

making moments matter

ASIS: AseraCare Serious Illness Support Form

AseraCare Serious Illness Support (ASIS) offers person/family-centered support in dealing with the challenges of a changing disease trajectory.

The ASIS team:

- Fills gaps of care for those persons diagnosed with a serious life-limiting illness
- Offers a comprehensive person/family-centered assessment to determine needs based on social determinants of health that affect illness
- Promotes shared decision-making with the person/family for advance care planning and goals of care
- Works in collaboration with the primary care physician, NP or medical team
- Supports triage of after-hours and weekend calls through the RN Call Center
- Educates each person/family to maintain safe care in the home
- Coordinates community resources as needed
- Navigates each person/family through complex illness changes
- Transitions each person/family to appropriate providers of care as needs change and as directed by the primary care physician

Support Services Needed			
EDUCATION	COORDINATION	NAVIGATION	TRANSITION
Advanced Care Planning	DME/Supplies	Complex Care Needs	Home Health
Disease Progression	Spiritual Services	Transportation Services	Hospice
Safety Needs	Personal Home Care	Physician Services	Skilled Nursing Facility
Community Supportive Care	Community Supportive Care	Community Supportive Care	Community Supportive Care

Who could benefit from ASIS?

Consider referral if:

- The patient has a serious life-limiting illness of 12 months or less
- Has had one or more ED visits within past 12 months
- One or more hospitalizations within the past 12 months
- Hospital readmission within past 30 days
- Decline in function, feeding intolerance, frequent falls, or unintended decline in weight
- Has advanced disease trajectory with dementia, CHF, liver disease, renal disease, COPD/lung disease
- Complex care requirements
- Needs to complete advance careplanning and define goals of care
- High risk factors for hospitalization: caregiver fatigue or lack of adequate home support, family conflict, social isolation, unresolved spiritual or emotional issues, non-adherence to plans of care, financial or environmental issues

Caring for moments that matter, one person, one family, and one community at a time.





