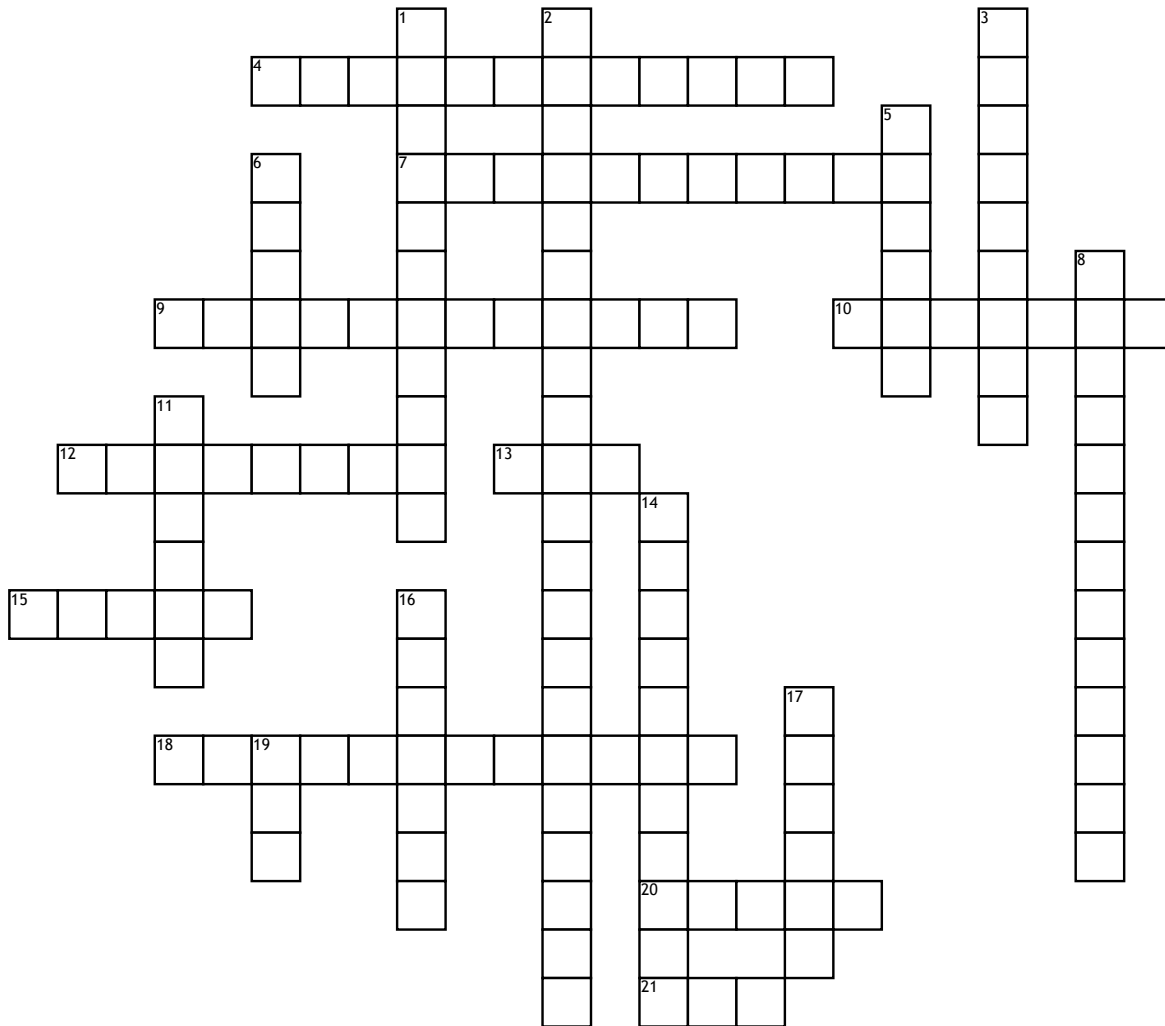


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National Hospice & Palliative Care Month 2019 Puzzle #1



Across

4. Hospice _____ are nurses who oversee the direction and coordination of a patient's care – and the care provided for their caregivers and family – throughout their time in hospice.
7. Scotland Regional Hospice's Medical Director is Dr. _____.
9. In South Carolina, Scotland Regional Hospice serves residents living in areas of Marlboro, Dillon, and _____ counties.
10. In North Carolina, Scotland Regional Hospice serves residents living in areas of Scotland, Richmond, Hoke, and _____ counties.
12. Spiritual assessment, intervention, comfort, and nurturing are services provided by the hospice _____.
13. A person is eligible for hospice care with Scotland Regional Hospice when a physician has determined that his/her life expectancy is _____ months or less.
15. Hospice care offers pain and symptom management while helping patients reach their _____ in the time that is left.

18. The role of a hospice _____ is to advocate for each patient's end-of-life wishes and help individuals address the emotional aspects of late-stage illnesses.
20. _____ is a normal process that can leave people feeling lonely or unable to cope after losing a loved one.
21. Hospice represents only _____ percent of Medicare spending. Hospice care provides quality care to the terminally ill while saving the health care system money; about \$2,800 per Medicare beneficiary per a recent Duke study.

Down

1. The _____ counselors at Scotland Regional Hospice are committed to the health and well-being of people anticipating or affected by the death of a loved one.
2. Hospice uses the combined knowledge and skills of the _____ to design a specific plan of care for each patient.
3. Medicare requires that _____ hours equal at least five percent of Scotland Regional Hospice's total patient care hours.

5. Hospice treats the _____ instead of the disease.
6. If a patient has had more than _____ hospital admissions in six months or less, please call Scotland Regional Hospice for an evaluation.
8. Scotland Regional Hospice Inpatient Facility
11. Hospice focuses on the _____ instead of just the patient.
14. Scotland Regional Hospice holds a _____ memorial service annually in November. The service is held as a remembrance of those we have lost in the last year. This year's service will take place on November 21.
16. Hospice emphasizes the _____ of life.
17. The most common statement made by families who chose hospice for their loved one is, "We wish we had known about hospice _____."
19. A hospice _____ assists with various personal care issues including changing bedding, changing clothing, bathing hospice patients and helping with hygienic routines such as brushing teeth and washing hair.