Quantitative Models for Decision-support in Healthcare Applications

ABSTRACT - With the goal of improving patient outcomes, efficiency, and effectiveness, quantitative models are increasingly used for decision-support in healthcare. In this presentation we will discuss a few applications from organ transplant, vaccination, screening, and workforce allocation decisions.

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