

TRU Triumphs 2015

Throughout 2015, TRU Community Care continued to serve our communities with compassionate care. We have worked to embody our tagline, "What TRULY Matters," providing excellent medical care as well as emotional and spiritual support. As we look back on our accomplishments in 2015, we honor and celebrate the lives of the many patients and families we served.

DURING 2015

We served **1,411** patients and families who were living with a terminal illness or with an advanced disease, offering our expert medical, emotional, and spiritual care and support.

- **1,153** received hospice only
- **258** received palliative home health services with social work counseling
- **422** stayed at the TRU Hospice Care Center at some point during their treatment

112 individuals received a physician consult for guidance, goal setting and symptom management

62% of patients received care for 30 days or fewer – many families told us they wish they had contacted us sooner in the disease trajectory

2,219 TRU Hospice family members received up to 13 months of individual or family grief counseling

659 adults participated in TRU Hospice support groups

186 children and teens participated in Healing Circles groups

We provided **\$67,495** in indigent services for patients who sought our help, but lacked the means to pay

IN THE COMMUNITY

In 2015, 385 volunteers dedicated 24,958 hours (equal to 12 full-time positions) to care for patients and their families, walk alongside those who were grieving, assist with administrative tasks, and staff the TRU Hospice Thrift Shop.

During 2015, 50% of patients were touched by volunteers. Some of the unique services provided by volunteers included 175 hours of our Pet Companion services, 200 hours of Veteran-to-Veteran companionship, and 250 hours of Comfort Touch, a specially developed acupressure therapy that serves as a massage alternative for elderly patients.

Volunteers have been particularly invaluable to the success of our TRU Hospice Thrift Shop, where 105 volunteers logged hours in 2015. Of those, 38 were new volunteers. These efforts contributed to a 14 percent growth in revenue for the shop over 2014, generating funds to support our hospice services.

879 children, teens and adults participated in educational community presentations at schools, faith communities, businesses and medical facilities.

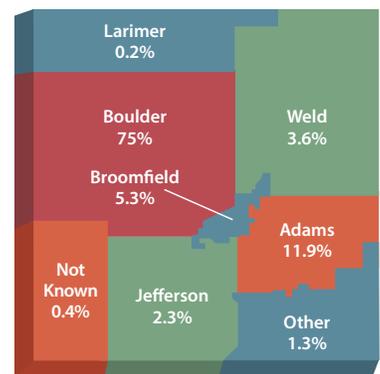
NEW IN 2015

Building project - We broke ground on a new 22,582 square-foot building near our existing Lafayette offices that will house our grief services and the new TRU PACE program (Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly.) We also launched our capital campaign to raise \$6 million for the building. By the end of 2015, we were almost halfway toward that goal. Construction is slated to be finished in spring of 2016.

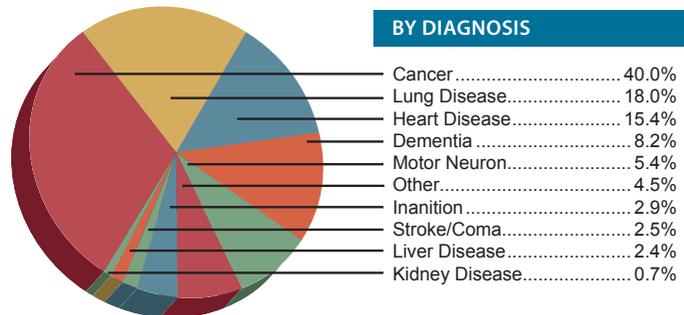
Community accolades - TRU was recognized by the Boulder County Area Agency on Aging's Age Well Boulder County plan as a shining example of a program that works to provide necessary services to an aging population. We are grateful to Boulder County, individuals and foundations that have supported our capital campaign.

Consolidation - In summer 2014, Hospice of Northern Colorado (now known as TRU Hospice of Northern Colorado) and TRU Community Care consolidated our operations to better provide services. We have been working to integrate our brands so that our services are effective and seamless for people in both communities.

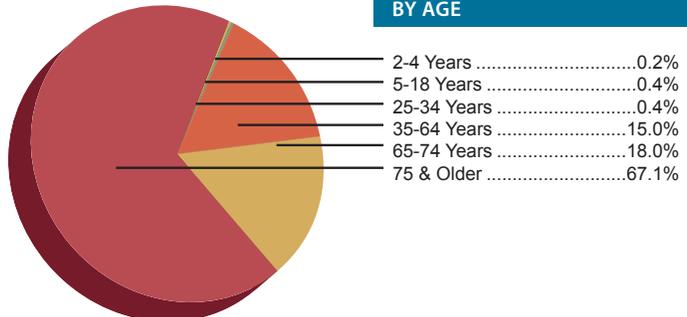
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BY AGE



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