

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.

## Heart Disease

- On maximum level of tolerable doses of heart medications
- Not a candidate for surgery or does not want to have procedures
- Increasing discomfort with activity or inability to carry on any physical activity; for example, chest pain and/or shortness of breath with walking
- History of feeling faint

