

Death & Dying

CONTINUING CARE SERVICES

Kaiser Permanente Services

Bioethics Department..... 619-528-5213

Chaplain (San Diego Medical Center) 858-266-7900
San Marcos Medical Center.....442-385-7750
Zion Medical Center 619-528-5188

Decedent Affairs (San Diego Medical Center) 858-266-3233
San Marcos Medical Center 442-385-7250
Zion Medical Center 619-528-5596

Hospice/Palliative Care/Bereavement Program..... 619-641-4100

Community Services

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AARP Grief and Loss Programs
Caregiver Support 877-333-5885
Caregiver Support (Spanish) 888-971-2013
https://www.aarp.org/home-family/caregiving/grief-and-loss/

Coalition for Compassionate Care (resources and forms)
www.coalitionccc.org

Empty Cradle (for families who have lost an infant)..... 619-573-6515
www.emptycradle.org

<u>Hospice Agencies in San Diego</u>

Accent Care 855-812-1136
www.accentcare.com

Apreva Hospice 619-450-4414
www.aprevahospice.com

Avalon Hospice..... 858-751-0315
www.avalonhospice.com

http://continuingcare-sandiego.kp.org KAISER PERMANENTE®

Hospice Agencies in San Diego (*continued*)

Elizabeth Hospice ……800-797-2050
http://elizabethhospice.org …… 760-737-2050

Hospice by the Sea …… 858-794-0195
http://hospicebythesea.org

Hospice of the North Coast …….. 760-431-4100
http://hospicenorthcoast.org

Kindred Hospice ……. 866-546-3733
www.kindredhealthcare.com …… 858-565-2499

Lightbridge Hospice …… 858-458-2992
http://lightbridgehospice.com

Sharp Hospice Care……800-681-9188
www.sharp.com/hospice …… 619-667-1900

Silverado Hospice ……... 888-328-4558
www.silveradohospice.com …… 858-565-1005

Vitas Hospice ……(toll free) ……855-806-7700
https://www.vitas.com/

Hospice Foundation of America……...800-854-3402
www.hospicefoundation.org

Life Sharing Community Organ Donation……(available 24/7)……888-423-6667
www.lifesharing.org ……619-543-7225

San Diego County Medical Examiner……...858-694-2895
www.sdcounty.ca.gov/me

San Diego Eye Bank…… 800-393-2265
www.sdeb.org …… 858-694-0400

The Compassionate Friends…… 619-583-1555
www.sdtcf.org

UCSD (Body Donation)……(available 24/7)…… 866-362-5592
http://meded.ucsd.edu/index.cfm/body_donation_program ...858-534-4536

Helpful Terms
Hospice - A philosophy of comfort care for the terminally ill. Hospice programs attend to the emotional, spiritual, and physical needs of the terminally ill and their families.

For burial/funeral arrangements refer to phone directory yellow pages under "Funeral Directors" *www.yellowpages.com*

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