

Mental Health Needs of Sweetwater Adoration Hospice Patients

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Importance of this Research

- For the Development of the Social Work Toolkit
- To establish needs of the community served
- To determine the need for this special project

Emotional Support Services

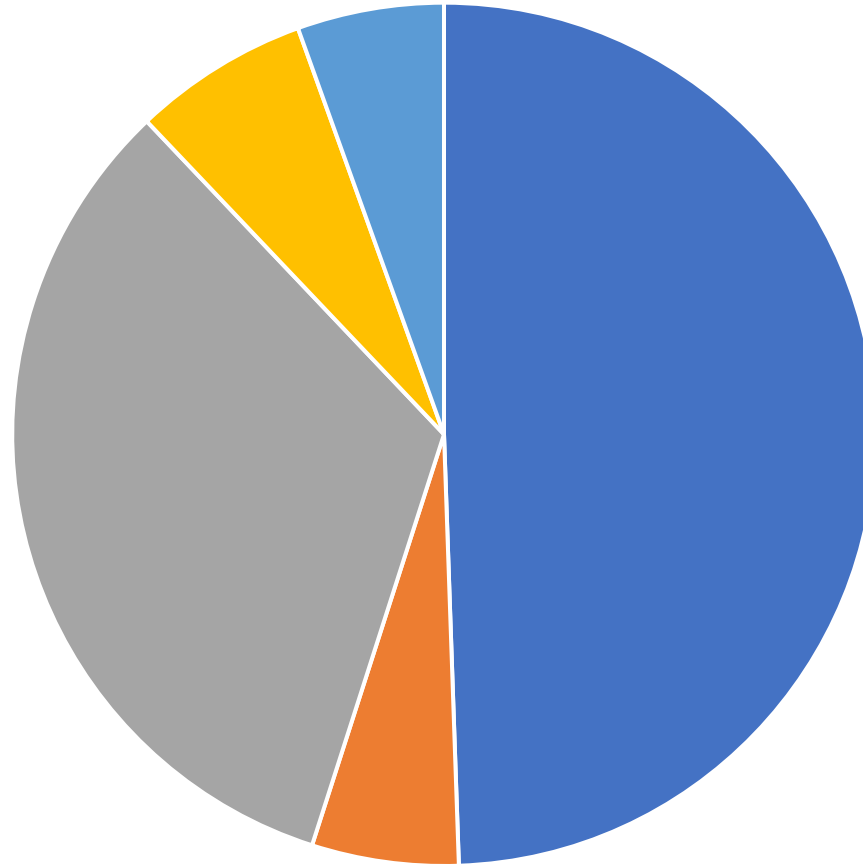
Patients in need of emotional support services at time of research identified by their care plan.

A total of 24/32 patients are on services for Coping and Anticipatory Greif Services at time of data collection.

This means that they are care planned to receive clinical support services from the Social Worker

Out of these 24, 20 have a diagnosed mental illness. That equals 83%

Diagnosed Mental Illness
March Patients



■ Anxiety Disorder ■ Schizophrenia ■ Major Depressive Disorder ■ Delusional Disorder ■ PTSD

Conclusions

- This special project is needed as many patients are seeking emotional support in addition to other case management related needs.
- Anxiety is the most common diagnosis, followed by depression. I will reflect this in my special project.