

Cost of care



Every donation, large or small, means more patients and families across our community can benefit from our outstanding palliative and end of life care.

£6

Physical comfort

Could purchase a hand-held fan to keep patients cool when they suffer from the uncomfortable effects of medication.

£11

Advice Line

Could fund a nurse's time speaking on our telephone Advice Line – reassuring, advising, and guiding patients, families, and health professionals.

£19

Clinical Support Assistant

Could fund an hour long visit by a Clinical Support Assistant to a patient's home, to offer basic support, therapeutic care and guidance around making decisions at the very end of their life.

£32

Volunteer Companions

Could fund an hour of training for our wonderful Volunteer Companions, teaching them the skills needed to offer companionship and emotional support to isolated patients, living alone at the end of their life.

£32

Physiotherapy

Could fund an hour-long session with one of our specialist Physiotherapists, using exercise and rehabilitation therapy to improve mobility and manage symptoms such as fatigue, pain and breathlessness.

£75

Emotional Support

Could fund an expert counsellor to run a support group session for young adults with a life-limiting illness, helping them feel less alone.

£120

Nurse Specialists

Could fund a morning of care provided by a Community Nurse Specialist, helping patients manage pain, discomfort, emotional distress and coordinating their care.

£213

Hospice at Home

Could fund a compassionate, skilled and experienced Hospice at Home Carer to provide care overnight, enabling a patient to stay at home at the end of their life.

£945

Inpatient Unit

Could fund 24 hours of care for one patient on our Inpatient Unit.

£5,040

Creative Therapy

Could fund the cost of our Creative Therapy service for one week, giving patient and relatives the chance to explore a variety of creative arts and use various techniques to give them a focus and diversion at a difficult and emotional time.

£31,000

Care for a day

Could fund the delivery of all our clinical care and education services for one day, ensuring we can be there who all those who need us.

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