End of life and quality of life are often things people just do not want to contemplate. The time, however, may come, when you or your family are faced with the need for hospice services. The VNA of Manchester & Southern New Hampshire’s Hospice program provides services to those whose life is measured in days and weeks instead of years. The focus is on providing quality of life each and every day.

The staff include hospice nurses who are experts in pain and symptom management, working closely with the hospice medical staff and your physicians. Hospice aides provide personal care, light housework and meal preparation. Our chaplain and social workers provide spiritual counseling, assistance with resources, anticipatory grief counseling, and help with making arrangements. Our wonderful volunteers are busy bringing meals, sitting vigil, running errands, visiting, and providing support to you and your family. The result does have an impact and we know families are grateful.

There are people who could benefit now from hospice care. If you or someone you love would like to learn more, call the Manchester VNA at 622-3781. We are happy to respond to your questions and help you understand whether these quality of life services are timely.