

Secure and User-Centric Medical History Retrieval Using Multi-Factor Biometric Access

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Abstract

Medical records contain all information related to the medical care of a patient, including significant details regarding patient isolation. Nowadays, policies and technologies are rapidly trending toward ensuring patient security. This project utilizes fingerprint identification techniques in the medical record system, offering a highly secure method for record keeping. By simply identifying a patient's fingerprint, we can access information related to the patient. This method makes record keeping extremely easy. Biometric systems react instantly, typically recognizing the patient in a second. Since biometric credentials are unique to each patient, they cannot be forgotten or replicated. This technology will assist in monitoring patient time effectively.

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1. Introduction

Medical records are critical in documenting the history of treatment for a patient and effective management of health. Security is a central characteristic among such records, particularly when handling sensitive information from patient isolation and emergency treatment. Securing the patient data against unauthorized access and identity theft ensures effective and dependable operations of medical facilities. This project proposes a fingerprint identification method for medical record systems that is more convenient and secure. As compared to other conventional identification methods using ID cards or barcodes, biometric authentication provides an assured, fraud-free, and convenient method of identification. Being unique to each individual and irreversible, fingerprints prove to be a more secure means of verifying patients and retrieving medical records.

Traditional identification of patients using ID cards or barcodes has its limitations. Patients are required to keep the ID cards on them at all times, and they can lose or misplace them, thereby creating a hurdle in retrieving their history during life-threatening conditions. The same cannot be retrieved in emergencies when instant access to records is required. In addition, ID-based authentication is easier to forge and steal, while human error in the handling of records has the potential to lead to misidentifications, which affect the quality of treatment.

A fingerprint system eliminates the above issues by enhancing hospital record management security and efficiency. It eliminates physical ID cards and facilitates easy patient identification. Under emergency situations, even if the patient is unconscious, his/her fingerprint can still be used for verification purposes

to provide medical professionals with immediate access to his/her records. Biometric verification reduces risks of misidentification and increases the authenticity of medical information. The system also ensures that only legitimate personnel can obtain access to the records of the patients, providing an additional level of security. In addition, it is energy-efficient and can easily accommodate new patients, which makes it a scalable solution for healthcare institutions and hospitals.

The biometric system quickly verifies patients' identities through fingerprint scanning and retrieving medical records from secure database servers. This method allows physicians and nurses to access patient history instantly, facilitating quicker and more accurate decision-making. By electronically sending authenticated medical data from healthcare professionals to hospital databases, the system increases the quality of patient care, enhances treatment speed, and reduces unnecessary testing and medical errors.

By integrating biometric authentication, hospitals can effortlessly enhance patient security, make the handling of medical records automated, and enhance health care services overall. Fingerprint detection offers a faster and more effective system with reduced administrative workload and allowing the health practitioners to focus on delivering quality patient care.

2. Literature Survey

A systematic literature review of Secure and User-Centric Medical History Retrieval Using Multi-Factor Biometric Access discusses ongoing research and technological progress in biometric authentication, medical data security, and access control systems in healthcare organizations. Conventional means for safeguarding medical records relied predominantly on passwords, ID cards, or barcodes, which were significantly susceptible to security attacks through theft, loss, or misuse. Research has pointed out that these processes are vulnerable to fraud, identity theft, and inefficiencies in situations of emergencies when there is the need for instant access to patient history.

Biometric authentication has been a safer bet, with fingerprints, iris scans, and facial recognition gaining acceptance in healthcare systems. Research indicates that biometric systems provide greater accuracy for patient identification, minimizing errors and enhanced data protection. However, single-factor biometric authentication can still be vulnerable to spoofing or copying without authorization, and hence, the need for multi-factor authentication (MFA). MFA combines two or more factors of authentication, for instance, fingerprint verification with facial recognition or iris scan, with enhanced security and reducing chances of unauthorized entry.

Some research has explored the use of biometric authentication with blockchain and cryptography to provide secure access to medical information. Blockchain-powered health systems are tamper-evident and secure, safeguarding the information integrity and keeping it secure and easy to obtain medical history. Cyber attacks are also deterred from accessing the biometric information and patient data by implementing encryption techniques such as homomorphic encryption and other advanced cryptographic hash functions. Research has also shown that safe cloud storage with biometric MFA increases usability without compromising data privacy and healthcare compliance such as HIPAA and GDPR.

In addition, patient-controlled solutions in the retrieval of medical data focus on patient control and usability without compromising security. Studies show that biometric authentication systems combined with user consent mechanisms provide patients with greater control over access to their health records. Device location and user behavior-based context-aware authentication is also being examined as a second level of security. Such innovations guarantee secure and convenient access to medical history, enhancing the efficiency of healthcare with strict controls on privacy.

