

Individual Exercise

Add similar endpoints for the patients

Using what you learned from the first 3 exercises, set up 3 endpoints for the Patients resource:

- GET /patients
- GET /patients/:id
- POST /patients

Set up Postman requests for all three.

Get a list of visits by doctor id, patient id, or both

Goal: Set up an endpoint to retrieve a list of visits, filtered by doctor id, patient id or both ids.

A visit is an object that contains the doctor id, patient id and a date. We can implement getting a list of visits based on either doctor or patient id, or both.

We can do this using a query string in our route. If there is no query string, we can return the full list of visits.

We'll be using these methods:

- [Request.query](#)

1. In `src/index.js`, set up the route. Let's try returning all of the visits in our data file.

```
app.get("/api/v1/visits", (req, res) => {  
  console.log(req.query);  
  return res.json(data.visits);  
});
```

2. Test the route on Postman to see what is returned by `req.query` in your terminal. Your URL on Postman should look something like `localhost:3000/api/v1/visits?doctorid=1&patientid=1`. You can edit the query parameters through the Postman UI (or toggle them to be included or not).
3. Implement the logic to find the correct visits.

```
app.get("/api/v1/visits", (req, res) => {  
  const { doctorid, patientid } = req.query;  
  let visits = data.visits;  
  
  if (doctorid) {  
    visits = visits.filter(  
      (visit) => visit.doctorid === parseInt(doctorid, 10)  
    );  
  }  
  
  if (patientid) {  
    visits = visits.filter(  
      (visit) => visit.patientid === parseInt(patientid, 10)  
    );  
  }  
  
  return res.json(visits);  
});
```

Swagger Documentation

Goal: Set up Swagger documentation.

We provide a starter `swagger.json` file for you in the starter repo. Let's set it up to show our documentation.

1. Install the package for `swagger-ui-express`. This module allows you to serve auto-generated swagger-ui generated API docs from express, based on a `swagger.json` file. The result is living documentation for your API hosted from your API server via a route. [Documentation](#).

```
npm install swagger-ui-express
```

2. In `src/index.js`, import the 2 modules you need.

```
import swaggerUi from "swagger-ui-express";
import swaggerDocument from "../swagger.json";
```

3. Add a route to show the documentation.

```
app.use("/api/v1/docs", swaggerUi.serve, swaggerUi.setup(swaggerDocument));
```

4. Navigate to that route to see an interactive Swagger documentation.
5. Read up on the Swagger Documentation structure in their [documentation](#). Using that structure, add API documentation for the patient routes.

Update the Swagger docs

1. [Update your Swagger documentation to account for the `/patients` routes.](#)

Approach 2

Auto-generate Swagger UI based on documentation in code

This approach uses the [express-swagger-generator](#) package.

You use comments in the code to write the documentation. For example:

```
/**
 * @typedef Patient
 * @property {string} id.required - Normally an auto increment number stored as string
 * @property {string} name.required - Full name
 */

/**
 * Get a single patient by ID
 * @route GET /patients/{id}
 * @group Patients
 * @param {string} id.path.required - Patient ID
 * @returns {Patient.model} 200 - Patient with requested ID
 * @returns {string} 404 - Requested patient not found
 * @produces application/json
 */
```

To set up swagger, add this to `src/index.js`

```
import expressSwaggerGenerator from "express-swagger-generator";
const host = `localhost:${port}`;
const basePath = "/"; // The forward slash is important!

// Options for the Swagger generator tool
const options = {
  // The root document object for the API specification
  // More info here: https://github.com/OAI/OpenAPI-
  Specification/blob/master/versions/2.0.md#schema
  swaggerDefinition: {
    info: {
      title: "Health Insurance API",
      description: "This is Web service for patients, doctors and visits.",
      version: "1.0.0",
    },
    host: host,
    basePath: basePath,
    produces: ["application/json"],
    schemes: ["http", "https"],
  },
  basedir: __dirname, // Absolute path to the app
  files: [".*/routes/**/*.js"], // Relative path to the API routes folder to find the
  documentation
};

// Initialize express-swagger-generator and inject it into the express app
expressSwaggerGenerator(app)(options);
```

Implement error handling for the GET /visits route

We did the happy path above. Take some time to implement [error handling](#) for when:

- Doctorid param is not a number
- Patientid param is not a number

Code organization: separate routes

Right now, we have endpoints for doctors, patients and visits all in one file in `src/index.js`. To organize our code, we can [split these up into 3 high-level routes \(one for each\)](#).

Use the following to [set up a routes folder](#) and [refactor your code to be more organized](#). Keep in mind that [refactoring means nothing should change behaviour-wise in your code](#).

- [Router](#)
- [express.Router](#)
- [A Guide to Routing](#) - the last 2 sections on `app.route()` and `express.Router` are most relevant.

Refactoring your code

Extract the validations and logic within a route to separate class.