

The following are indicators for when hospice may be appropriate. Please feel free to contact Hospice of Helping Hands at any time for a free informational visit.

Cancer

- Cancer has spread to other areas of the body
- Cancer treatments are not working the cancer is progressing
- Type of cancer has been identified as terminal
- Declines curative chemotherapy or radiation but may be receiving chemotherapy or radiation for comfort or pain relief
- Weight loss of 5% in 3 months

