
USING DATA MINING TO PREDICT HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS FROM THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT

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ABSTRACT

Crowding within emergency departments can have significant negative consequences for patients. ED therefore need to explore the use of innovative methods to improve patient flow and prevent overcrowding. One potential method is the use of data mining using machine learning techniques to predict ED admissions. This paper uses routinely collected administrative data (120 600 records) from two major acute hospitals in Northern Ireland to compare contrasting machine learning algorithms in predicting the risk of admission from the ED. We use three algorithms to build the predictive models: 1) logistic regression; 2) decision trees; and 3) gradient boosted machines (GBM). The GBM performed better (accuracy D 80:31%, AUC-ROC D 0:859) than the decision tree (accuracy D 80:06%, AUC-ROC D 0:824) and the logistic regression model (accuracy D 79:94%, AUC-ROC D 0:849). Drawing on logistic regression, we identify several factors related to hospital admissions, including hospital site, age, arrival mode, triage category, care group, previous admission in the past month, and previous admission in the past year. This paper highlights the potential utility of three common machine learning algorithms in predicting patient admissions. Practical implementation of the models developed in this paper in decision support tools would provide a snapshot of predicted admissions from the ED at a given time, allowing for advance resource planning and the avoidance bottlenecks in patient flow, as well as comparison of predicted and actual admission rates. When interpret ability is a key consideration, EDs should consider adopting logistic regression models, although GBM's will be useful where accuracy is paramount.

1 INTRODUCTION

Emergency Department (ED) crowding can have serious negative consequences for patients and staff, such as increased wait time ,ambulance diversion, reduced staff morale, and cancellation of elective procedures Previous research has shown ED crowding to be a Significant international problem making it crucial that innovative steps are taken to address the problem. There are many possible causes of ED crowding depending on the context, with some of the main reasons including increased ED attendances, inappropriate attendances, a lack of alternative treatment options, Alecko fin patient beds, ED staffing shortages ,and closure of other local ED departments. The most significant of these causes is the in ability to transfer patients to an inpatient bed, making it critical

for hospitals to manage patient flow and understand capacity and demand for inpatient beds. One mechanism that could help to reduce ED crowding and improve patient flow is the use of data mining to identify patients at high risk of an inpatient admission, therefore allowing measures to be taken to avoid bottlenecks in the system. For example, a model that can accurately predict hospital admissions could be used for inpatient bed management, staff planning and to facilitate specialized work streams within the ED. Cameron et al. [11] also propose that the implementation of the system could help to improve patient satisfaction by providing the patient with advance notice that admission is likely. Such a model could be developed using data mining techniques, which involves examining and analysing data to extract useful information and knowledge on which decisions can be taken.

Literature Survey

This literature survey of the project using data mining to predict hospital admission from the emergency department.

- Sanpathi Indrajaya Master of Computer Applications Miracle Educational Society Group of Institutions Bhogapuram – Vizianagram-(AP).
- Saragadam Sridhar Master of Computer Applications Miracle Educational Society Group of Institutions Bhogapuram – Vizianagram-(AP).

3 IMPLEMENTATION STUDY

Existing System:

Using a range of clinical and demographic data relating to elderly patients, La Mantia *et al.* used logistic regression to predict admissions to hospital, and ED re-attendance. They predicted admissions with moderate accuracy. Boyle *et al.* used historical data to develop forecast models of ED presentations and admissions. Model performance was evaluated using the mean absolute percentage error (MAPE), with the best attendance model achieving a MAPE of around 7%, and the best admission model achieving a MAPE of around 2% for monthly admissions.

Disadvantages:

They predicted admissions with moderate accuracy, but were unable to predict ED re-attendance accurately. The use of historical data by itself to predict future events has the advantage of allowing forecasts further into the future, but has the disadvantage of not incorporating data captured at arrival and through triage, which may improve the accuracy of short-term forecasting of admissions. Their model was less accurate with an accuracy of 76% for their best model.

