

# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type

## Alaska

### 5 Hospices

In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	135	57.4%	145.0
Revocation	71	30.2%	67.2
Beneficiary transfer	15	6.4%	104.1
Moved out of service area	14	6.0%	47.3
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>113.1</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Alabama**  
**93 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
Revocation	6,792	43.6%	140.5
No longer terminally ill	5,514	35.4%	270.2
Beneficiary transfer	1,896	12.2%	160.2
Moved out of service area	1,126	7.2%	144.8
Discharged for cause	253	1.6%	175.6
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>15,581</b>	<b>20.2%</b>	<b>189.7</b>

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Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Arkansas**  
**46 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	2,082	39.5%	231.1
Revocation	1,777	33.7%	110.2
Beneficiary transfer	1,074	20.4%	104.9
Moved out of service area	232	4.4%	129.2
Discharged for cause	102	1.9%	152.0
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>5,267</b>	<b>11.7%</b>	<b>158.6</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type

## Arizona

### 141 Hospices

In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	6,502	37.9%	247.2
Revocation	5,363	31.3%	106.8
Beneficiary transfer	3,127	18.2%	121.3
Moved out of service area	1,815	10.6%	103.1
Discharged for cause	328	1.9%	192.6
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>17,135</b>	<b>17.2%</b>	<b>163.9</b>

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type California

**998 Hospices**  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	31,198	38.4%	240.0
Revocation	30,082	37.1%	109.9
Beneficiary transfer	12,146	15.0%	133.4
Moved out of service area	6,038	7.4%	107.9
Discharged for cause	1,690	2.1%	167.6
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>81,154</b>	<b>21.8%</b>	<b>164.5</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Colorado**  
**71 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	3,400	47.4%	215.2
Revocation	2,184	30.4%	103.7
Beneficiary transfer	1,316	18.3%	129.1
Moved out of service area	236	3.3%	128.9
Discharged for cause	39	0.5%	120.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>7,175</b>	<b>13.2%</b>	<b>162.1</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Connecticut**  
**30 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	2,195	53.5%	192.3
Revocation	1,010	24.6%	61.4
Beneficiary transfer	621	15.1%	113.3
Moved out of service area	239	5.8%	79.8
Discharged for cause	35	0.9%	141.6
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>9.7%</b>	<b>141.1</b>

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**Note:** The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type District of Columbia

## 4 Hospices In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
Revocation	288	43.0%	120.0
No longer terminally ill	183	27.3%	215.3
Moved out of service area	86	12.8%	93.1
Beneficiary transfer	72	10.7%	77.9
Discharged for cause	41	6.1%	162.5
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>19.1%</b>	<b>140.6</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Delaware**  
**11 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,162	55.2%	221.8
Revocation	487	23.1%	92.8
Beneficiary transfer	374	17.8%	98.4
Moved out of service area	83	3.9%	85.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>2,106</b>	<b>13.7%</b>	<b>164.7</b>

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**Note:** The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Florida

## 44 Hospices In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	18,143	39.7%	248.1
Revocation	17,503	38.3%	106.0
Beneficiary transfer	4,885	10.7%	124.5
Moved out of service area	4,670	10.2%	131.0
Discharged for cause	550	1.2%	121.1
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>45,751</b>	<b>13.7%</b>	<b>167.1</b>

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**Note:** The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Georgia**  
**202 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
Revocation	7,876	35.0%	130.1
No longer terminally ill	7,528	33.4%	244.2
Beneficiary transfer	4,979	22.1%	160.9
Moved out of service area	1,936	8.6%	138.1
Discharged for cause	189	0.8%	182.2
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>22,508</b>	<b>18.7%</b>	<b>176.2</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Hawaii**  
**10 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,109	60.0%	247.1
Revocation	414	22.4%	72.1
Moved out of service area	186	10.1%	78.2
Beneficiary transfer	123	6.7%	106.3
Discharged for cause	16	0.9%	65.5
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>1,848</b>	<b>12.6%</b>	<b>180.0</b>

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## Iowa

### 76 Hospices

In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	3,427	64.1%	205.2
Revocation	1,211	22.7%	95.1
Beneficiary transfer	565	10.6%	103.3
Moved out of service area	103	1.9%	105.8
Discharged for cause	39	0.7%	173.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>5,345</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	<b>167.3</b>

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Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Idaho

