# Why Hospice? Why Now?

start the conversation. We believe in educating and empowering consider their needs and personal wishes, now, before a medical crisis arises. The sooner hospice services are started, the greater the benefits are for patients and their families.

It's your life. It's your story. We're listening. Hospice For All Seasons proudly serves the following counties:

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Lancaster
Lebanon
Northumberland
Perry
Schuylkill
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### Hospice For All Seasons

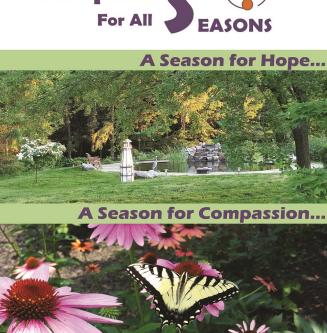
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Hospice For All Seasons...
With you through the seasons of your life.

# In every season... we'll be there.

#### What is Hospice?

Hospice is a special way of caring for someone facing a life-limiting illness. The hospice philosophy focuses on the care, not the cure.

Hospice care provides comfort, pain relief and symptom control, as well as addressing the emotional, social, and spiritual impact of the illness. The goal of hospice care is to allow individuals to live their lives as fully as possible.

#### **How is Hospice Paid for?**

Hospice is paid for in the same way as other medical services. Hospice is a benefit that is 100% covered under Medicare, most Medicaid plans, and many private insurance plans. Our team will assist with determining eligibility. We are committed to providing superior hospice care regardless of an individual's ability to pay.

#### **How are Services Started?**

Under the direction of your physician, hospice care begins with an assessment by a registered nurse. Our nurse will evaluate your needs and create an individualized plan of care that includes a physical assessment, medication review, and education on all of our support services.

#### **What Makes Us Unique?**

As a locally owned and operated hospice, we have a unique understanding of your community and the local support and service agencies available to assist you, because we live here too!

We've designed our care model to allow our staff to carry smaller caseloads, so we can provide more of the patient-centered care you deserve. In most cases, our patients receive care team visits at a frequency higher than Medicare standards.

Our Integrative Arts Program (IAP) blends our expertise of specialized medical care with licensed or certified staff skilled in a number of holistic therapies such as: **Therapeutic Touch, Aromatherapy, Reflexology, Reiki, and Massage.** 

## Your Hospice Team

Your team of experts includes:

Your Physician

Hospice Medical Director

Nurse Case Manager

Certified Nursing Assistant

Social Worker

Chaplain

**Grief Counselor** 

**Holistic Practitioners** 

Volunteers

#### You and Your Family

Our hospice team involves patients and families when making decisions regarding their treatment.

A hospice nurse and doctor are on call 24/7, to give you and your family the support and care when they need it.

"When comfort was needed,
Hospice For All Seasons was there for our
family. Your team was a blessing to us during our
mother's final journey home."