Proposed System & algoritham

This study draws on this data to achieve two objectives. The first is to create a model that accurately predicts admission to hospital from the ED department, and the second is to evaluate the performance of common machine learning algorithms in predicting hospital admissions. We also suggest use cases for the implementation of the model as a decision support and performance management tool.

4.1 Advantages:

This study seeks to contribute to the existing body of knowledge by building machine learning models using a novel dataset and by comparing the performance of less frequently used algorithms with the more traditional logistic regression approach. Moreover, the data used in our study is routinely available at the point of triage, allowing for the potential implementation of a fully automated decision support system based on the models built here.

IMPLEMENTATION

MODULES:

Data Holder:

In this module, the data Holder uploads patient's data to the health server. For the security purpose the data owner keeping one copy of the data and then store in the server.

Data Analyzer:

In this module, he logs in by using his/her user's name and password. After Login receiver will Search for data and Search Patient Records.

Emergency Sector:

In this module, the sector can do following operations such as View All Published Patients Details, View All Emergency Patients and Admit to Hospital, View All Emergency Admitted Patients Count.

Healthcare Server :

The Health service provider manages a server to provide data storage service and can also do the following operations such as View and Authorize Analyser, View and Authorize Data Holder, View Patients Between Ages, Users Patient Search Transaction ,View All Admitted Emergency Patients Details, View Patients Age Limit Results, View Patients Admitted Count.

