

## Development of an Integrated Information System for the Management of Behçet 's Disease

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### Abstract

As internet technology rapidly improves, clinical services are increasingly computerized in most hospitals. In order to effectively support patient care and clinical researches, information technologies are widely utilized to integrate clinical databases and disseminate information. However, most hospital information systems in Korea are still independently implemented and not fully integrated due to lack of standardization and security measure. In order to meet increasing demand for better patient care and upgrading clinical research, there is a need for a development and sharing of integrated clinical information system with a common database including clinical data collected from various hospitals. The purpose of this study was to develop a web-based clinical information system for management of Behçet 's disease by constructing an integrated database with treatment data, test results, and patient demographic data in collaboration with several hospitals. Specifically, current treatment procedure for Behçet 's disease was analyzed first and enhanced treatment procedure as well as a web-based clinical information system for management of Behçet 's disease was proposed using a structured systems analysis and literature review on the shared clinical information systems. Expected benefits of the system include an improvement of consistency in patient management and reduction of duplicate prescriptions and test orders. In addition, this system can help improve communication among clinics and tertiary hospitals by sharing common clinical database. In a long run, the share system can also help reducing hospital expenditures by reducing duplicate investment on high cost equipments by sharing them among hospitals. (*Journal of Korean Society of Medical Informatics 9-2,153~162, 2003*)

**Keyword** : Integrated Information System, Web-based Clinical Information Decision Support System



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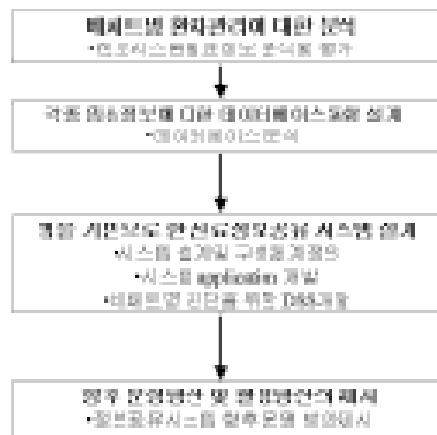


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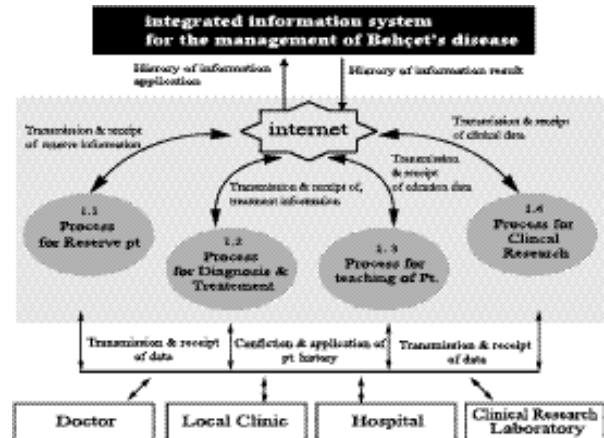


Fig 3. Data Flow Diagram of Information Sharing for Behçet 's Disease

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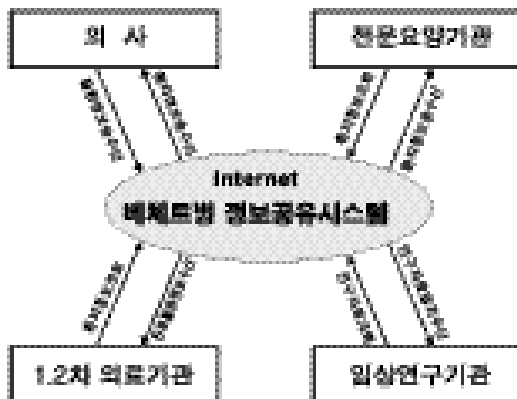


