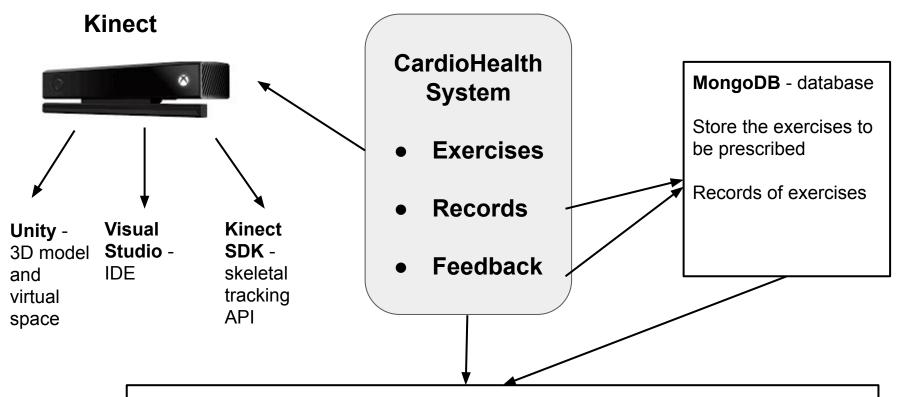
- CardioHealth is a home-based rehabilitation system for patients in rehabilitation of cardiovascular diseases with a user-friendly interface and also a doctor-patient interaction system for doctors/physiotherapists to diagnose and examine patients without face-to-face interaction
- CardioHealth utilizes the Kinect V2, patients must perform exercises in front of the Kinect and results are sent straight to the patient's Doctor/Physiotherapist
- CardioHealth uses heart rate estimation to determine the patient's heart rate through exercises



CardioHealth System

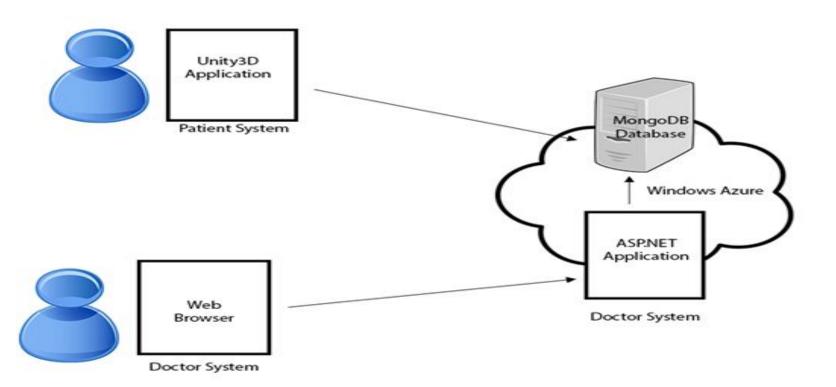


**Doctor System** 



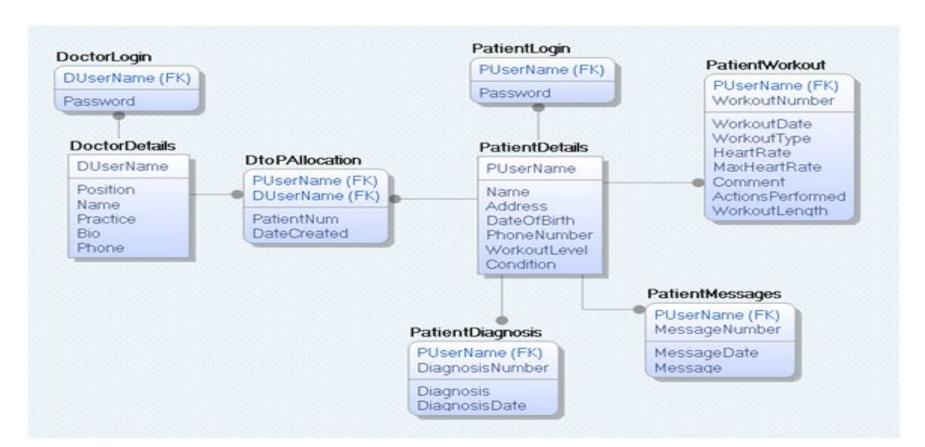
#### Website - front end

ASP.net - programming language for patient view, doctor view and general website Microsoft Azure - to store database and front end



**System Architecture diagram** 

#### **Database**



#### **EXPECTED OUTCOMES**

- To establish a customized plan to help the patient to regain strength
- To prevent the condition from worsening and reduce the risk of future heart problems
- To get regular feedback and updates on the exercises
- To improve the patient health and quality of life



