# WEEK 1

ENTITY RELATIONSHIP DIAGRAMS - SEMANTIC GUIDELINES - PART 6

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# STUDENT OBJECTIVES

- Upon completion of this video, you should be able to:
  - Follow the guidelines and properly label your ER Diagram

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#### GENERAL SEMANTIC GUIDELINES

- Use either all singular names for the entities or all plural names but not both (preferably singular)
- Try to use meaningful names, try to make the relationships read from left to right and from top to bottom

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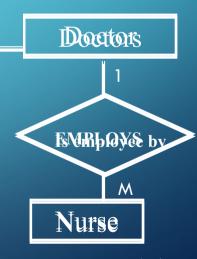
QUESTION: What's wrong with this example?

1. doctor should be placed.

put at left.

2. it is not that Patient

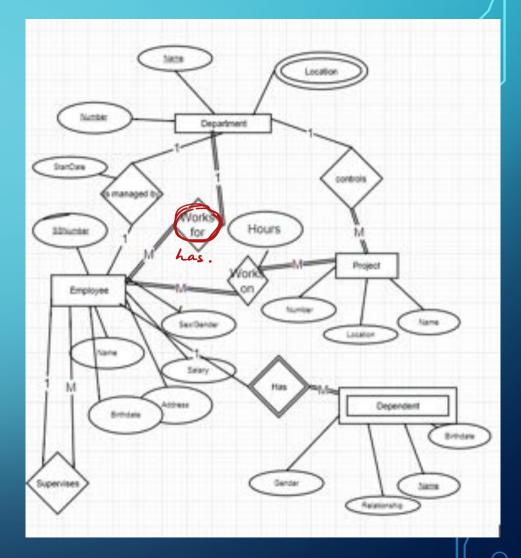
QUESTION: Label the cardinality on the above diagram:



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## OUR CASE STUDY SO FAR:

Let's use draw.io to fix it up a little!



### USING VISIO INSTEAD OF DRAW.IO

MSVisio →

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