## 49 Hospices In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,266	39.4%	216.6
Revocation	1,153	35.9%	121.5
Beneficiary transfer	630	19.6%	156.4
Moved out of service area	127	4.0%	142.4
Discharged for cause	37	1.2%	170.6
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>3,213</b>	<b>14.5%</b>	<b>167.2</b>

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Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Illinois

**125 Hospices**  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	6,707	53.6%	208.8
Revocation	3,264	26.1%	96.2
Beneficiary transfer	1,815	14.5%	112.8
Moved out of service area	562	4.5%	98.2
Discharged for cause	157	1.3%	179.2
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>12,505</b>	<b>9.0%</b>	<b>160.1</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Indiana**  
**84 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,389	42.8%	230.9
Revocation	3,694	36.0%	100.2
Beneficiary transfer	1,478	14.4%	145.1
Moved out of service area	522	5.1%	124.4
Discharged for cause	169	1.6%	145.4
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>10,252</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>164.6</b>

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Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Kansas**  
**73 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	2,535	46.4%	237.7
Revocation	1,799	32.9%	113.0
Beneficiary transfer	855	15.6%	119.8
Moved out of service area	229	4.2%	115.5
Discharged for cause	49	0.9%	155.1
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>5,467</b>	<b>13.9%</b>	<b>172.3</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Kentucky**  
**23 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,888	42.8%	207.2
Revocation	1,782	40.4%	70.2
Moved out of service area	415	9.4%	87.9
Beneficiary transfer	252	5.7%	80.7
Discharged for cause	72	1.6%	137.0
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>4,409</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	<b>132.2</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Louisiana**  
**125 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	3,951	43.2%	223.2
Revocation	2,589	28.3%	139.9
Beneficiary transfer	1,731	18.9%	157.3
Moved out of service area	638	7.0%	126.8
Discharged for cause	243	2.7%	187.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>9,152</b>	<b>15.0%</b>	<b>179.5</b>

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Massachusetts

**71 Hospices  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,144	42.5%	241.0
Revocation	2,971	30.5%	95.1
Beneficiary transfer	1,487	15.3%	105.0
Moved out of service area	1,011	10.4%	106.7
Discharged for cause	132	1.4%	149.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>9,745</b>	<b>12.2%</b>	<b>160.6</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Maryland**  
**25 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	3,994	55.3%	235.8
Revocation	1,957	27.1%	100.9
Beneficiary transfer	718	9.9%	96.0
Moved out of service area	476	6.6%	117.7
Discharged for cause	81	1.1%	97.0
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>7,226</b>	<b>11.7%</b>	<b>176.0</b>

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type

## Maine

### 14 Hospices

In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	990	45.7%	220.0
Revocation	694	32.0%	90.9
Beneficiary transfer	331	15.3%	84.0
Moved out of service area	119	5.5%	86.2
Discharged for cause	33	1.5%	180.3
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>2,167</b>	<b>10.4%</b>	<b>149.9</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Michigan**  
**129 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	6,170	40.4%	234.0
Revocation	5,093	33.4%	116.0
Beneficiary transfer	2,922	19.1%	117.2
Moved out of service area	905	5.9%	116.5
Discharged for cause	178	1.2%	149.2
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>15,268</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	<b>164.4</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Minnesota**  
**73 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,162	55.8%	192.7
Revocation	1,517	20.3%	88.0
Beneficiary transfer	1,245	16.7%	111.3
Moved out of service area	439	5.9%	95.6
Discharged for cause	95	1.3%	178.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>7,458</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>151.9</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Missouri**  
**119 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	6,805	54.7%	221.0
Revocation	2,963	23.8%	118.8
Beneficiary transfer	2,066	16.6%	124.2
Moved out of service area	431	3.5%	103.9
Discharged for cause	172	1.4%	142.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>12,437</b>	<b>14.0%</b>	<b>175.4</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Mississippi**  
**90 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,227	45.1%	225.8
Revocation	2,950	31.5%	137.6
Beneficiary transfer	1,424	15.2%	140.1
Moved out of service area	635	6.8%	146.2
Discharged for cause	130	1.4%	141.3
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>9,366</b>	<b>21.8%</b>	<b>178.4</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Montana**  
**29 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,028	68.9%	155.9
Revocation	294	19.7%	83.6
Beneficiary transfer	133	8.9%	94.6
Discharged for cause	18	1.2%	133.1
Moved out of service area	18	1.2%	118.3
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>1,491</b>	<b>11.9%</b>	<b>135.4</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type North Carolina

