



**East Cheshire  
Hospice @Home**  
Here when you need us most

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Bringing our care into your home  
when you need it most



Given the choice, most of us would like to spend our final days in a place where we feel most at home. However, for many people this is not possible, due to limited resources which can lead to unwanted admissions to hospital.

We believe that people with a life limiting illness should have the choice to receive care wherever they feel most comfortable. East Cheshire Hospice @Home has been developed to try and give end of life patients more choice and control. Our aim is to empower people to remain at home if they wish to, by offering high quality end of life care and support in the community.

## How can we help?

The Hospice @Home team is made up of experienced specialist nurses and highly trained healthcare assistants, who can offer hands on practical and nursing support, to enable patients and their families who are coping with an end of life situation to remain at home whenever possible.

Our main role is to provide support in a number of ways when other services may be limited.

We've been serving the East Cheshire community for around 30 years, and we have the knowledge and expertise to deliver end of life care effectively and compassionately. We will also provide support and care for your family, carers and other loved ones.



# Our services

## Rapid Response

Our Rapid Response service offers out of hours support, providing symptom management, urgent care needs and psychological support to the patient.

### **Hours of operation:**

Monday to Friday 9pm-8am

24/7 weekends and bank holidays

## Day Service

Our Hospice @Home Day Service is a planned package of care referred by Cheshire NHS Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCG) for Continuing Healthcare (CHC) allowing us to provide up to 4 visits per day.

### **Hours of operation:**

7 days per week 7.30am - 9:30pm

## Carer Break

Infrequent visits or ad hoc care/carers' breaks.

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# Your Service Details

## Service you are referred to

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## What we will offer you

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We will regularly review the services that we offer you following clinical assessment. This may be in person or may be over the telephone.

## How do I get referred?

If you require extra support, please speak to your District Nurse, Macmillan Nurse, GP or hospital team, who can quickly refer you to the Hospice @Home Service.

## What can we offer?

The care provided by the team will then be tailored to your specific needs and preferences, following an assessment a member of Hospice @Home staff. Our aim will be to stabilise your symptoms and offer support so that you can stay where you feel most at home.

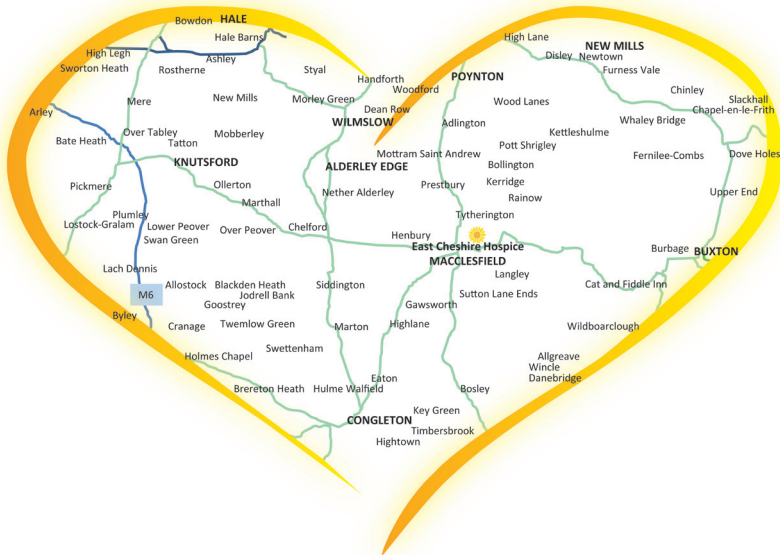
**For questions regarding our services, please contact the Hospice @Home team on 01625 664 999**





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## East Cheshire Hospice is your local hospice



All our services are funded by the generosity of the local community and are available to patients free of charge.

Less than 17% of our costs are covered by the NHS, so we have to fundraise £7,500 each and every day. If you'd like to know more about how we raise money and how you could help, please call our Fundraising Team on 01625 433477 or visit [www.eastcheshirehospice.org.uk](http://www.eastcheshirehospice.org.uk)