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Save Us – Mobile Application

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ABSTRACT: Without the aid of technology-driven solutions like the multi-purpose charitable donation platform, individuals face several challenges in efficiently addressing urgent needs and contributing to charitable causes. Traditional methods often lack immediacy and precision, making it difficult to swiftly connect blood donors with emergency cases or efficiently distribute surplus food to those in need. The primary motivation is to address urgent and critical needs within communities. The focus on immediate blood donations for emergencies, surplus food distribution, and verified monetary contributions supports timely responses to various societal challenges. The multi-purpose charitable donation platform presents a significant boon to individuals in various ways. In times of urgency, the app proves invaluable by facilitating swift and targeted blood donations during emergencies, potentially saving lives. Leveraging technologies like Flutter, the motivation is to harness the power of innovation to create a seamless and efficient app. This reflects a commitment to staying at the forefront of technological advancements in the realm of charitable giving. The Flutter framework is employed to achieve a single codebase, allowing seamless deployment on both iOS and Android platforms. The application's intuitive user interface promotes ease of use, while comprehensive testing ensures data security and the app's overall reliability.

KEYWORDS : MULTI-PURPOSE CHARITABLE DONATION PLATFORM, IMMEDIATE BLOOD DONATION

I. INTRODUCTION

The primary objective of our multi-donation platform is to create a centralized and efficient system that seamlessly connects donors. It is a User-Friendly Interface to promote ease of use and encourage individuals to donate. It supports Verified Monetary Contributions and Crowd funding. It aims to Immediacy in Emergency Response such as connecting blood donors with emergency cases. It fosters a sense of community and shared responsibility by encouraging active participation from individuals, businesses and organizations.

The origin of the need for a multi-donation platform addressing, food and monetary contributions can be traced to various societal challenges. They are fragmented with separate platforms and this fragmentation leads to inefficiencies, making it challenging for donors and recipients to navigate and participate in multiple donation platforms. A platform integrates blood, food and monetary donations provides a holistic solution that can be adapted to different regions and contexts, fostering a sense of global solidarity.

The motivation behind establishing the multi-donation platform is rooted in a deep commitment to addressing societal needs, promoting community welfare, and leveraging technology for positive social impact. This platform is recognizing the inefficiencies and fragmentation in existing donation systems and aims to streamline processes and enhance the effectiveness of blood, food and monetary contributions. It creates a more connected, compassionate, and responsive world where individuals and organizations can come together to address diverse needs through unified and efficient philanthropic effects.

The multi-donation platform serves as a bridge connecting those with the capacity to contribute to various forms of aid with those in need, creating a more inclusive and supportive ecosystem for communities locally and globally. Corporate and Business donors can actively participate in philanthropy by donating surplus food, organizing blood drives, or providing financial support, thereby fulfilling corporate social responsibility objectives.

II. PROBLEM STATEMENT

In essence, the problem is the lack of a comprehensive, user-friendly, and secure platform that unifies diverse donation types, enabling individuals to contribute effectively and meaningfully to various charitable causes. The Multi-Donation Platform endeavors to fill this gap and streamline the process of giving for the betterment of society. Unified platform that addresses diverse donation needs.

Currently, individuals looking to contribute to various causes, such as blood donation, food aid, or monetary support, face challenges in finding streamlined and efficient avenues for their generosity. This fragmentation results in delayed responses to urgent needs, inefficiencies in matching donors with recipients, and a lack of transparency and trust in the donation process.

The Multi-Donation Platform seeks to overcome these challenges by offering a centralized and versatile solution. It addresses the need for real-time matching in critical situations, provides a user-friendly interface to accommodate different donation types, and ensures privacy, security, and legal compliance.

There is no community for this platform. By fostering a sense of community and social responsibility, the platform aims to encourage widespread user adoption, creating a seamless and impactful experience for both donor and recipients.

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III. RELATED WORKS

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Food Donation Connection is to connect foodservice donors with surplus food. Money donation is the purpose to allow individuals and charities to raise money for causes they care about. Blood Donors Network is to connect blood donors with those in need of blood in specific regions.

