# Project 8: Heart Rate Monitor

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# **Team Members**



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- Frontend and Backend
- Setting up sensor, sending data
- UI Design

### Nick L.

- Frontend
- Implementation of Figma UI into Flutter
- UI design
- Frontend & Backend integration

# The Problem

- Quiet but serious issue
- More than half of all Americans age 20 and up suffer from hypertension (high blood pressure) (USC)
- Issues lays in unawareness

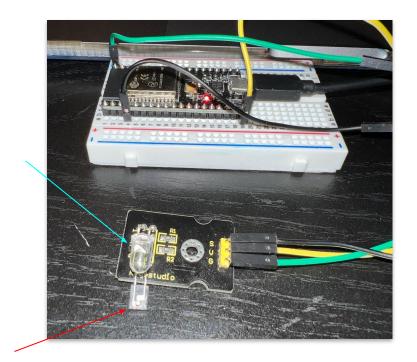






# Our App's Solution

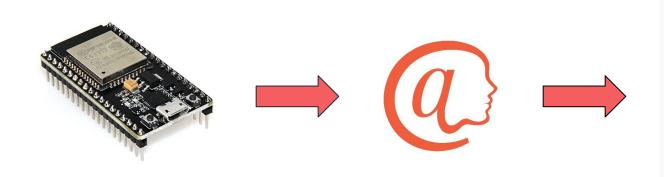
- Monitor user's heart rate on demand via AtSign
- Input age, get reading on current heart rate
- Heart Rate too low/high -> potential remedies



### **Use Case**

- Joe is 22 years old and has been under tremendous stress lately.
- He is worried about his heart health and decides to use our app.
- (demo)







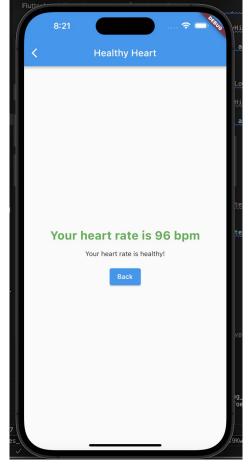
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         while (true) {
                                                                                                             beat
           int newReading = analogRead(sensorPin);
            // if the ADC value is less than ~100,
                                                                                                            beat
            // the user does not have their finger on the sensor
                                                                                                          beat
           if (newReading < 100) {
                                                                                                            beat
            std::cout << "ERROR: finger not on monitor" << std::endl;</pre>
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                                                                                                            beat
            break:
                                                                                                             beat
                                                                                                         beat
           if (oldReading > newReading) {
            pinMode(LED, OUTPUT);
                                                                                                            beat
            digitalWrite(LED, HIGH); // flashes ESP32 LED per beat
                                                                                                             beat
            std::cout << "beat" << std::endl;</pre>
                                                                                                         beat
            count += 1;
            // usleep(100000);
                                                                                                         beat
            delay(100);
                                                                                                             beat
            digitalWrite(LED, LOW);
                                                                                                         beat
                                                                                                            beat
           std::cout << " "; // print empty line if no heart beat is read</pre>
                                                                                                         beat
                                                                                                         beat
           // check for heart beat every 0.25 seconds
                                                                                                           beat
           delay(250);
                                                                                                          beat
           timeCount += 0.25:
                                                                                                         beat
           oldReading = newReading;
                                                                                                         beat
           // measure heart rate for 15 seconds
                                                                                                            beat
          if (timeCount >= 15) {
                                                                                                         beat
            value = count * 4;
                                                                                                          beat
            // calculate heart rate using beat count from 15 seconds (15 * 4 = 60 seconds = BPM)
            break;
```

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beat
  COUNT: 24 beats
Heart rate: 96bpm
```

**ESP32** Reading Heartbeat

```
public class App
       Run | Debug
       public static void main( String[] args ) throws Exception
            AtSign java = new AtSign(atSign:"@bittersweet8");
            AtSign esp32 = new AtSign(atSign:"@the60melted");
            AtClient atClient = AtClient.withRemoteSecondary(rootUrl:"root.atsign.org:64", java);
            SharedKey sharedKey = new KeyBuilders.SharedKeyBuilder(esp32, java).key(key:"heartrate").build();
            String data = atClient.get(sharedKey).get();
            PrintWriter writer = new PrintWriter("heartrate.txt", "UTF-8");
            writer.println(data);
            writer.close();
            System.out.println("Heart rate: " + data + "bpm");
Zachs-MacBook-Pro:receiving_demo zach$ cd javadata
Zachs-MacBook-Pro:javadata zach$ cd /Users/zach/receiving_demo/javadata; /usr/bin/env /Library/Internet\ Plug-Ins/JavaAppletPlugin.plugin/Contents/Home/bin/java -cp /var/folders/k
_/1pw4zj6d0nz67dtk7kmjb84w0000gn/T/cp_ekb13oawsbivae9j36foe8oh5.jar com.example.App
Heart rate: 96bpm
```

### App Receives Heart Rate via AtSign



Data Displayed on App

## **Problems Encountered & Lessons Learned**

#### Sensor Issues:

- Pulse rate sensor was tricky:
  - Wiring
  - Calculating BPM
  - Transferring data
- Sensor data: light readings-> BPM



#### **Ul Issues:**

- Putting multiple elements in one page was challenging, had to aim for simpler design.
- Getting the data from backend to frontend.

### Working Together:

- Finding time
- Single, unified project vs.
   two separate parts
- Time Management and Communication