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Mission Statement

To ensure the safety, wellness and comfort of the citizens of Pike County through the delivery of exceptional care and preventive services.

History

The agency has a long history of providing preventive health care services to Pike County residents. Public Health Services have been provided since 1948, With Medicare/ Medicaid Home Health Services added in 1969. In 1993, Hospice was founded

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of care to you and
your family*



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Pike County Health Department, Home Health and Hospice



Upcoming Events:

- **FREE Cardiac Ultra Sound**
When: June 19th
Beginning at 9am
Where: Pike County Health Department Home Health and Hospice Office, 1 Health Care Place Bowling Green, Mo 63334
- **FREE Tdap Clinic**
When: July 1st, 15th, & 29th, 8am-4pm
Where: Pike County Health Department Home Health and Hospice Office, 1 Health Care Place Bowling Green, Mo 63334
- **Back to School Fair**
When: August 10th
9am-12pm
Where: Pike County Fairgrounds along U.S. Highway 54 East of Bowling Green

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Hospice Program Celebrates 20 Years of Service

We are very excited to announce that 2013 marks the Pike County Health Department, Home Health and Hospice's twentieth anniversary of our hospice program. Pike County Hospice has been providing specialized care to terminally ill patients and their loved ones for twenty years and we have had the privilege to work with over eight hundred and sixty five patients and counting. We are very proud of the hard work and dedication of all our employees, and all of our volunteers who have brought this program to what it is today.

Our staff has been working very hard over the past twenty years to provide the upmost level of care addressing physical, emotional, social, and the spiritual needs of Pike County's terminally ill residents and their loved ones. Our team works hand in hand with physicians, patients, and families to provide comfort when patients have a life-limiting illness that no longer responds to cure-oriented treatments. The goal of a hospice program as defined by the Hospice Foundation of America is "to improve the quality of a patient's last days by offering comfort and dignity" and this is a goal that we strongly follow and try to adapt every aspect of our hospice program towards achieving this.

Our well trained and educated staff puts the upmost

level of concern on addressing pain management with the patients. We are able to plan individualized pain management programs to deal with patients individual needs and along with this, our staff is able to monitor patients regularly in order to assess and reevaluate the programs dependent on patient needs.

Our staff is also well trained in communicating with loved ones and family about what to expect as the health of terminally ill patient continues to deteriorate. This has been a very important part of the hospice program over the past twenty years and we appreciate the level of empathy that our staff brings to our patients every day.

The emotional and supportive role that our staff provides after a patients passing, through our bereavement care is also worth noting. Our staff is able to provide grieving families with the upmost level of comfort and support during their time of need for up to thirteen months after the patients passing as well as offering additional bereavement support groups beyond the thirteen months if needed.

We are very proud of our staff and the level of care that we provide to Pike County and we hope to serve Pike County for many years to come.

How Can You Help

Make a Gift

Make a gift in celebration of Pike County Hospice's 20th Anniversary. Your gift will help bring loving, end-of-life care to hospice patients — many of whom are unable to pay for the assistance they need. *Learn more about making a donation to Pike County Hospice at <http://www.pikecountyhealth.org/donations.html>*

Volunteer

Volunteer and play a supportive role by providing care to patients and their families at the end of life. Compassionate volunteers are needed and specialized training is available. *Learn more about volunteering at Pike County Hospice at <http://www.pikecountyhealth.org/hospice.html>*



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Donations (January - April 2013)

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