

# A Medical Recommendation System Design via Combinatorial Gaussian Process Upper-confidence Bound Algorithms

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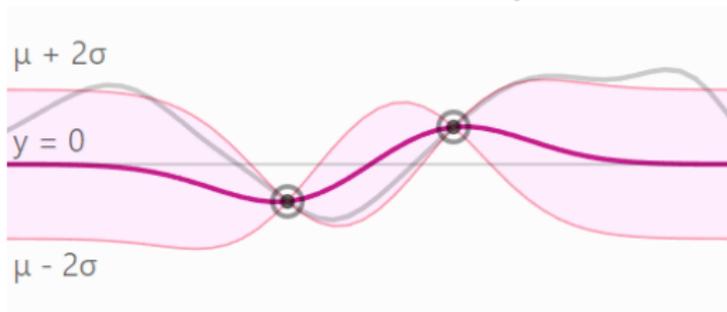
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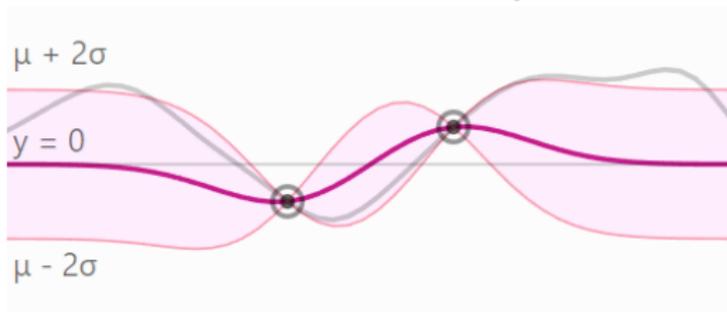
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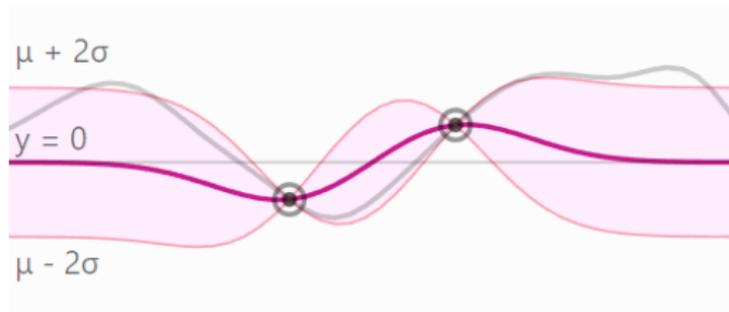
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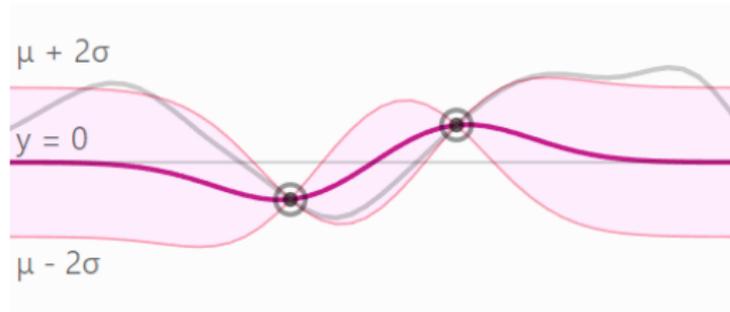
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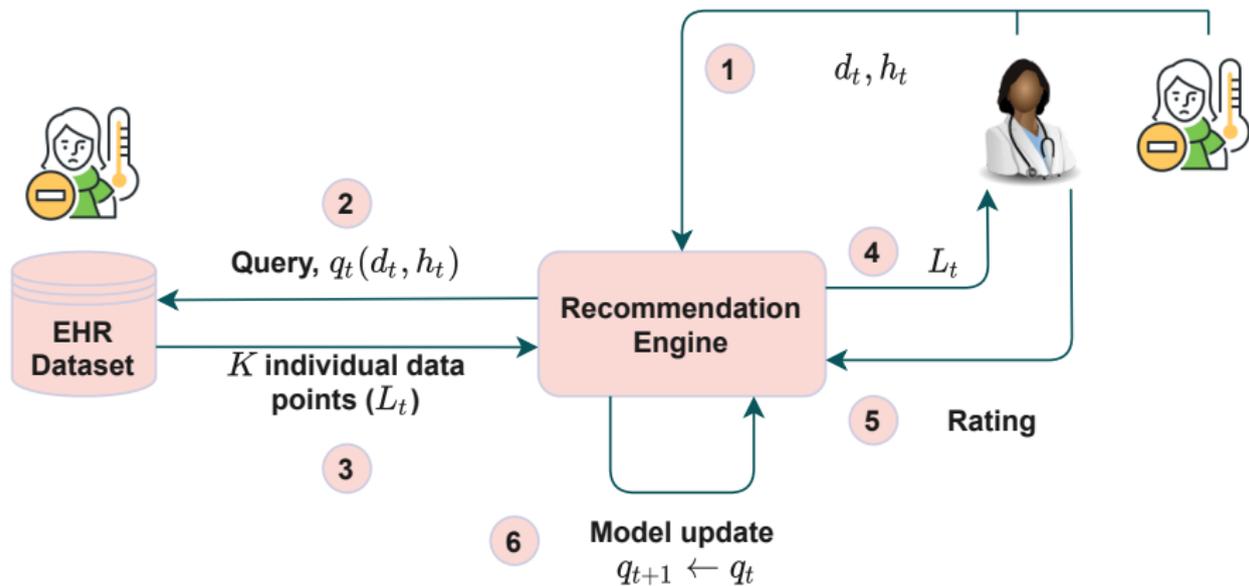
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- **bonus (interpretability):** can the recommendation engine provide some sort of explanation regarding its recommendations?

# Candidate System Model



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