



The below Palliative Performance Scale (PPS) is used to determine the eligibility for admission. To be eligible for hospice, patients must be rated at 50% or lower for conditions related to the terminal diagnosis.

### Palliative Performance Scale

%	Ambulation	Activity Level and Evidence of Disease	Self-Care	Intake	Level of Consciousness
100	Full	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal</li> <li>• No disease evident</li> </ul>	Full	Normal	Full
90	Full	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal</li> <li>• Some disease evident</li> </ul>	Full	Normal	Full
80	Full	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal with effort</li> <li>• Some disease evident</li> </ul>	Full	Normal or Reduced	Full
70	Reduced	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unable to perform normal job/work</li> <li>• Some disease evident</li> </ul>	Full	As above	Full
60	Reduced	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unable to perform any job/work</li> <li>• Significant disease</li> </ul>	Occasional assistance needed	As above	Full or confusion
50	Mainly Sit / Lie	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unable to perform any job/work</li> <li>• Extensive disease</li> </ul>	Considerable assistance needed	As above	Full or confusion
40	Mainly in Bed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As above</li> </ul>	Mainly assistance	As above	Full or drowsy or confusion
30	Bed Bound	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As above</li> </ul>	Total care	Reduced	As above
20	Bed Bound	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As above</li> </ul>	As above	Minimal	As above
10	Bed Bound	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As above</li> </ul>	As above	Mouth care only	Drowsy or coma
0	Death				