

Hospice Care

Home Health Care

Palliative Care

Hospice Care

Private Care

Adult Foster Care

Serving more than 65
Massachusetts
communities



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All Care Hospice offers specialized care and support to patients and families dealing with a life-limiting illness. The focus of hospice is pain relief and symptom management, along with enhancing the patient's quality of life. The cost of hospice care is 100% covered by Medicare for eligible patients.

How Hospice Helps

- Reduced Hospitalizations
- Pain Management
- Emotional & Spiritual Support
- Achievement of Goals
- Increased Life Expectancy
- Higher Patient & Family Satisfaction

Common findings in hospice-appropriate patients:

- Cancer diagnosis and not seeking curative treatment
- No desire or willingness to continue dialysis treatment
- Chest pain or shortness of breath at rest, SOB requiring continuous O2
- Multiple ER visits and/or hospitalizations within the past six months
- Severe dementia/advanced neurological diseases that result in incontinence, inability to ambulate without assistance and/or inability to communicate

The **Hospice Item Set** was developed by CMS to promote the delivery of high quality hospice services. Agencies are required to submit data for seven quality and satisfaction outcome measures that rate compliance with the following:

- Asking patients about their beliefs and values
- Asking patients about their treatment preferences
- Checking if patients are in pain
- Assessing patients who are in pain
- Checking if patients are short of breath
- Beginning treatment for patients with shortness of breath
- Offering care for constipation for patients taking opioids



All Care is always available to answer questions about clinical eligibility for hospice care and/or discuss options with patients and their family.

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