**79 Hospices**  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	7,785	50.3%	216.8
Revocation	4,800	31.0%	105.3
Beneficiary transfer	2,141	13.8%	96.7
Moved out of service area	640	4.1%	125.3
Discharged for cause	110	0.7%	135.7
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>15,476</b>	<b>12.2%</b>	<b>161.2</b>

**Note:** Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

**Note:** The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

**Source:** Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**North Dakota**  
**13 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	345	51.0%	193.3
Revocation	274	40.5%	104.0
Moved out of service area	32	4.7%	99.0
Beneficiary transfer	25	3.7%	81.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>9.4%</b>	<b>148.5</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Nebraska**  
**38 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,041	49.5%	218.8
Revocation	666	31.7%	106.0
Beneficiary transfer	271	12.9%	97.9
Discharged for cause	66	3.1%	194.7
Moved out of service area	57	2.7%	118.2
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>2,101</b>	<b>9.0%</b>	<b>163.9</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**New Hampshire**  
**23 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	742	44.5%	223.8
Revocation	524	31.4%	91.8
Beneficiary transfer	271	16.2%	102.1
Moved out of service area	80	4.8%	79.9
Discharged for cause	51	3.1%	195.6
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>1,668</b>	<b>10.9%</b>	<b>154.8</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**New Jersey**  
**56 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,500	44.1%	252.0
Revocation	3,073	30.1%	88.8
Beneficiary transfer	1,535	15.0%	101.6
Moved out of service area	858	8.4%	103.7
Discharged for cause	234	2.3%	188.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>10,200</b>	<b>10.9%</b>	<b>166.3</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**New Mexico**  
**43 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,623	42.7%	203.3
Revocation	968	25.5%	106.5
Beneficiary transfer	832	21.9%	129.5
Moved out of service area	228	6.0%	103.6
Discharged for cause	149	3.9%	185.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>3,800</b>	<b>15.6%</b>	<b>155.8</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Nevada

## 51 Hospices In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
Revocation	2,084	37.0%	89.8
No longer terminally ill	1,861	33.0%	227.3
Beneficiary transfer	914	16.2%	140.6
Moved out of service area	657	11.7%	98.3
Discharged for cause	115	2.0%	98.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>5,631</b>	<b>16.9%</b>	<b>144.7</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**New York**  
**45 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	6,417	42.3%	205.9
Revocation	5,250	34.6%	96.0
Moved out of service area	2,630	17.3%	77.6
Beneficiary transfer	795	5.2%	71.8
Discharged for cause	77	0.5%	140.5
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>15,169</b>	<b>12.0%</b>	<b>138.3</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Ohio

**142 Hospices**  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	9,921	46.5%	234.0
Revocation	6,192	29.0%	110.7
Beneficiary transfer	4,029	18.9%	135.5
Moved out of service area	890	4.2%	135.6
Discharged for cause	317	1.5%	120.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>21,349</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>173.9</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Oklahoma**  
**120 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	3,434	37.7%	237.5
Revocation	2,674	29.4%	122.3
Beneficiary transfer	1,764	19.4%	151.3
Moved out of service area	1,051	11.5%	133.7
Discharged for cause	183	2.0%	144.4
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>9,106</b>	<b>16.5%</b>	<b>173.1</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Oregon

**54 Hospices**  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	3,651	59.3%	168.8
Revocation	1,394	22.6%	79.0
Beneficiary transfer	737	12.0%	98.3
Moved out of service area	285	4.6%	84.4
Discharged for cause	89	1.4%	89.7
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>6,156</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>135.0</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Pennsylvania**  
**178 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	11,549	51.1%	227.9
Revocation	6,592	29.2%	107.1
Beneficiary transfer	3,016	13.3%	101.8
Moved out of service area	1,194	5.3%	119.3
Discharged for cause	250	1.1%	164.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>22,601</b>	<b>12.2%</b>	<b>169.4</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Puerto Rico**  
**43 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	3,804	59.8%	285.0
Revocation	1,857	29.2%	111.5
Moved out of service area	345	5.4%	182.7
Beneficiary transfer	286	4.5%	89.3
Discharged for cause	71	1.1%	216.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>6,363</b>	<b>28.7%</b>	<b>219.3</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Rhode Island

## 7 Hospices In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	732	40.1%	277.3
Revocation	647	35.4%	135.6
Moved out of service area	233	12.8%	96.9
Beneficiary transfer	198	10.8%	100.0
Discharged for cause	16	0.9%	196.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>1,826</b>	<b>10.8%</b>	<b>184.1</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type South Carolina

