

Is Hospice Your Answer?

You may have questions about hospice, and we are here to answer them! But first, please take a minute to fill out the questionnaire below to help us. Your responses could help you decide whether hospice is the right choice for you or your loved one.

YES	NO	Has the person you're concerned about:	
		1. Been hospitalized or been to the ER several times in the past six months?	
		2. Been making more frequent phone calls to physicians?	
		3. Started taking medication to lessen physical pain?	
		4. Started spending most of the day in a chair or bed?	
		5. Fallen several times during the past six months?	
		6. Started needing help from others with any of the following:	
		Bathing	Dressing
		Eating	Cooking
		Getting out of bed	Walking
		7. Started feeling weaker or more tired?	
		8. Experienced weight loss to where clothes are noticeably looser?	
		9. Noticed a shortness of breath, even while resting?	
		10. Been told by a doctor that life expectancy is limited?	

If you marked "yes" to four or more of these questions, it may be time to think about hospice. Anyone with a life-limiting illness may be eligible for services that bring comfort, support and relief to the patient and their families!