There is no platform for crowd funding which is also considered as a problem in our society. In the above mentioned individual platform, there is no inclusion of crowd funding platform

Many corporations have corporate social responsibility (CSR) initiatives that include donation programs. These programs may involve matching employee donations, organizing volunteer activities, or providing grants to nonprofits. Companies often partner with nonprofit organizations to support various causes.

Community foundations are non profit organizations that manage and distribute funds to support local charitable initiatives. They often work with individual donors, businesses, and other organizations to address community needs and promote philanthropy.



Fig.1 Mobile app

IV. MATERIALS AND METHODS

EXISTING METHODS

Crowd funding platforms primarily rely on digital infrastructure, including web servers, databases, and software applications. Users interact with the platform through web browsers or mobile apps. Crowd funding platforms use online payment processing services to securely handle financial transactions. They employ algorithms and user interfaces to facilitate campaign creation, donation tracking, and social sharing. Communication tools such as messaging and updates help campaigners engage with donors.

Similar to crowd funding platforms, peer-to-peer fundraising platforms utilize digital technologies such as web servers, databases, and software applications. They often integrate with social media platforms to leverage users' existing networks. Peer-to-peer fundraising platforms enable individuals to create personal fundraising pages linked to a larger campaign or cause. Users share their pages with friends, family, and colleagues, encouraging them to donate and join the fundraising effort. The platform tracks donations, provides analytics, and facilitates communication between fundraisers and donors.

In-kind donation systems involve physical goods or services, which may include items like food, clothing, furniture, or professional expertise. Organizations accepting in-kind donations may need storage facilities, transportation vehicles, and inventory management systems. In-kind donation programs often rely on partnerships with donors, logistics providers, and recipient organizations. They may use online donation portals to list needed items and coordinate drop-off or pickup logistics. Communication channels such as email, phone, or social media help facilitate donor engagement and gratitude.

PROPOSED METHODS

The proposed Multi-Donation Platform is an integrated mobile application designed to seamlessly connect users willing to contribute through blood, food, and monetary donations.

Leveraging Firebase for secure user authentication, real-time data synchronization, and cloud storage, the platform ensures a robust and scalable foundation. Users can create personalized profiles, indicating their preferences and donation capabilities, while a sophisticated real-time matching algorithm facilitates immediate connections between donors and recipients in need.

The platform encompasses diverse donation types, including urgent blood donations, surplus food sharing with geolocation-based matching, and monetary contributions like crowd funding, each with legal verification for enhanced transparency. Privacy controls, in-app communication features, and community-building tools promote user engagement and trust.

The Multi-Donation Platform stands as a versatile and impactful solution, fostering a sense of community while providing individuals with a convenient and purposeful way to contribute to various charitable causes. Multi-Donation Platform can effectively support crowd funding campaigns, providing a versatile and engaging space for users to contribute to various causes and initiatives. The implementation details will depend on the specific technologies and frameworks you are using for your app.

Flutter is a popular open-source framework. One of its key spatial features is the ability to create a visually appealing and responsive user interface (UI) using a single codebase for both iOS and Android platforms, etc.,.

Firebase, on the other hand, is a comprehensive mobile and web application development platform also provided by Google. In terms of spatial features, Firebase offers a powerful and scalable backend infrastructure, allowing developers to build server-less applications effortlessly.'

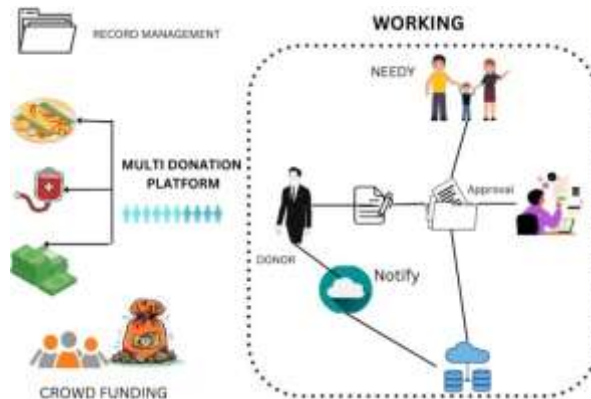


Fig.2 Working model

TOOLS AND DESCRIPTIONS

Firebase Authentication provides a secure and easy-to-use authentication system that allows users to sign in with their email addresses, phone numbers, or third-party accounts like Google or Facebook. This ensures that only authorized users can access the app's features and functionalities.

