

## When to Call Agrace

Hospice care is for people who are expected to live about six months or less, and are seeking comfort, not a cure. Most often, Agrace cares for people who have serious illnesses such as:

- Heart disease/CHF
- Lung disease/COPD
- Kidney or liver disease
- Late-stage dementia/ Alzheimer's disease
- Stroke
- Cancer
- Parkinson's, ALS
- HIV/AIDS

We also serve patients with any other life-limiting condition, or a combination of illnesses.

## Common signs of health decline

decline includes some of these signs:

Hospice may be helpful to people whose health

Weight loss, less appetite
Shortness of breath
Multiple ER visits or hospitalizations
Frequent falls
Difficulty swallowing
More lethargy, fatigue and sleeping
Uncontrolled pain
Multiple skin ulcers
Several chronic diseases
Needing help with most activities
of daily living

□ Desire to focus on comfort, rather

than cure

## Anyone can contact Agrace Hospice Care with questions—we're here to help!

When you call, an Agrace representative will answer your questions and, if appropriate, set up a time to visit in person. We can admit patients 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, including holidays.

Ask for Agrace: (800) 930-2770 Agrace.org