Literature is placed on record stating that multi-factor biometric authentication presents a high-strength solution for secure retrieval of medical histories with the disadvantage of classical systems. Through use of fingerprint, facial recognition, or iris-based verification coupled with cryptographic security safeguards, healthcare organizations can strengthen protection of data, provide secure access, and better enhance patient outcome. Future work still remains devoted to optimizing biometric algorithms, enhancing interoperability among healthcare platforms, and providing solutions to address ethical issues about storing biometric data and respecting privacy.

3. Proposed System

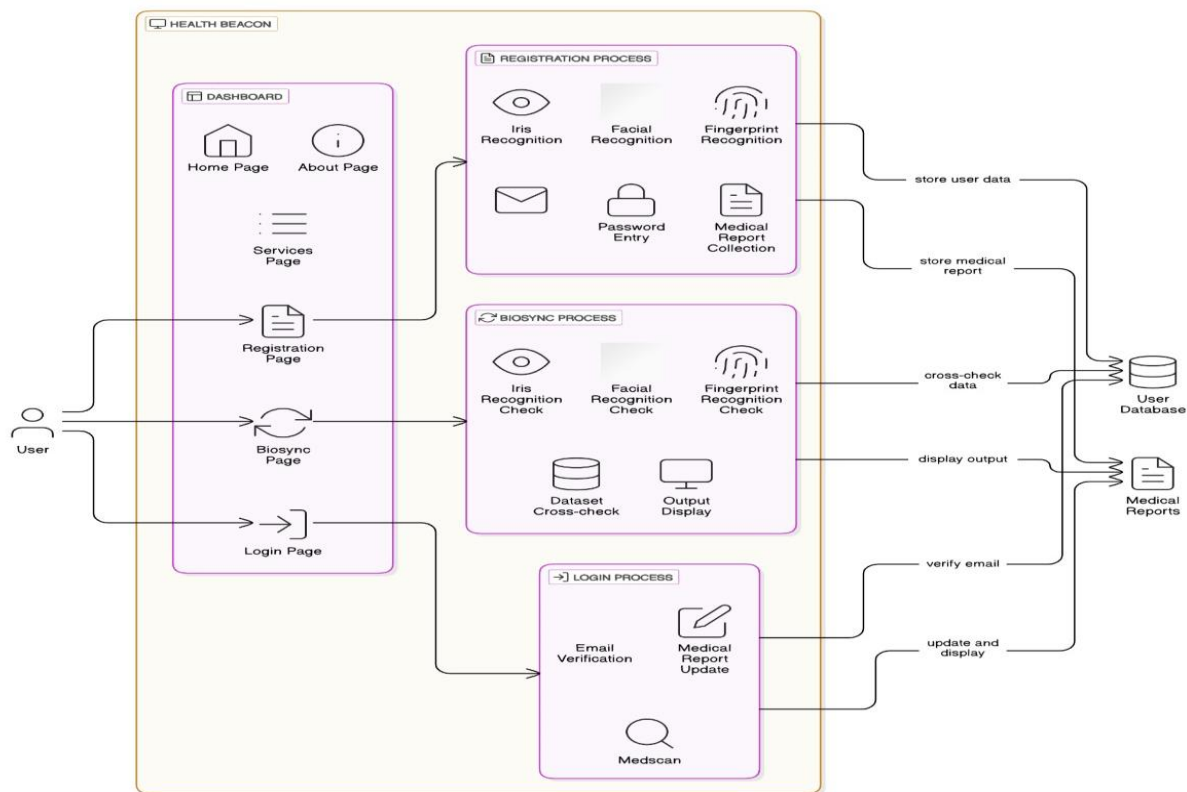


Fig 1: Architecture of Proposed Model

- The Health Beacon system supports secure retrieval of medical histories with multi-factor biometric verification.
- Users interface with the system via a dashboard that includes pages such as Home, About, Services, Registration, Biosync, and Login.
- Registration procedure involves iris, face, and fingerprint scanning, password input, and medical report inputs for storage of user information.
- Biosync process verifies users by cross-verifying iris, face, and fingerprint scanning information against the user database.
- Login process involves email verification, updating of medical reports, and safe access to Medscan for record retrieval.
- The user database securely stores and authenticates biometric information to present authenticated access.

- The system downloads, refreshes, and displays medical records following biometric verification. Security, accuracy, and accessibility are enhanced through the avoidance of ID-based threats.

