## **Week 1 Overview Report**

# **Tasks Completed This Week**

- Loaded and preprocessed data
- Performed exploratory data analysis (EDA)
- Built and evaluated baseline deep learning model
- Implemented cross-validation and initial performance metrics

## **Progress Towards Final Goal**

Project is approximately 50-60% complete.

Data cleaning, EDA, and initial model development are done.

Upcoming work includes hyperparameter tuning and model improvement.

# **Challenges Faced**

- Data imbalance affecting model performance
- Overfitting in early model iterations
- Difficulty identifying important features for prediction
- Limited team coordination on Git workflows

## **Support Required**

- Best practices for handling imbalanced datasets (e.g., SMOTE)
- Model interpretability tools (e.g., SHAP, LIME)
- Setting up a structured and collaborative GitHub repository

# **Time Spent This Week**

#### Approx. 12 hours

Data preparation: 3h

EDA: 2.5h

• Modeling: 4h

• Evaluation: 2.5h

- Train ensemble models (Random Forest, XGBoost) and pre-trained DL models.
- Perform hyperparameter tuning
- Improve visualizations (e.g., ROC curve, feature importance)
- Prepare next version of GitHub repository and documentation