

# Care Options Delivered To You

## Home Health

Focus: A variety of illnesses Goal: Self-management and independence for patients and families Current Health Status: Fair to Good

- All age groups, including children
- Must be homebound for Medicare reimbursement
- Collaborative team approach to care
- May be receiving IV therapy, dialysis, transfusions, tube feedings, chemotherapy or radiation
- Hospitalization covered by Medicare or insurance
- Telemonitoring
- Social services when needed

### Palliative Care

Focus: Advanced illness Goal: Self-management and advanced care planning, regardless of whether they choose to receive curative or comfort care Current Health Status: Poor or guarded

- All age groups, including children
- Must be homebound for Medicare reimbursement
- Collaborative team approach to care
- May be receiving IV therapy, dialysis, transfusions, tube feedings, chemotherapy or radiation
- Hospitalization covered by Medicare or insurance
- Telemonitoring
- Social services
- Spiritual Care & Grief Support services

# Hospice

Focus: Terminal illness Goal: Comfort and improvement of quality of life through a peaceful death Current Health Status: Poor or guarded with life expectancy of six months or less

- All age groups, including children
- Not required to be homebound for Medicare reimbursement
- Collaborative team approach to care
- Evaluated on an individual basis but generally not receiving IV therapy, dialysis, transfusions, chemotherapy or radiation
- Hospitalization covered by hospice if admission is prior authorized and related to terminal illness
- Telemonitoring
- Social services
- Medications and equipment covered by hospice if related to terminal diagnosis
- Spiritual Care & Grief Support services
- Volunteer support
- Complementary therapies
- Short term respite available



### Home Health & Hospice

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