# **Services Offered**

### **Palliative Care**

For patients at any stage of a serious illness still pursuing curative treatment.

### **HMSA Supportive Care**

For patients with advanced stage 3 or 4 cancer, Class III or IV congestive heart failure, or advanced COPD.

## **Hospice Care**

For patients with a life-limited prognosis not pursing curative treatment.

All Islands Hospice patients have access to 24-hour nurse and hospice physician consultations and visits, hospice-related medications and medication delivery; hospice-related medical equipment and supplies; assistance with personal care; general inpatient, continuous and respite care; and bereavement and spiritual counseling.

# **Our Team**

Our team of dedicated professionals includes:

- Medical, nursing, & support service team
- Personal physicians
- Hospice physicians & nurse practitioners
- Registered nurses
- Certified nursing assistants

- Community liaisons
- Social workers
- Spiritual care providers
- Bereavement coordinators
- Trained volunteers



# **Our Quality**

With a focus on quality of life and support every step of the way, Islands Hospice is both Medicare certified and nationally accredited through the Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC). These credentials attest to our compliance with current regulatory requirements and standards and our emphasis on high performance and patient care.

# Contact

For more information on Islands Hospice or to make a referral, please contact:

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# It's about living.





Islands Hospice believes that every one of us deserves the opportunity to write the closing chapter of our life with dignity, in peace and in the comfort of home. Since 2008, our team of physicians, nurse practitioners, nurses, nurse aides, social workers, chaplains, and dedicated professionals has walked with and cared for thousands of patients and their loved ones through hospice, palliative, and supportive care programs.

Our team works with patients, 'ohana and medical teams on O'ahu and Maui to create a comprehensive plan of care to address each individual patient's medical, emotional, and spiritual needs.

More than just a place, Islands Hospice is a philosophy of care.



# Who is eligible?

Islands Hospice provides services to individuals who have been given a life-limiting prognosis of six months or less and are seeking comfort vs aggressive curative treatments. Specific eligibility criteria is typically based on the patient's primary diagnosis as well as contributing conditions. Common diagnosis may include cancer, pulmonary disease, Alzheimer's/dementia, renal disease, HIV, or liver disease.



# Who pays for hospice?

The benefits of hospice care are covered by Medicare and most insurance plans. However, Islands Hospice provides services to hospice-eligible patients, regardless of ability to pay.

# Where is hospice provided?

Islands Hospice provides support to individuals and families wherever they call home. This can include a patient's home or apartment, inpatient unit, nursing home, assisted living facility, friend or relative's house, or one of our hospice homes on Oʻahu or Maui.

# **Levels of Care**



# Respite

Short-term relief for in-home care givers.

# **Inpatient Care**

Short-term general care for patients during a hospital stay.



### **Continuous Care**

Short-term pain or symptom management usually provided in the home.

## **Routine Home Care**

The most common level of hospice care, usually provided in the home.