5 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

1.2 SCREENSHOTS

1.2.1 HOME SCREEN

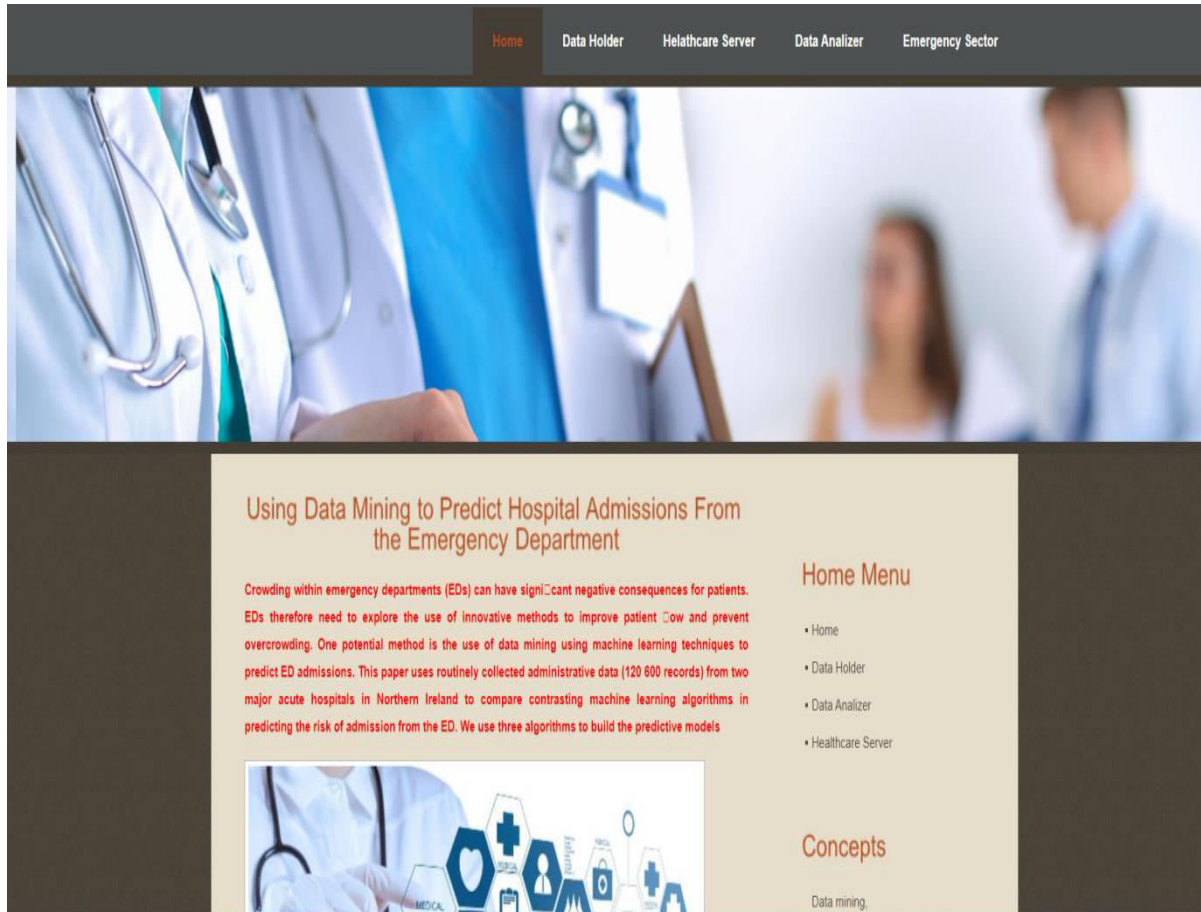


FIG.5.1 HOME SCREEN

1.2.2 DATA HOLDER LOGIN PAGE



FIG.5.2 DATA HOLDER LOGIN SCREEN

5.3.3 ADD PATIENT DETAILS

The screenshot shows a web form titled "Add Patient Details.." on a light beige background. The form contains several input fields, each with a blue label and a red asterisk indicating it is required. The fields are: Patient Name*, Blood Group*, Disease*, Patient Age*, Patient DOB*, Patient Gender* (a dropdown menu with "--Select--" and a downward arrow), Patient Mobile*, Patient Email*, Patient City*, Patient Address*, and Pin Code*. At the bottom left, there is a "Select Document*" label and a file upload area with a "Choose file" button and the text "No file chosen". In the top right corner, there is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and the word "Search". Below the search bar is a "Sidebar Menu" with two items: "Home" and "Log Out", each preceded by a small square bullet point.

