

Helpful Facts

Our timely admission process helps to minimize the stress patients and family members might feel when coming into this unique type of care.

Respite care is the specific level of care that Medicare and Medicaid recognize for caregiver relief that provides 24-hour care for the patient for up to five overnights in a Medicare approved contracted facility. Respite care creates no financial burden for the family because it is covered 100% through the hospice benefit.

Continuous care, also known as crisis care, is for a patient whose symptoms do not respond to intermittent interventions. The hospice provides the appropriate staff to deliver bedside care during a crisis and stays with the patient until the symptoms are under control.

Our bereavement program is offered to families and others involved with the patient after a patient dies and lasts for a minimum of 13 months.

A do not resuscitate (DNR) status is not required to qualify for admittance to hospice.

Patients on tube feeding can be admitted to hospice.

The hospice physician and an RN are on call 24/7.