Fig 2. Context Diagram of Information Sharing System

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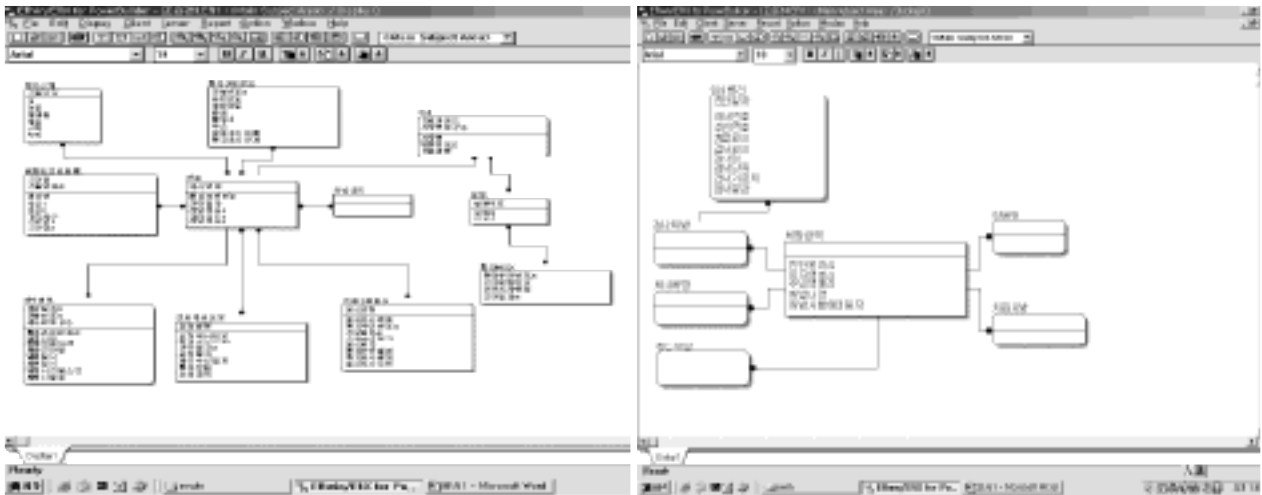


Fig 4. ERD of Information Sharing System for Behçet's disease

Table 1. Entity and attribute of Information Sharing System for Behçet's disease

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Table 2. Relationship between Process and Entity

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(C: Create, R: Retrieval, U: Update)

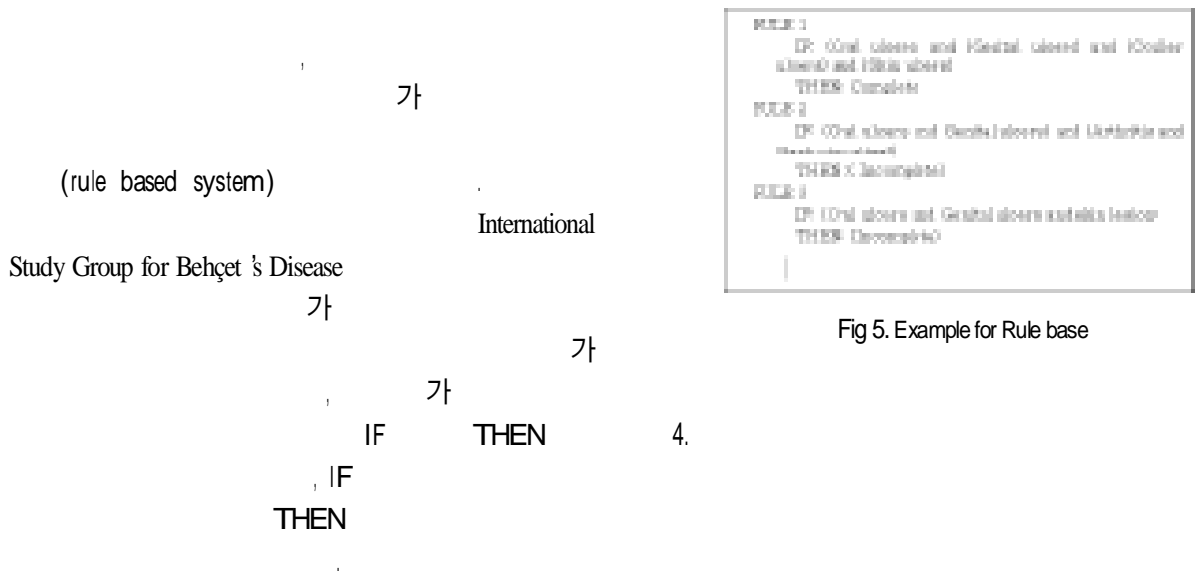


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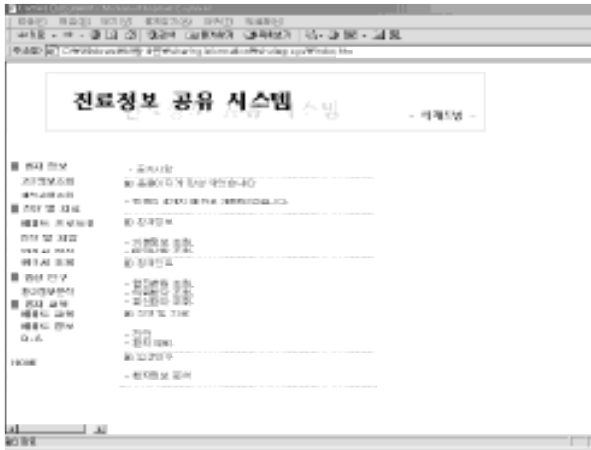


Fig 6. Main of Information Sharing System for Behçet 's disease



Fig 8. Screen for Diagnosis and Treatment

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Fig 7. Screen for Information Sharing System for Behçet 's disease Protocol

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