FIG.5.3 ADD PATIENT DETAILS

1.2.3 EDIT DETAILS

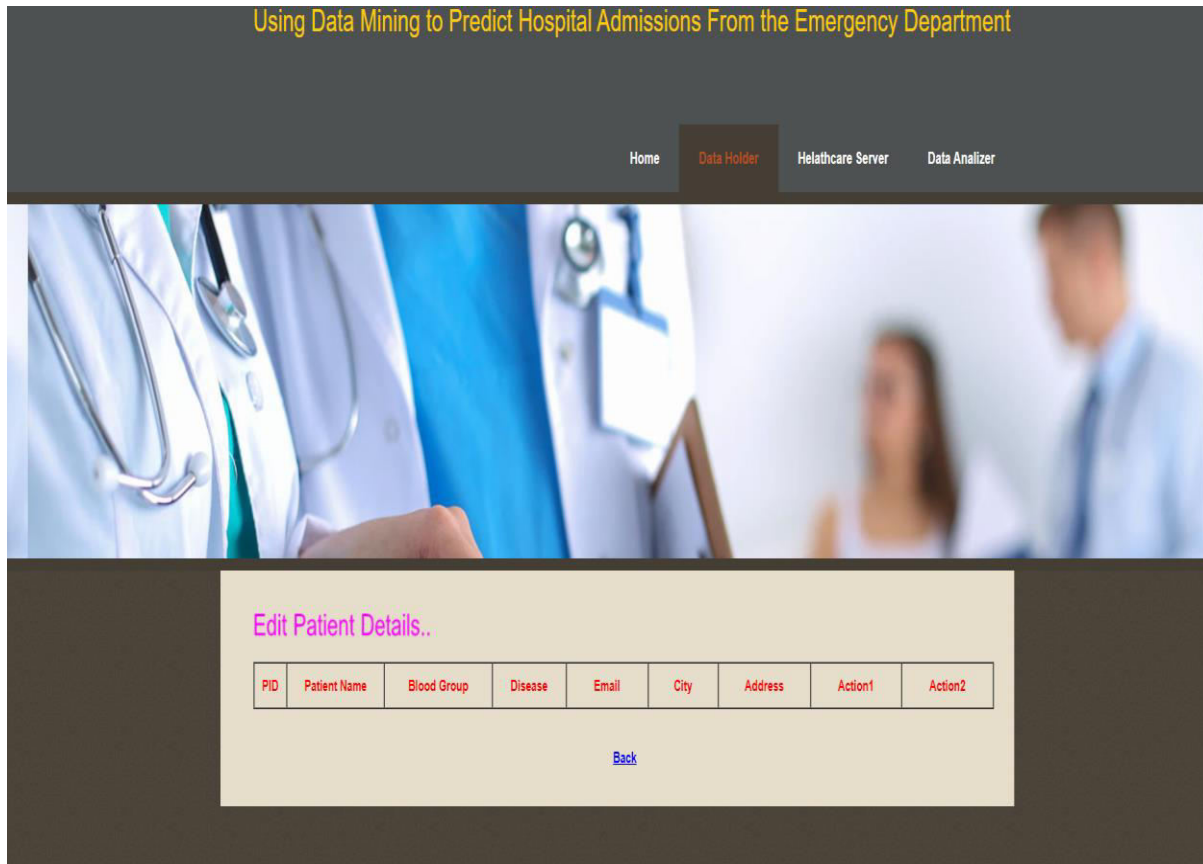


FIG.5.4 EDIT DETAILS

5.3.5 VIEW (ED)ADMITED PATIENTS DETAILS

View All Emergency Admitted Patients Deatils .

| PID | Patient Name | Blood Group | Disease | Age | DOB | Gender | Mobile | E-Mail | City | Address | Pincode | Admitted Date | Heart Beat | Blood Pressure |
|-----|--------------|-------------|---------|-----|-------------|--------|------------|----------------------|------|---------|---------|------------------------|------------|----------------|
| 9 | dinesh | a+ | malaria | 45 | 11-may-1999 | Male | 9347225321 | info.hmies@gmail.com | vskp | vskp | 530001 | 13/06/2024 10:26:28 | 80 | 56 |

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FIG.5.5 VIEW (ED) ADMITED PATIENTS DETAILS

5.3.6 VIEW AUTHORIZE USERS

View and Authorize Users..

| ID | User Image | User Name | Email | Phone No. | Address | Status |
|----|---|-----------|-----------------------|------------|---------------------------------|------------|
| 1 |  | Kadhir | tmksmanju13@gmail.com | 9535866270 | #78726,14th Cross,Rajajiagar | Authorized |
| 2 |  | tmksmanju | tmksmanju13@gmail.com | 9535866270 | #7827,14th Cross,Vijayanagar | Authorized |
| 3 |  | Sujan | tmksmanju13@gmail.com | 9535866270 | #7827,4th Main,Vijayanagar | Authorized |
| 4 |  | madhu | info.hmies@gmail.com | 9347225321 | vskp | Authorized |
| 5 |  | srija | saialapati5@gmail.com | 9876543240 | vspk | Authorized |

FIG.5.6 VIEW AUTHORIZE USERS

5.3.7 VIEW PROFILE



FIG.5.7 VIEW PROFILE

5.3.8 VIEW AND AUTHORIZE DATA HOLDER

View and Authorize Data Holder..

| ID | Owner Image | Owner Name | Email | Phone No. | Address | Status |
|----|---|------------|-------------------------|------------|--|------------|
| 1 |  | Rajesh | tmksmanju13@gmail.com | 9535866270 | #78267,14th Main,Malleshwaram,Bangalore-21 | Authorized |
| 2 |  | Manjunath | tmksmanju13@gmail.com | 9535866270 | #7827,14th Cross,Malleshwaram,Bangalore-40 | Authorized |
| 3 |  | Sugumar | tmksmanju13@gmail.com | 9535866270 | #43,14th Cross,Rajajiagar | Authorized |
| 4 |  | dinesh | info.hmies@gmail.com | 9347225321 | vskp | Authorized |
| 5 |  | sravani | sravaniapati4@gmail.com | 9963355559 | tpg | Authorized |

