

# Referral Form

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Please indicate ONE main service being requested:

For more information on services go to Page 4 'Guide to Services'

In-Patient Unit	Hospice at Home	Day Hospice (12 weeks)	Family and Bereavement Support Service	Living Well Programme

**Referrer's Details (N.B. If information is missing we may need to contact you before accepting the referral)**

<b>Date referring:</b>	<b>Time:</b>
<b>Your name:</b>	<b>Your designation:</b>
<b>Your signature:</b>	<b>Your contact number:</b>
<b>Email:</b>	

**Patient's Details (please also include these if referring a carer for Family Support & Bereavement Service)**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>DOB:</b>	<b>M/F</b>	<b>Faith (if known)</b>
<b>Address:</b>	<b>Postcode:</b>		
	<b>Telephone no:</b>		
<b>Current location:</b>	<b>Is patient aware of referral?</b>		
<b>NHS no:</b>			

**Family Carer Details (if known)**

<b>Name of main carer/NOK:</b>	<b>Relationship to patient:</b>
	<b>DoB (Family Support &amp; Bereavement Service)</b>
<b>Address if known:</b>	<b>Tel. no:</b>

**Primary Care Team Details**

<b>Name of GP:</b>	<b>Surgery address:</b>
<b>Tel. no:</b>	<b>DN contact tel:</b>

**Other Health Care Professionals involved (e.g. District Nurse, Community Specialist Palliative Care Nurse)**


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	YES	NO		YES	NO
Is the patient aware that they are at End of Life i.e. potentially in the last year of life?			Is this patient receiving chemotherapy? (Include details overleaf)		
Is this patient on the GP GSF register?			Has this patient had radiotherapy recently? (Include details overleaf)		
Does any written documentation of ACP exist? (If so, it should come with the patient)			Any pressure ulcers? Category (if known)		
Any Advance Care Planning conversations? (Include details overleaf)			Any known infections? Hospital acquired infections?		
Are Just in Case drugs in the home?			Any risk of falls?		
	YES	NO		YES	NO
Has NWS been notified of this patient?			Is oxygen required? (If yes, please organise HOOF and supply for admission date)		
Is CHOC aware of this patient?			Any issues with mental capacity?		
Any lone worker risks? (Patient and carers)			Any problems gaining access to the place of residence?		
Safeguarding concerns?					

**Main Patient Diagnosis:**

**Other Relevant Diagnoses:**

**Main reason for Referral:**

**Summary of current condition and treatments, current medication list**

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**Please add any further information of relevance here e.g. what interventions have already been trialled.**

(Please add carer's GP details if referring to Family Support & Bereavement Service)

**Please note: a bed or service is not booked until confirmed as such by hospice staff.**

**N.B. Attach copies of relevant specialists' letters and GP patient summaries.**

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## GUIDE TO SERVICES AT ST MARY'S HOSPICE

<b>In Patient Unit</b>	This is an eight bedded unit, where we take referrals for symptom management, respite care and end of life care for patients with advancing illness.
<b>Hospice @ Home</b>	Cares for patients who wish to remain at home at end of life. The service covers the Furness and South Lakes area seven days a week. We also have a night service, where a Health Care Assistant can stay at a patient/family home overnight to help prevent carer fatigue and hospital admission.
<b>Family Support &amp; Bereavement Service</b>	Emotional/spiritual support for patients and/or their family members regarding loss and grief issues pre and post bereavement covering Furness and South Lakes. Clients can be seen at hospice or in own homes. We also offer signposting service should we not be the appropriate service. Referrals taken during normal office hours Mon-Friday. Please note this is neither a counselling service nor an emergency response service and is offered to adults only although parental guidance can be offered by the team regarding children's' grief responses.
<b>Living Well Programme</b>	The Living Well Programme assists people to learn practical tools and techniques to help them cope with illness and enhance their wellbeing. Individuals are supported via a range of methods during the COVID-19 pandemic, including through closed online groups, telephone support and home visits. Participants can experience a range of breathing and relaxation techniques, adapted exercise and other skills that can help support health and wellness.