**80 Hospices**  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	5,312	37.6%	232.5
Revocation	4,592	32.5%	126.4
Beneficiary transfer	2,561	18.1%	180.8
Moved out of service area	1,390	9.9%	140.1
Discharged for cause	256	1.8%	235.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>14,111</b>	<b>19.2%</b>	<b>179.6</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**South Dakota**  
**15 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	411	43.5%	179.8
Revocation	309	32.7%	91.8
Beneficiary transfer	177	18.7%	59.9
Moved out of service area	37	3.9%	59.6
Discharged for cause	11	1.2%	156.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>945</b>	<b>10.0%</b>	<b>123.6</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

Source: Medicare Fee-for-Service Claims

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Tennessee**  
**55 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,042	41.1%	235.5
Revocation	3,667	37.3%	100.8
Beneficiary transfer	1,380	14.0%	127.4
Moved out of service area	605	6.1%	115.2
Discharged for cause	146	1.5%	123.8
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>9,840</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>161.1</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Texas

## 636 Hospices In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	20,101	38.7%	232.1
Revocation	16,372	31.5%	127.9
Beneficiary transfer	11,529	22.2%	177.5
Moved out of service area	3,021	5.8%	125.3
Discharged for cause	950	1.8%	162.3
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>51,973</b>	<b>17.7%</b>	<b>179.7</b>

Note: Live discharges are identified as discharges where the patient discharge status code is not equal to 40 (expired at home), 41 (expired in a medical facility) or 42 (expired place unknown). This report is limited to displaying the types of live discharges for which there were a total of at least 11 occurrences during the three fiscal years. Average length of stay is calculated by dividing the total number of days beneficiaries received services from the hospice by the total number of that type of live discharge.

Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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# State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type Utah

## 85 Hospices In Descending Order by Total Episodes

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	2,668	45.7%	225.0
Revocation	1,619	27.7%	131.5
Beneficiary transfer	1,342	23.0%	164.7
Moved out of service area	121	2.1%	145.0
Discharged for cause	92	1.6%	154.2
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>5,842</b>	<b>18.6%</b>	<b>182.5</b>

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Note: The proportion for All Live Discharges is the proportion for all episodes ending by death or alive

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type  
Virginia  
98 Hospices  
In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,743	43.5%	208.7
Revocation	4,016	36.8%	111.6
Beneficiary transfer	1,332	12.2%	107.8
Moved out of service area	680	6.2%	103.2
Discharged for cause	133	1.2%	111.5
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>10,904</b>	<b>12.6%</b>	<b>152.8</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Vermont**  
**10 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	341	40.9%	146.9
Revocation	300	36.0%	126.4
Beneficiary transfer	161	19.3%	130.0
Moved out of service area	31	3.7%	75.2
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>833</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	<b>133.6</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Washington**  
**32 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,851	60.9%	185.8
Revocation	2,042	25.6%	76.0
Moved out of service area	468	5.9%	85.9
Beneficiary transfer	376	4.7%	95.3
Discharged for cause	231	2.9%	145.9
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>7,968</b>	<b>11.3%</b>	<b>146.4</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**Wisconsin**  
**73 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	4,066	47.9%	233.5
Revocation	2,596	30.6%	107.0
Beneficiary transfer	1,184	13.9%	106.5
Moved out of service area	403	4.7%	104.7
Discharged for cause	240	2.8%	194.2
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>8,489</b>	<b>10.6%</b>	<b>169.8</b>

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**State-Level Hospice Q4FY19 Live Discharges by Type**  
**West Virginia**  
**20 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	1,547	50.2%	227.9
Revocation	877	28.4%	125.0
Moved out of service area	315	10.2%	115.5
Beneficiary transfer	275	8.9%	124.6
Discharged for cause	69	2.2%	99.4
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>3,083</b>	<b>11.6%</b>	<b>175.1</b>

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**Wyoming**  
**15 Hospices**  
**In Descending Order by Total Episodes**

Type of Live Discharge	Total Episodes	Proportion of Live Discharge Episodes	State Average Length of Stay (in Days)
No longer terminally ill	174	53.5%	115.4
Revocation	121	37.2%	81.2
Beneficiary transfer	30	9.2%	34.7
<b>All Live Discharges</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>8.8%</b>	<b>95.3</b>

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