FIG.5.8. VIEW AND AUTHORIZE DATA HOLDER

5.3.9 SEARCH HISTORY



FIG.5.9. SEARCH HISTORY

5.3.10 VIEW BASED ON AGES

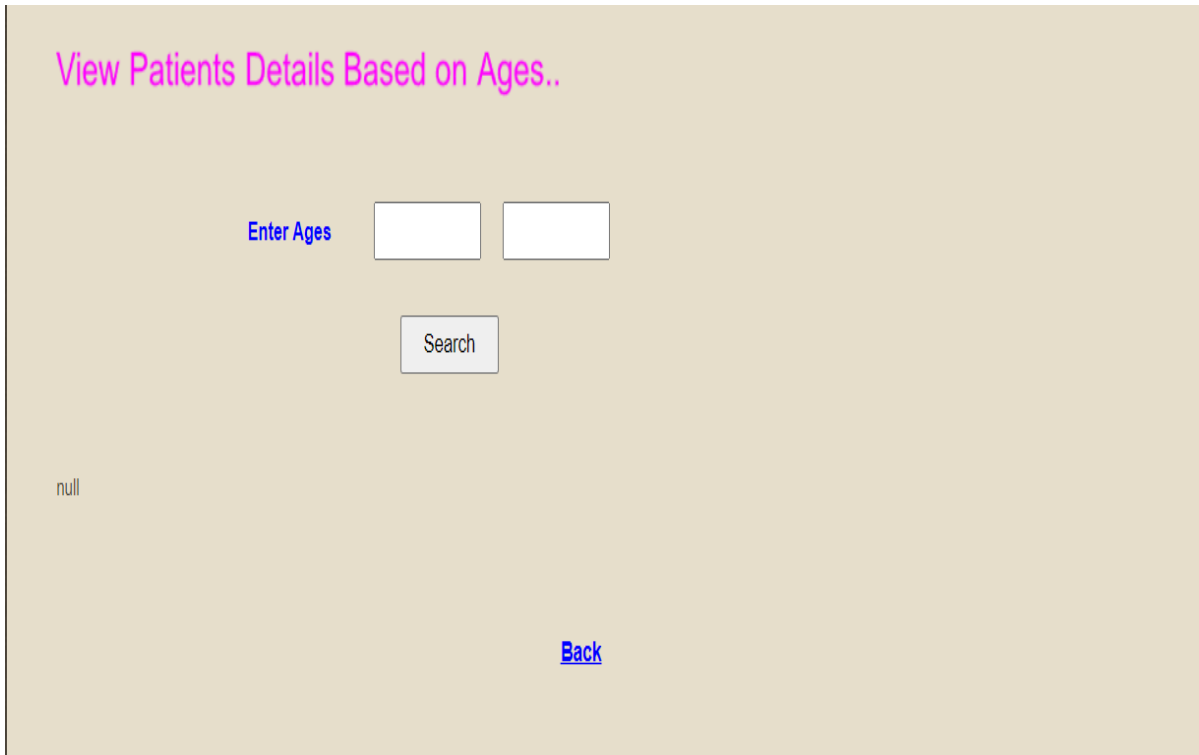


FIG.5.10. VIEW BASED ON AGES

5.3.11 PATIENTS RANGES ON AGES

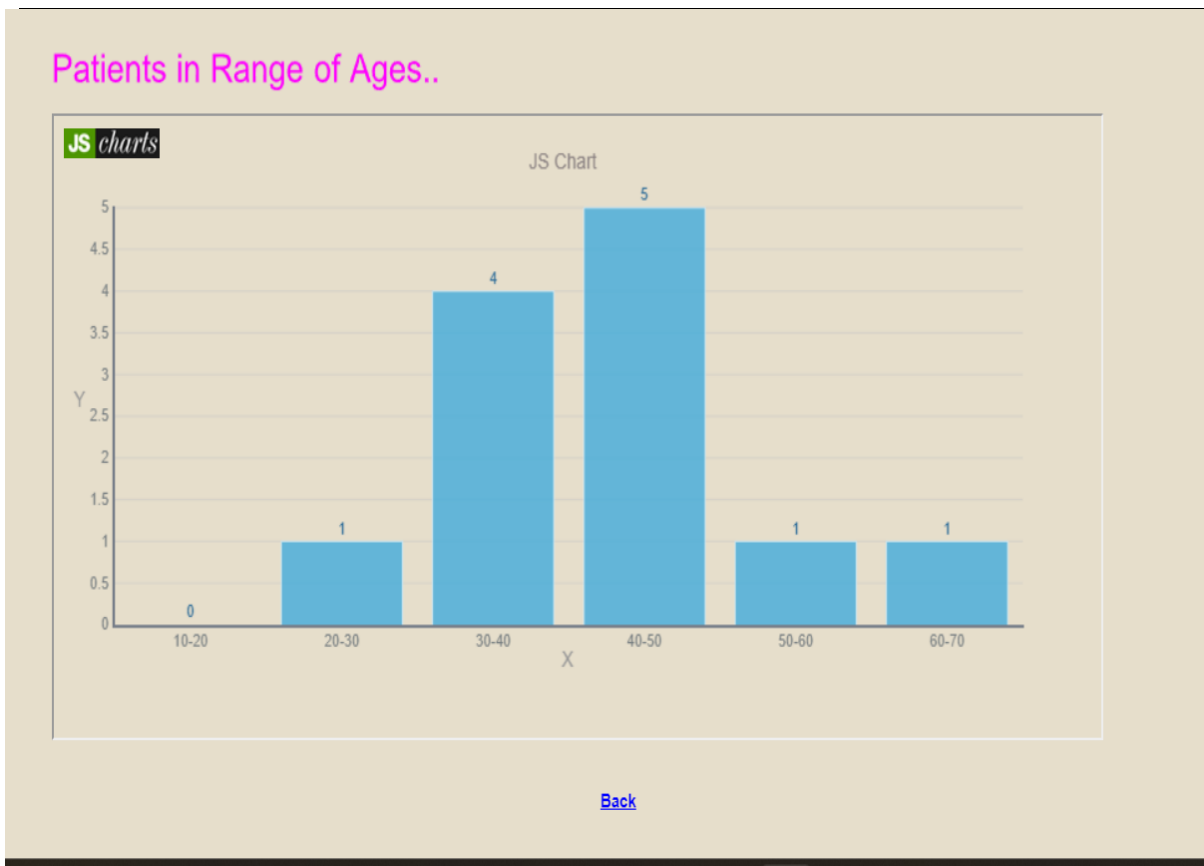


FIG.5.11. PATIENTS RANGES ON AGES

5.3.12 SEARCH TRANSACTION OF PATIENTS

Users Patient Search Transactions..

| Si No. | User Name | Keyword | Date |
|--------|-----------|---------|---------------------|
| 1 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:40:34 |
| 2 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:40:42 |
| 3 | Kadhir | Abhinay | 07/12/2018 16:40:53 |
| 4 | Kadhir | Abhinay | 07/12/2018 16:43:02 |
| 5 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:44:28 |
| 6 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:45:17 |
| 7 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:45:32 |
| 8 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:46:03 |
| 9 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:46:23 |
| 10 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:47:41 |
| 11 | Kadhir | Sukla | 07/12/2018 16:48:10 |

