9 THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT Bluegrass Hospice Care

1. Hospice is for patients with any serious illness, not just cancer.
   - Hospice is for weeks and months of life, not just days or hours.

2. Hospice is able to keep patients comfortable. Good pain management can help you live longer.
   - Hospice is covered by Medicare, Medicaid and most insurance companies.

3. Hospice is able to provide many medications, supplies and equipment.
   - Hospice is provided wherever home is – a residence, hospital, nursing home, assisted-living facility, etc.

4. Hospice is able to include your doctors, not replacing them but keeping them on your team.
   - Hospice is a team of medical professionals including doctors, nurses, social workers, chaplains, home care aides and volunteers.

5. Hospice is hope for families who want to live and create loving memories when time together may be short.

Many families say their biggest regret is not calling sooner. Get informed about hospice care before you need to be:

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