



# Hospice Fact Sheet

## How Do I Become a Volunteer?

### Hospice Care of Middletown volunteers are:

- Caring and compassionate
- Reliable and respectful
- Inspirational and invaluable

### Who can volunteer for Hospice?

- Retirees
- Homemakers
- Full or part time employees
- Anyone over 18 years of age with a desire to help those with a life-limiting illness

### What types of things do Hospice volunteers do?

Volunteers are matched with duties that fit their interest, abilities, and schedule, which may include:

- Visit patients at home or in an extended care facility
- Give caregivers relief
- Help with errands such as grocery shopping and delivering medical supplies
- Create memories with patient through life histories and legacy letters
- Provide administrative support including phone calls, filing, making copies, and data entry
- Provide bereavement support including phone calls, cards and letters

### Is there a minimum time commitment?

- Volunteers are required to attend an orientation program and give 18 hours per year of service to retain active status.
- All volunteers must attend at least two continuing education meetings per year.

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