Search

Sidebar Menu

- Home
- Log Out

FIG.5.12 SEARCH TRANSACTION OF PATIENTS

5.3.13. SEARCH RECORDS

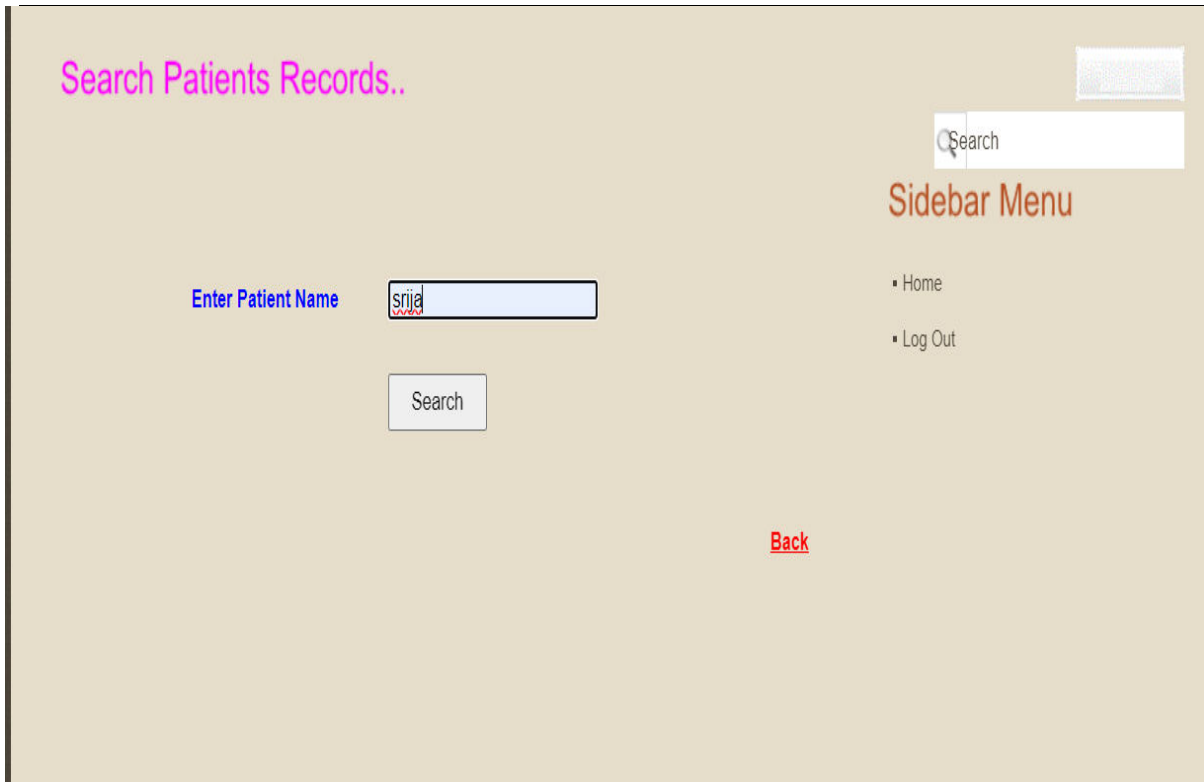


FIG.5.13. SEARCH RECORDS

5.3.14 RECORD FOUND

Patients Records Found..

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| PID | Patient Name | Blood Group | Disease | Age | DOB | Gender | Mobile | Email | Address | Pincode | Ppublished Date | Heart Beat | BP |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-----|-----|--------|--------|-------|---------|---------|-----------------|------------|----|
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FIG.5.14.RECORD FOUND

6. CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK

CONCLUSION

This study involved the development and comparison of three machine learning models aimed at predicting hospital admissions from the ED. Each model was trained using routinely collected ED data using three different data mining algorithms, namely logistic regression, decision trees and gradient boosted machines. Overall, the GBM performed the best when compared to logistic regression and decision trees, but the decision tree and logistic regression also performed well. The three models presented in this study yield comparable, and in some cases improved performance compared to models presented in other studies. Implementation of the models as a decision support tool could help hospital decision makers to more effectively plan and manage resources based on the expected patient inflow from the ED. This could help to improve patient flow and reduce ED crowding, therefore reducing the adverse effects of ED crowding and improving patient satisfaction. The models also have potential application in performance monitoring and audit by comparing predicted admissions against actual admissions. However, whilst the model could be

used to support planning and decision making, individual level admission decisions still require clinical judgement.

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