Cloud Storage offers scalable and secure cloud storage for user-generated content, such as profile pictures, donation images, and documents. This allows users to upload and access media files from anywhere, ensuring that important data is safely stored and readily available when needed.

Cloud services provide a cost-effective solution for hosting and managing the Multi-Donation Platform, allowing the app to scale resources up or down as needed without incurring significant infrastructure costs. This enables the app to optimize its operational expenses while delivering high-quality donation services to users.

MongoDB provides a powerful query language and indexing system that allows for efficient retrieval and manipulation of data. This enables the app to quickly access relevant information, perform advanced searches, and generate personalized recommendations for users based on their donation history, preferences, and location.

MongoDB integrates seamlessly with Node.js and Express.js, allowing developers to leverage the MERN (MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js) stack for building full-stack web applications. This enables consistent data handling and communication between the frontend and backend components of the Multi-Donation Platform.

Express.js enables developers to define routes and endpoints for handling various types of HTTP requests, such as GET, POST, PUT, and DELETE. This allows the app to efficiently manage donation-related operations, such as user authentication, donation submissions, campaign creation, and data retrieval.

React.js is a tool for building the visual part of the app. It helps developers create different parts of the app's interface, like buttons, forms, and menus. Material-UI provides ready-made design components that developers can use to make the app look modern and attractive. These components follow a design standard called Material Design. Styled-components helps developers style their components (like buttons or input fields) by writing CSS directly in the JavaScript code. It makes styling easier and more organized. React Route likes a map for the app. It helps users navigate between different parts of the app, like going from the home screen to a donation form.

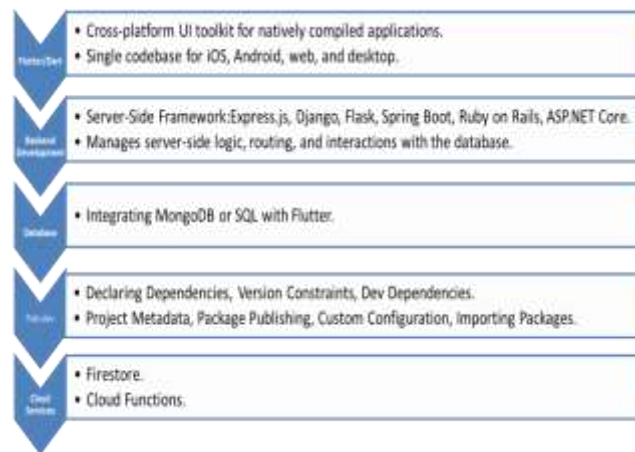


Fig.3 Tools and technologies

V. DISCUSSION SO FAR THIS IS THE STUDY OF FOOD, BLOOD, AND MONEY DONATION APPS THAT OFFER A STREAMLINED PLATFORM FOR CONNECTING DONORS WITH THOSE IN NEED. BY PROVIDING A USER-FRIENDLY INTERFACE, REAL-TIME UPDATES, AND ROBUST SECURITY MEASURES, SUCH AN APP CAN FACILITATE WIDESPREAD COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND MAKE A TANGIBLE DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF INDIVIDUALS AND ORGANIZATIONS REQUIRING ASSISTANCE. COLLABORATION WITH EXISTING CHARITIES AND CONTINUOUS FEEDBACK FROM USERS ARE KEY TO ENSURING THE APP'S EFFECTIVENESS AND LONG-TERM IMPACT.



FIG.4 FISHBONE DIAGRAM

VI.CONCLUSION

In conclusion, the Multi-donation platform for food, blood, and money represents a comprehensive and innovative solution to address societal needs and encourage charitable contributions. The mobile app is designed to seamlessly connect donors and recipients across different domains, fostering a sense of community engagement and responsibility. By combining these technologies, you create a comprehensive and scalable technology stack for developing a multi-donation platform mobile app, addressing various aspects of development, security, and user experience.



FIG.7.1 SAVE US DIAGRAM

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