

# Hospice Cost Reporting

The professional staff at The Health Group, LLC has been serving hospices since the inception of the Medicare hospice benefit. Our hospice cost reporting clients include proprietary, tax-exempt, freestanding, provider-based, small, and national hospice chain providers.

Quality cost report services require a thorough understanding of hospice activities generally, an understanding of the client's services and activities, an understanding of the client's financial and recordkeeping capabilities, and an understanding of not only hospice and general cost reporting requirements. The Health Group, LLC is committed to being a hospice industry leader on hospice cost reporting and other hospice financial and compliance needs. Our proactive commitment to the hospice industry and our hospice clients is demonstrated in all the services we provide including hospice cost reporting.

While our affiliate, Gray Griffith & Mays – Morgantown, PLLC, provides tax and financial reporting services for many of our hospice clients, we also work closely with other accounting firms, who may be servicing our cost reporting clients. This cooperation provides for consistency between financial reporting, tax filings, and cost report filings.

## State Cost Report Filings

Many of our hospice clients are required to make state cost report and/or other financial filings. We regularly prepare these reports. Our experience with required federal and state filings allows us to readily adapt to unique filings that may be required of the hospice.

## Hospice Alert

The Health Group, LLC publishes the "Hospice Alert", a complimentary email service updating our clients and professional associates of hospice financial issues of importance to the financial management of hospice providers. Topics include compliance, regulatory, and operational issues in addition to financial issues.

## Other Services to Hospices

In addition to cost report services we are available to provide accounting, tax, financial reporting, CAP reporting and assessment, corporate compliance, Medicare enrollment, state licensure, and other financial and consulting services to our hospice clients. Contact us at [contact@healthgroup.com](mailto:contact@healthgroup.com) or (304) 241-1261 to discuss your financial, compliance, cost reporting, or other consulting needs.

