

At SilverStone Hospice, we are called to care. We believe there are no do-overs. We must get things right every single time, for every single family. This is how we do things.

UNDERSTANDING HOSPICE

Hospice provides compassionate, non-curative medical care and support for people facing a life-limiting illness, as well as their families. It is care focused on maintaining dignity, increasing quality of life, and providing comfort, including pain and symptom control.

Hospice Services Include:

Medications and Equipment: All necessary medicines, medical equipment, and supplies for the terminal illness are included.

Compassionate Care: Our dedicated team of nurses and hospice aides provides attentive and compassionate direct care to residents.

Pain and Symptom Management: We provide medication management to control pain and symptoms effectively.

Emotional and Spiritual Support: Our services encompass social work, counseling, and chaplain services for emotional and spiritual well-being.

Tailored Programs: Individualized programs are crafted to match each resident's clinical needs.

Therapy: Physical, occupational, and speech therapy enhance resident safety and

Bereavement Support: We provide bereavement services for a minimum of 12 months following a loss.

Companionship: Trained volunteers offer companionship and support.

How we can help:

- ✓ **Personalized Care and Support:** We tailor our services to meet the specific needs of each individual.
- ✓ **Reduced Hospitalizations:** Our focus on pain and symptom management helps residents stay in your facility, minimizing unnecessary hospital trips.
- ✓ **Accessible Care:** We welcome all hospice-eligible individuals, including those with complex medical requirements like enteral feeding and wound care.

Hospice Benefits for Residents:

- ✓ **Home-Based Care:** We bring our interdisciplinary team to the resident's home or community, honoring their preference for care location.
- ✓ **Comfort-Centered Care:** Our specialized hospice team provides comfort-focused care to help manage pain and ease uncomfortable symptoms.
- ✓ **24/7 Support:** Skilled clinicians and hospice specialists are available 24/7, including weekends and holidays, ensuring continuous care.
- ✓ **Financial Accessibility:** Hospice care is fully covered by Medicare and often covered by Medicaid and commercial insurance plans for eligible residents.

How We Support Families:

- ✓ **Education and Guidance:** We help families understand their loved one's illness and improve family relationships.
- ✓ **Financial Relief:** Hospice covers medication, supplies, and equipment costs, easing financial burden.
- ✓ **Assistance with Arrangements:** Our team helps families with final arrangements and is present during the resident's passing.
- ✓ **Spiritual and Emotional Care:** We provide spiritual and emotional support to families during and after their loved one's passing, offering bereavement support to help them cope with their loss.