

Evaluating machine learning models in predicting mortality risk among geriatric hip fracture patients

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Hip Fracture Population

> 300,000 hip fractures hospitalizations annually



~25% 1 year mortality

Palliative Care Programs



Improve quality of life

Pain, symptom management

Psychosocial, spiritual concerns



Workforce shortages

Difficult to implement at scale

For advance stage of disease

Existing Literature



Research Aim

Machine learning models:

- Logistic Regression
- Multilayer perceptron

Predict 30-day and 1-year mortality

Hip fracture patients

Inpatient rehabilitation facilities (IRFs)

2015 Medicare data

Functional status, comorbid conditions, utilization

Inclusion & Exclusion

Inclusion Criteria	Exclusion criteria
1. Medicare	 Patient assessment >3 days
 >= 65 years old discharged from acute 	after admission
	2. Admitted >30 days after hip
	fracture
care hospital	3. Delirious
4. lived at home	4. Died during rehabilitation
	period

Features

Demographic factorsClinical factorsUtilizationRaceFunctional statusLength of stayEthnicityChronic conditions

Sex

Social support

Outcome

Post IRF



Data Summary



Logistic Regression



Regularization techniques (L1 and L2)

Regularization strengths (parameter C)

Multilayer Perceptron (MLP)



Stratified 10-Fold Cross Validation



ROC Curves

30-day Mortality

Logistic Regression and MLP 30-day Mortality ROC Curve 1.0 0.8 True Positive Rate 9.0 0.2 Logistic Regression MLP 0.0 0.0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 1.0 False Positive Rate Threshold

A	AUROC	
Log Reg	0.78	0.76
MLP	0.728	0.765

1-year Mortality



Feature Importance



Conclusion

Logistic regression vs MLP

Largest older adult population in the U.S

Flexibility of machine learning

Uncaptured post-acute care and post-discharge services

Data lacks laboratory results and socio-behavioral information

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Why IRF?

1. patients have a complex care regimen

1. challenging transitions after discharge

 clinicians within IRFs are required to routinely document functional status using a valid instrument, the Functional Independence Measure (FIM[®])

Data Sources

2015 data

Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility - Patient Assessment Instrument (IRF-PAI)

Medicare Provider Analysis and Review (MedPAR)

Master Beneficiary Summary files

Calibration Plots

30-day Mortality

Calibration plot for death_30

1-year Mortality



Calibration plot for death_365

Results

30-day Mortality

	Learning rate	Acc	AUC	Avg_ Prec	мсс	PPV	NPV	TPR+ TNR	TPR	TNR	Threshold
Log reg	1	0.78	0.76	0.097	0.164	0.071	0.99	1.443	0.66	0.783	0.03
MLP	0.001	0.728	0.765	0.101	0.154	0.062	0.991	1.453	0.725	0.728	0.025

Best logistic regression model: C = 1, Penalty = L1 Best MLP model: Ensemble = 5, epoch = 33, layer = [30,20,1]

1-year Mortality

	Learning rate	Acc	AUC	Avg_ Prec	мсс	PPV	NPV	TPR+ TNR	TPR	TNR	Threshol d
Log reg	1	0.684	0.756	0.326	0.291	0.266	0.942	1.406	0.729	0.677	0.126
MLP	1.0	0.681	0.758	0.327	0.293	0.263	0.944	1.415	0.743	0.672	0.127

Best logistic regression model: C = 1, Penalty = L1

Best MLP model: Ensemble = 5, Epoch = 15, MLP Layer = [30,20,1]