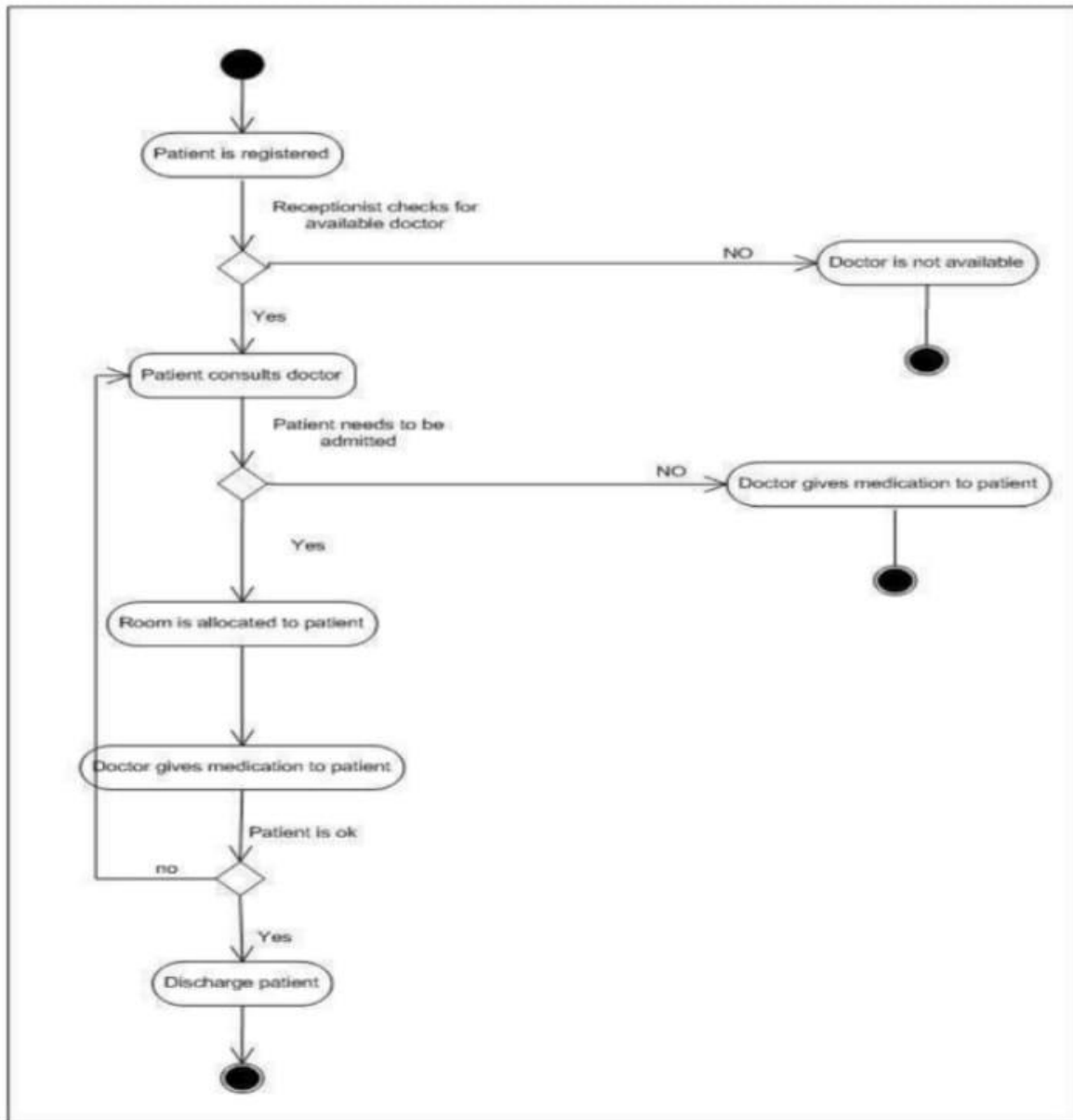


Fig 2: Activity Diagram of Hospital

4. Class diagram

- The enrollment procedure enrolls non-medical staff, physicians, and nurses by saving their personal and professional information.
- Physicians are tasked with allocating patients, admitting them if needed, and monitoring their treatment.
- Nurses are central to patient care as they provide administered drugs and treatments. The PatientInfo table holds valuable patient data such as personal information, medical history, and allergy.
- The Assigned table connects patients with their respective physicians for effective case management.

- The Inpatient table contains the information of the inpatients such as date of admission, complaints, and room charges.
- The Pttreatment table holds data on patient treatment, test outcomes, medication, dosage, and corresponding medical costs.
- The system simplifies hospital operations by automating patient registration, assignment, admission, and treatment activities in a secure manner.

