

When to call **HOSPICE CARE PARTNERS** Is it time?

Diagnosed with life-limiting illness, multiple co-morbidities

i.e. Alzheimers, Cancer, Liver Disease, Renal Disease, Neurological Conditions, ALS, MS, Parkinson's, COPD, CHF.



Recent Change in Condition

Progressive weight loss, Several falls in the past six months, Shortness of breath, spending most of the day confined to bed or a chair, decrease in food and fluid intake, Skin tears, frequent or recurring Infections



Need more Medical Support

Are you calling a doctor more often?
Started or increased pain medication?
Have you visited the ER or been hospitalized three or more times for the same symptoms in the past six months?



Need more assistance performing Daily Activities

Bathing, Dressing, Eating, Walking, Getting out of bed.



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WITH YOU EVERY STEP OF THE WAY
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MYTHS AND TRUTHS



Hospice means
giving up

Going on service
means I am going to
die soon

Once you choose
hospice care there is
no turning back.

Hospice is only
provided at the
hospital



Hospice is medical
care toward the goal
of comfort and
dignity

Service neither
hastens death nor
prolongs life

Patients are free to
leave the hospice
program & seek
curative treatment at
any time

Hospice is received
wherever the patient
calls home. Including
private residences,
assisted living
communities, &
nursing facilities.