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## **58018 Hospice Services**

"Hospice services" are outpatient services not paid byMedicare, that are designed to provide palliative care, alleviate the physical,emotional, social, and spiritual discomforts of an individual who isexperiencing the last phases of life due to the existence of a terminal disease, and to provide supportive care to the primary care giver and the family. Care may be provided by a skilled or unskilled person under a plan of care developed by a physician or a multidisciplinary team under medical direction.