

How to contact us

Your **district nurse** and/or **GP** are directly responsible for your care at home and our involvement is to support the care the **primary care team** provides. If for any reason you wish to contact us about our input into your care you can do so at any time by calling our team.

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Hospice@Home



01904 777 770

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We want to know what you think...

To give us your feedback on our service you can speak to the nurse in charge by calling 01904 777 770 or completing our online feedback form.



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About our team

We provide tailored, hands-on nursing care and support to patients and their families in the last few weeks of life.

Hospice@Home can be offered if you:

- ☀ are approaching the end-of-life and would prefer to die at home
- ☀ wish to be discharged from the hospital or Hospice to be cared for and die at home
- ☀ are awaiting fast track care which is not yet available, Hospice@Home can bridge the gap.

Our team is made up of experienced registered nurses and carers who are supported by the clinical leadership team.

All of our staff have hospice or palliative care expertise and have completed training so they have the required skills to support you at home.

Working in partnership

We work in partnership with GPs, District nurses and Macmillan nurses across York and the Vale of York to provide this care.



What to expect

It is essential that a healthcare professional makes the referral to us. Following this, we will contact you and your family or carer to make an appointment for the team to visit you.

When we visit, we will discuss your situation with you. We will also speak to the other professionals involved in your care to discuss the support you require and how we can help.

Our team will continually assess your needs and will talk to you about increasing or decreasing visits and, at times, discharge.

Because we offer tailored care based on your needs, our visits don't take place at set times. Therefore our team is unable to support with meal preparation or routine medicine administration.

When we first visit, we will also have a conversation with you so you can make an informed choice about having a height adjustable bed. Not having one may limit the level of care available to you.