

## Easy read

# Where you can be looked after

### In hospital



You can be looked after in hospital at the end of your life.



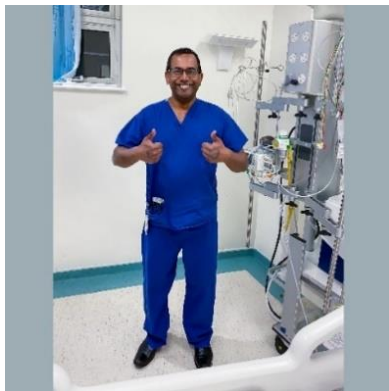
Doctors and nurses can talk to you about your treatment.



The healthcare team might do some tests.



They might check your blood pressure or breathing.



Your healthcare team try to find the best treatment for you.



They try to make sure you are not in pain.

## At home



Some people can be looked after in their own home at the end of life.



Your healthcare team can visit you at home to help look after you.



You can still go to hospital if you want to be treated there.

## In a hospice



Very sick people can sometimes be looked after in a hospice.



A hospice looks after people for free.



A hospice is less busy than hospital but doctors and nurses still look after you.



You can sometimes have your own room at a hospice.



Important people in your life can visit or stay with you. Examples are family, friends or support workers.



Some people might go to a hospice for a treatment and then come home again.

## In a care home



You can also be looked after in a care home.



A team of carers or nurses look after you at a care home.



Other people from your healthcare team like your GP might visit you.



Sometimes your local council or the NHS can pay for you to stay in a care home. You can get help to ask about this.



# Speak to someone



If you are worried or have questions you can speak to someone.



You can speak to your healthcare team.



They can give you more information.

