

# HPCG Fact Sheet

## Our Mission

To enhance the quality of life by providing expert interdisciplinary care, consultation, support and education for those affected by serious illness, death or grief.

## Our Vision

To be the leading community resource for addressing issues of serious illness, death and grief.

## Our Programs

Hospice and Palliative Care of Greensboro is the leading provider of hospice and palliative care in Guilford County and has been serving the community since 1980. We are a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, and our care is a covered benefit under most insurance plans, Medicare and Medicaid. Thanks to generous community support, no one is denied services due to an inability to pay.

We provide a full spectrum of support from hospice and palliative care to grief counseling, support for caregivers, education, emotional and spiritual support that is available to children and adults. Hospice is a different model that utilizes the interdisciplinary team approach to healthcare, which includes physicians, nurses, hospice aides, bereavement counselors, volunteers, chaplains and social workers. HPCG provides care wherever the person calls home, including a private residence, long-term care community, skilled nursing facility or Beacon Place – our very own hospice home. Two of our programs, Kids Path and the Counseling and Education Center, are partially funded through the United Way of Greater Greensboro.

Our supportive team of caregivers, whose skills and commitment combine to provide a complete 24-hour support system for you and your family, includes:

- Physicians with specialty-training in hospice and palliative medicine.
- Nurses expertly skilled in pain control and symptom management.
- Hospice aides who gently assist with personal care.
- Social workers providing family support and education.
- Volunteers offering extra support and friendly visits.
- Chaplains helping provide spiritual guidance, understanding and meaning.
- Bereavement counselors offering support and education for families coping with loss.