

# Palliative Care Support

Compassionate care in the  
comfort of home



## Understanding Palliative Care

Palliative care is person-centred support for people with life-limiting conditions. It's about comfort, dignity and maintaining quality of life in the familiar surroundings of home.

Palliative care addresses your physical, emotional, social and spiritual wellbeing. It's much more than medical care in the final weeks—it can begin at diagnosis and works alongside other treatments.

Our specially trained caregivers work as part of your Circle of Care, supporting you and your loved ones throughout this journey.

Research shows approximately 70% of Australians wish to die at home. With Dovidia, this becomes possible.



## Specialised Support

### Emotional Support

No matter what you need, our caregivers are there at any time of day or night

### Companionship

Whether you prefer to stay at home or take walks, we'll be right by your side

### Housekeeping & Personal Care

Help around the house and assistance with bathing, toileting and dressing

### Symptom Management Support

Working alongside your medical and or palliative team to maintain your comfort

### Respite for Carers

Temporary support giving family carers time to rest and recharge

## Planning for End of Life

Having conversations about end of life takes courage, but planning ahead means your wishes are respected and loved ones have clarity.

### Consider discussing:

- Where you want to be cared for
  - Who you trust to make health decisions
  - What medical treatments you do or don't want
  - What spiritual support matters to you

## End-of-Life Pathway

The End-of-Life Pathway provides government-funded support (approximately \$25,000 over 12-16 weeks) for people assessed as having less than three months to live.

### What It Covers:

- Increased personal care
- Allied health services
- Household assistance
- Emotional and practical support

This funding helps you remain at home with comfort and care. Our specially trained caregivers work alongside your medical team to deliver compassionate, coordinated care.

## Your Support Team

Our caregivers have advanced palliative care training and work closely with your health professionals, including:

- Specialist Palliative Care Teams
- Your General Practitioner
- Palliative Care Nurses
- Allied Health Professionals
- Pastoral Care Services

Together, we create a Circle of Care centred around you, ensuring coordinated support that honours your wishes and maintains dignity.

Care Available From a few hours to 24-hour care, seven days a week.





**Together,  
we create care  
that centres  
around you.**

Your comfort,  
independence and  
happiness matter  
most to us.

We don't just want  
to improve your day,  
we want to empower  
you to live your life,  
your way.





**Dovida**<sup>TM</sup>  
Your Life, Your Way

## Our Services

- **Dementia Care**
- **Everyday Companionship**
- **Home Help**
- **Hospital to Home**
- **Live-in Care**
- **Meal Preparation**
- **Medication Reminders**
- **Overnight Care**
- **Palliative Care**
- **Personal Care**
- **Respite Care**
- **Transport Services**

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