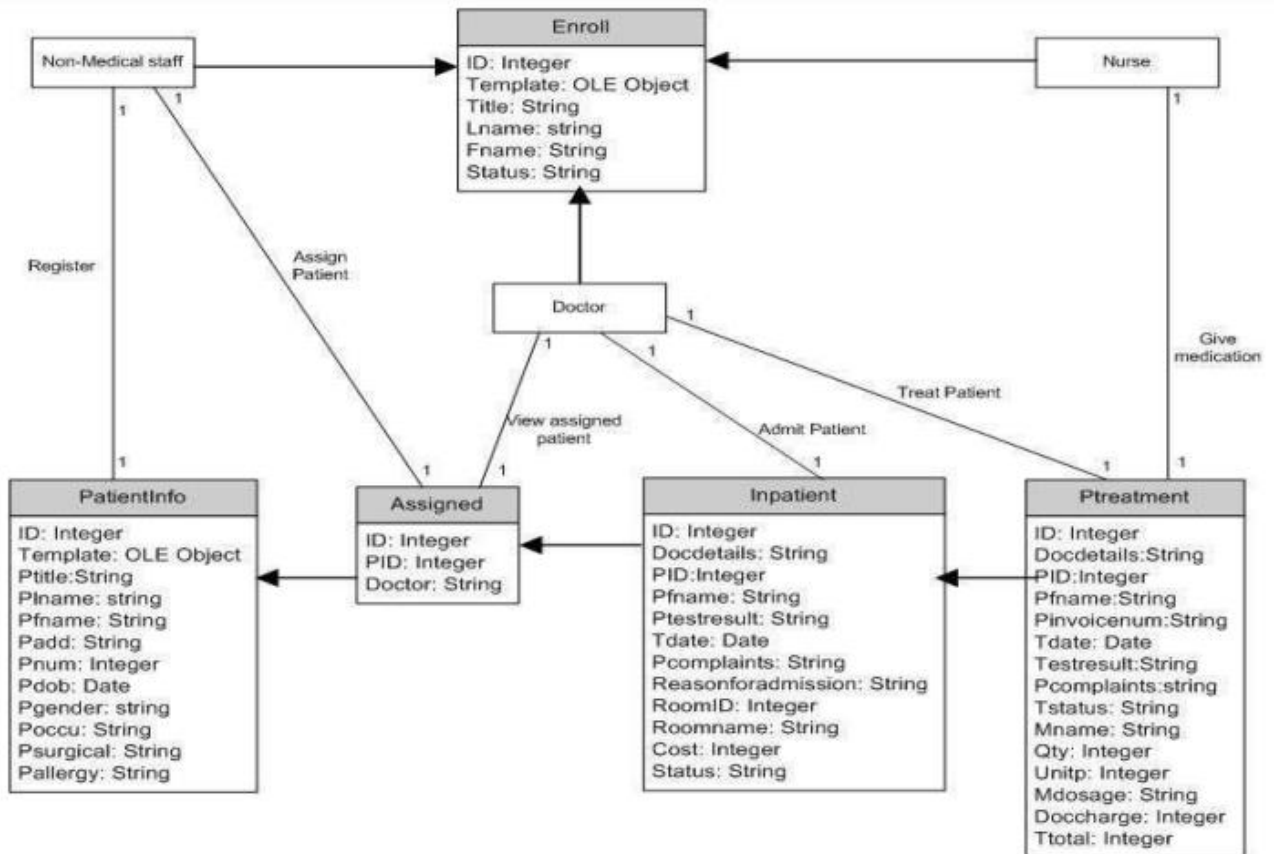


Fig 3: Class Diagram of Hospital


5. Conclusion

Here, fingerprint verification is employed to provide security to medical information during transport, ensuring both data integrity and confidentiality. The patient records are securely stored and retrieved from the hospital database so that they become accessible globally at the time of need. With this system, one of the biggest advantages is that patient data can be viewed online while having high security ensured. Compared to traditional password-based identification, biometric fingerprint identification eliminates risks such as password theft or duplication, delivering a unique and highly secure way of identifying patients.

6. Outputs

Our Services


We offer advanced biometric solutions for secure identity verification, fraud prevention, and efficient data management in healthcare, ensuring accuracy, privacy, and seamless access to information.



BIOSYNC CARES

BioSync Cares securely verifies identities using biometric technology, prevents fraud, ensures accurate patient data management, and enhances privacy and efficiency in healthcare services.


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SECURITY STORAGE

The data ensures encrypted, tamper-proof biometric information, safeguarding privacy, preventing unauthorized access, and maintaining data integrity for reliable healthcare management.

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EXPERT SUPPORT

Expert support of the data provides reliable assistance, secure management, and real-time monitoring to ensure accuracy, privacy, and smooth biometric operations in healthcare.

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Fig 4: Services of Health Beacon

Health Beacon

MedScan Recognition

Scan and recognize medical documents easily.

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Medical Report Updation

Update your medical reports securely.

[Update](#)

Fig 5: Patient Details Updation


Biometric Recognition



Iris Recognition

Advanced iris recognition technology for secure authentication.

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Facial Recognition

Advanced facial recognition technology ensuring secure and seamless identification.


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Personal Details:

Name: Jane Doe

Blood Group: A+

Emergency Contact: +91 1234567890



Fingerprint Recognition

Fast and secure fingerprint recognition technology with accurate and reliable authentication.

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Fig 6: Biometric Recognition

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