



Serenity Enhances Quality of Life

Palliative care provides relief from suffering and helps to enhance the quality of life for patients and their families.

Serenity palliative care is covered under Medicare Part B, in addition to Medicaid and most private insurance. Standard copays and deductibles apply.

We serve nine counties including Boone, Bureau, Carroll, Dekalb, Lee, Ogle, Stephenson, Whiteside, and Winnebago.

Our compassionate team at Serenity provides the highest quality of care and support. We will be here to help you and your family on this journey every step of the way. Feel free to call us with questions anytime.

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Palliative Care

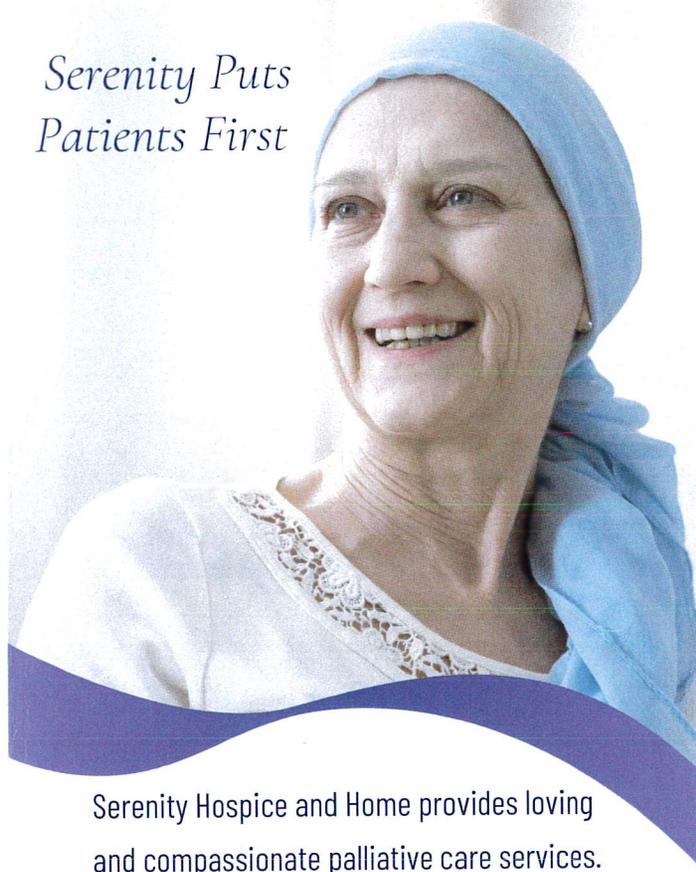


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Palliative Care...

- Improves quality of life, helping to ease symptoms of chronic illness and/or treatment.
- Can be provided along with curative treatment and may begin at the time of diagnosis or anytime after.
- Can help the patient to better understand their choices for medical treatment.
- Home visits are provided in your own home by certified staff including Physicians, Registered Nurses, Licensed Clinical Social Workers and Chaplains.

Serenity Puts Patients First



Serenity Hospice and Home provides loving and compassionate palliative care services. In addition to in-person visits, there is regular communication by telephone with a Registered Nurse. We also help you to navigate your treatment options while referring you to community resources.

In addition to providing support to you and your family, we communicate and work in conjunction with all your current medical providers.

As a proud 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization; we always put the patient first.

Difference Between Hospice and Palliative Care:

Individuals receiving palliative care are still pursuing curative treatments, while the goal of hospice is to provide the maximum amount of comfort along the end-of-life journey when curative treatment is no longer beneficial. Hospice provides more services than palliative care, but also has more eligibility requirements.

To receive hospice, an individual must have a terminal diagnosis and a life expectancy of less than six months, whereas a person may receive palliative care regardless of life expectancy. Palliative care could be the right choice if you are still pursuing curative treatment and would like help with pain and symptom management, as well as support finding the right community resources to help you on your journey.

