

Examples of How Direct Patient Care Hospice Volunteers Assist:

Reading . . . Writing Letters and/or Books . . . Journaling . . . Playing Chess, Cards or Board Games . . .
Sewing . . . Knitting . . . Crocheting . . . Quilting . . . Scrapbooking . . . Painting & Other Art/Craft
Projects . . . Video Life Review . . . Visiting Bookstores and Libraries . . . Attending Theater and/or
Community Events . . . Music . . . Going to the Movies, the Mall, the Beach or for a Meal . . .
Gardening . . . Flower Arranging . . . Transportation . . . Visiting Friends and Family . . . Grocery
Shopping . . . Running Errands . . . Providing Respite for Caregivers . . . Sitting Silently . . . Social Activity
Group for Patients (Understanding and Respecting) . . . Providing Spiritual Support when Requested . . .
Facilitating Support Groups for Grieving Family Members . . . Healing Touch and Massage (license
required) . . . Hairstylists (license required) . . . Light Meal Preparation . . . Pet Therapy . . . Walking Pets

Examples of How Administrative Hospice Volunteer Services Support Direct Patient Care:

Answering Phones . . . Reception Desk . . . Greet Visitors . . . Filing . . . Data Entry . . . Bereavement . . .
Assisting with Mailings to Patients and Families . . . Special Event Volunteers: Crafting, Flower Arranging

A shortened training program is provided for individuals who wish to provide this type of service rather than patient care.