

What Is Comfort Path?

Comfort Path is designed for patients in need of pain and symptom management that complements their curative treatment, for improved quality of life.

Comfort Path provides physical, emotional, and psychosocial support to improve quality of life for patients facing a debilitating illness. Unlike hospice care, you do not have to be on your end-of-life journey or stop curative treatment to receive Comfort Path and all its benefits.

This specialized home health program is 100% covered by Medicare.



Residential's Comfort Path Program Offers:

- Pain & Symptom Management
- On-Call Nurse Available 24/7
- Home Health Aides
- Home Environment Assessment
- Caregiver Support & Education
- Licensed Medical Social Workers
- Medication Management
- Rehabilitation Services
- Advanced Care Planning
- Transition to Hospice Care If Needed
- All Integrated Care Management (ICM) trained clinicians



Journey Counselors

help give you and your loved ones the tools to make and communicate your choices

Nurse Practitioner Consult

In collaboration with your physician, Residential's Palliative NP's can assist with pain and symptom management. *Copay may apply

Consider Comfort Path:

If you are living with any of the following:

- Cancer
- Emphysema
- Lung Disease
- Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)
- End-Stage Renal Disease/Kidney Failure
- Parkinson's, ALS, Multiple Sclerosis
- Congestive Heart Failure (CHF)
- Alzheimer's/Dementia
- Liver Failure

If any of the following are impacting your quality of life:

- Pain or Discomfort
- Shortness of Breath
- Fatigue
- Anxiety
- Depression
- Lack of Appetite
- Nausea
- Frequent Hospitalizations
- Side Effects from Treatment

Understanding the Difference between Home Health, Comfort Path, and Hospice Care from Residential

	Residential Home Health	Residential Comfort Path	Residential Hospice
100% Covered by Medicare	✓	✓	✓
Continue to Seek Curative Treatment	✓	✓	
Increased Home Health Aide Visit Frequency and Duration			✓
Ability to Speak with a Nurse 24/7	✓	✓	✓
On-Call Visiting Nurses Available 24/7			✓
Customized Care Team	✓ May include Registered Nurse, Physical Therapist, Occupational Therapist, Medical Social Worker, Speech Therapist, Registered Dietician, or aide assistance	✓ Same as Home Health	✓ Includes Registered Nurse, Medical Social Worker, Spiritual Care Counselor, increased aide assistance, and may include Music/Massage/Aroma Therapist
Volunteer Services Available			✓ Provide companionship and caregiver support
Pain Management	✓ Symptoms and pain treated as part of planned care	✓+ Focus begins to shift toward comfort and pain management	✓++ Pain management is a main pillar of hospice care
Primary Care Physician Involved	✓	✓	✓
Additional Nurse Practitioner or Physician Support		✓ Consults by a palliative nurse practitioner where available (deductible and copay may apply)	✓ Hospice physician to oversee care and make face-to-face visits as required by Medicare in addition to primary care physician
Focus on Rehabilitation	✓	✓	
Additional Medical Expense Coverage	✓ Covers some supplies like dressing changes and pillbox	✓ Same as Home Health	✓+ Covers medicine related to hospice diagnosis and DME
Caregiver Relief (Respite)			✓ Up to 5-day respite stays available



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