

# Detailed Report on API Testing Code

## 1. Framework and Tools Used

### APITestCase

- A subclass of `unittest.TestCase`, provided by Django REST Framework (DRF) to test API endpoints.
- Sets up a test client (`APIClient`) to simulate HTTP requests and responses.
- Ensures each test runs in isolation with an independent database.

### APIClient

- A client that sends requests to API endpoints and retrieves responses.
- Supports HTTP methods like GET, POST, PUT, PATCH, and DELETE.

### Database Setup

- The database is reset after each test case execution.
- Sample data is created in the `setUp()` method for testing purposes.

## 2. Explanation of Test Cases

### a. PatientsAPITestCase

This test case validates the functionality of patient-related endpoints.

#### Setup:

- A `Patient` object is created with attributes such as `email`, `username`, `blood_group`, and `disease`.
- The `set_password()` method ensures the password is hashed before saving.

#### Tests:

- `test_get_all_patients`: Simulates a GET request to retrieve all patients and validates the response.
- `test_get_patient_by_id`: Fetches a specific patient by their ID and checks attributes.

- `test_get_patient_not_found`: Simulates a GET request with a non-existent ID and expects an error message.
- `test_get_patient_wrong_type`: Tests querying a `Doctor` object instead of `Patient`, expecting an error.

## b. DoctorsAPITestCase

This test case validates doctor-related endpoints.

### Setup:

- A `Doctor` object is created with attributes like `specialization`, `availability`, and `about`.

### Tests:

- `test_get_doctor_by_id`: Fetches a doctor by ID and verifies their details.
- `test_get_doctors_by_specialization`: Retrieves doctors by specialization and ensures the correct subset is returned.
- `test_get_all_doctors`: Fetches all doctors and validates the total count.
- `test_post_doctor`: Creates a new doctor with a POST request.
- `test_put_doctor`: Updates an existing doctor's details using a PUT request.
- `test_patch_doctor`: Partially updates a doctor's availability with a PATCH request.
- `test_delete_doctor`: Deletes a doctor using a DELETE request.
- `test_get_doctors_with_no_free_specialists`: Tests when no free specialists are available for a given specialization.

## c. NewUsersAPITestCase

This test case validates general user-related operations.

### Setup:

- Two `NewUser` objects are created for testing.

### Tests:

- `test_get_user_by_id`: Retrieves a user by ID.
- `test_get_nonexistent_user_by_id`: Tests querying a non-existent user.
- `test_get_all_users`: Fetches all users and validates the total count.
- `test_post_new_user`: Tests the creation of a new user.
- `test_put_update_user`: Updates user details with a PUT request.
- `test_patch_update_user`: Partially updates a user's email using PATCH.
- `test_delete_user`: Deletes a user.
- `test_delete_nonexistent_user`: Tests deleting a non-existent user.

#### d. IntermediateAPITestCase

This test case manages intermediate users (e.g., admins, coordinators).

**Setup:**

- A sample intermediate user is created.
- `valid_data` and `invalid_data` dictionaries are prepared.

**Tests:**

- `test_get_all_intermediates`: Retrieves all intermediate users.
- `test_get_single_intermediate_valid_id`: Fetches an intermediate user by a valid ID.
- `test_get_single_intermediate_invalid_id`: Tests querying a non-existent intermediate user.
- `test_post_valid_intermediate`: Creates a new intermediate user.
- `test_post_invalid_intermediate`: Ensures validation errors for invalid data.
- `test_patch_intermediate`: Partially updates an intermediate user's `about` field.
- `test_delete_intermediate`: Deletes an intermediate user.
- `test_delete_invalid_intermediate`: Tests deleting a non-existent intermediate user.

#### e. AppointmentAPITestCase

This test case focuses on appointment management endpoints.

**Setup:**

- Two `Appointment` objects are created.

**Tests:**

- `test_get_all_appointments`: Fetches all appointments.
- `test_get_filtered_appointments`: Filters appointments by `meeting_Type`.
- `test_create_valid_appointment`: Creates a new appointment with valid data.
- `test_update_appointment`: Updates an appointment's `disease` field.
- `test_delete_appointment`: Deletes an appointment.

### 3. Key Features Tested

- CRUD operations.
- Validation for invalid data or non-existent IDs.
- Filtering results by attributes.
- Secure password hashing.

## 4. Improvements Suggested

- Uncomment and refine commented tests.
- Add assertions for response status codes.
- Enhance validation tests for a broader range of inputs.
- Include tests for user permissions and authentication.

## 5. Conclusion

The test suite is robust, leveraging DRF's `APITestCase` for comprehensive API endpoint coverage. Each test ensures correctness, reliability, and resilience of the backend.

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(Synergy_Backend_Venv) C:\Users\Valmik Belgaonkar\OneDrive\Desktop\CureHealth-BackEnd>python manage.py test
Found 34 test(s).
Creating test database for alias 'default'...
System check identified no issues (0 silenced).
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Ran 34 tests in 16.718s

OK
Destroying test database for alias 'default'...
(Synergy_Backend_Venv) C:\Users\Valmik Belgaonkar\OneDrive\Desktop\CureHealth-BackEnd>
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Figure 1: . => SUCCESS, F => FAILURE, E => ERROR