# **Hospice at Home Ceredigion**



Our Hospice at Home service enables those in our care in Ceredigion to remain at home at the end of life.

Working alongside other healthcare professionals involved in your care, the Severn Hospice team offers support to you and those nearest to you.

# How Hospice at Home helps you

Hospice at Home provides the highest quality personalised care for people who are in the final stages of their illness.

Our experienced and professional team of carers is committed to giving patients and those closest to them the best quality of life to allow a dignified and peaceful death. How much support you need will be decided in partnership with you, your family and all the healthcare professionals involved in your care.

Your Hospice at Home carer will attend to you during hours that have been agreed with you.

Our team is supported by co-ordinators who ensure we always prioritise those in greatest need. If anything changes for you, we keep you informed.

# Getting referred to Hospice at Home in Ceredigion

You will need to be referred by a healthcare professional involved in your care who will speak with you about the best place to support you at this stage in your care plan.

You would then only be referred with your permission and if it is your wish to be at home.

# What you need to do

Once you have been referred to the Hospice at Home team, we would appreciate you considering the following:

- Make it easy for us to access your home
- Let us know of anything like pets or hazards, including smokers
- Allow us to use your telephone if need to

#### Contact details for the team

**Telephone** 01970 635790 **Mobile** 07736 481611

#### **Email**

HatH@severnhospice.org.uk

# **About Severn Hospice**

The Hospice at Home service is provided for free for people in Ceredigion living with incurable illness. It is a commissioned service by Hywel Dda University Health Board

Our professional, trained carers work in partnership with all of Ceredigion's healthcare providers under the umbrella of Hywel Dda University Health Board.

The service is funded jointly by the NHS in Wales and Severn Hospice, an independent charity. The charity pays for every aspect of the Hospice at Home service in Ceredigion except staff wages.

The hospice relies on charitable donations to fund its work, caring each year for 3,000 families in Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin, North Powys and Ceredigion living with the most heartbreaking news anyone can hear.

It has wards in Shrewsbury and Telford and cares for four out of five patients in their own homes. Its specialist teams provide more than just expert clinical care for anyone living with an incurable illness, they also support a patient's physical, social, spiritual and psychological needs.

Wherever it provides its compassionate care, it is provided totally free of charge, but it is not without cost. Severn Hospice is part of the healthcare network but not part of the NHS and has to raise £2 for every £3 it spends.

Anyone can support us and everyone who does is appreciated by the families we care for today and in the future. Ask us about the ways you can support us in Ceredigion.

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