



Hospice & Palliative Care

Talking with the Doctor

You may want to discuss hospice and palliative care with the physician if any or all of the following are present in your loved one. Complete this checklist and bring it with to you when you consult with the doctor.

Check all that apply:

- A physician has informed the patient that he or she has a life-limiting illness.
- The patient's general health continues to decline, in spite of the curative treatments he or she is receiving.
- The patient is in and out of the hospital frequently.
- Repeat or multiple infections are occurring, causing additional challenges to the patient's health status.
- Increased or uncontrolled pain is impacting the patient's quality of life.
- Weakness, fatigue or shortness of breath is dramatically limiting the patient's mobility.
- The patient is unable to live independently or manage daily tasks on his or her own.
- The patient's changing mental awareness requires close observation and support.

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