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When is the right time to transition to Tabitha Hospice care?

These signs and symptoms can show that a person's condition has progressed into a life-limiting illness, where the focus shifts to caring rather than curing.

Hospice Eligibility Checklist

Checking even two or three boxes below means it's the right time to reach out to Tabitha to determine hospice eligibility.

Multiple hospitalizations or ER visits

Frequent or recurring infections

Loss of urinary or bowel control

Increased need for medication due to uncontrolled pain or symptoms

Difficulty swallowing

Significant, unintentional weight loss

Disinterest in food and sudden decrease in appetite

Inability to perform activities of daily living

Frequent falls

Shortness of breath while at rest or with exertion

Sleeping longer and more frequently

Difficult or decreased communication

Spending more time confined to a bed or chair

Change in cognitive ability

Withdrawal from family, friends and loved ones

Increased weakness

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