

About us



**Marie
Curie**

Care and support
through terminal illness



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Who we are

We're here for people living with any terminal illness, whether it's cancer or any other illness, and their families. We offer expert care, guidance and support to help them get the most from the time they have left.

Our nurses work night and day, in people's homes across the UK. Our hospices offer specialist round-the-clock care.

And we help people by giving practical information, support from trained volunteers and being there when someone wants to talk.

- We care for people with any terminal illnesses including cancer, motor neurone disease, Parkinson's disease, dementia, heart failure, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) and other illnesses.
- Over the last 60 years, we've helped millions of people with a terminal illness and their families.
- Carers say seven out of every 10 people with a terminal illness don't get all the care and support they need. *

* Source: Ipsos MORI survey of 1,067 UK carers aged 16-75

How we care

Marie Curie Nurses

Marie Curie Nurses work night and day, in people's homes across the UK, providing hands-on care and vital emotional support. If you're living with a terminal illness, they can help you stay surrounded by the people you care about most.

Marie Curie Hospices

Our hospices offer the reassurance of specialist care and support, in a friendly, welcoming environment, for people living with a terminal illness and their loved ones – whether you're staying in the hospice, or just coming in for the day.

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Simon Rawles/Marie Curie



Marie Curie Helper

We know the little things can make a big difference when you're living with a terminal illness. That's where our trained Helper volunteers come in. They can visit you regularly to have a chat over a cup of tea, help you get to an appointment or just listen.

Jason Swain



Information and support

We help everyone affected by a terminal illness get the information and support they need, whether you have an illness yourself or you're a family member or friend.

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Antony McArdle/Marie Curie

How you can help



Support our work

You can help people with a terminal illness today by:

- making a donation
- setting up a regular donation via direct debit
- taking part in our fundraising events
- organising your own fundraising activity
- getting your company, school or network involved
- leaving a gift in your Will

Become a volunteer

Whether you fancy fundraising with friends in your local area or providing support in our hospices, offices or shops, we'll help you find the right volunteering opportunity to suit your interests and time commitments.

mariecurie.org.uk/getinvolved

Need our help?

Marie Curie Support Line

0800 090 2309*

(Open Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm)

Information about living with a terminal illness

mariecurie.org.uk/help

Marie Curie Community

community.mariecurie.org.uk

To find out more visit:

mariecurie.org.uk

To get help from a Marie Curie Nurse, ask your district nurse.

For care in one of our Marie Curie Hospices, talk to your nurse, GP or hospital consultant.

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