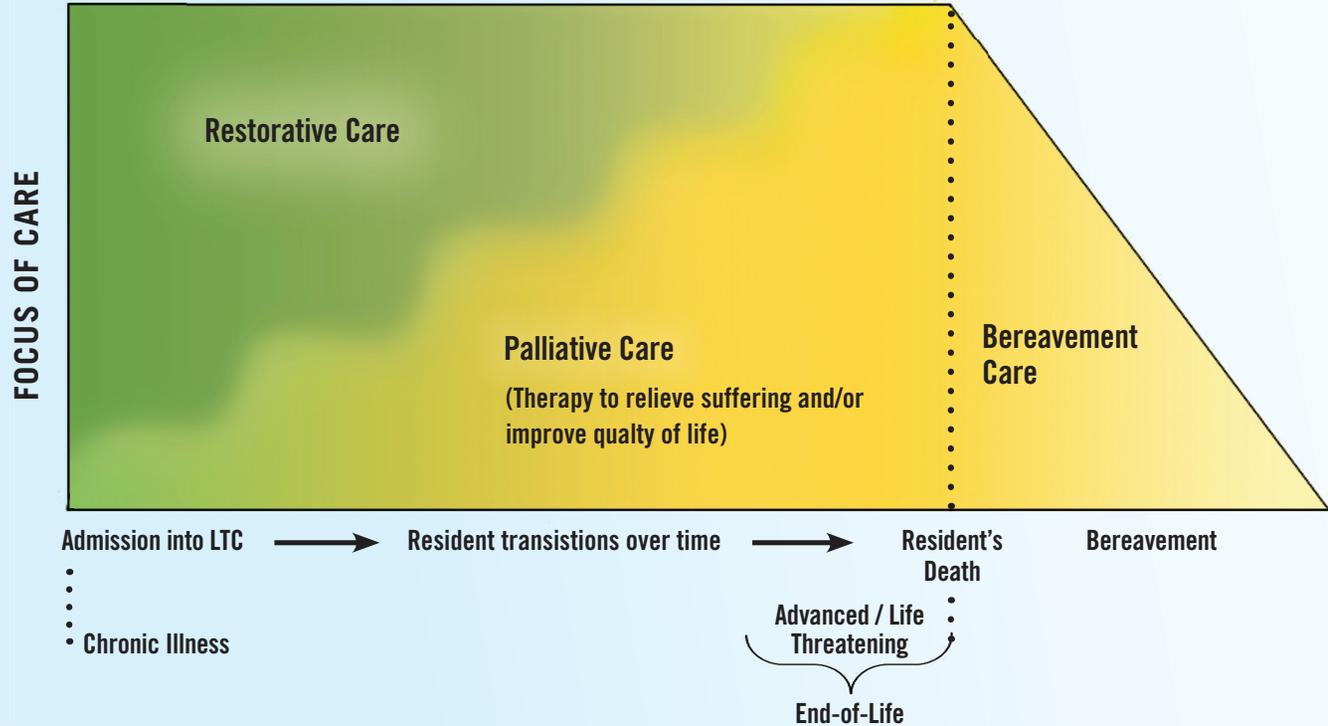


# Providing *Care For Life*: Resident Transitions In Long Term Care



## Philosophy of Palliative Approach

- Residents are treated as unique, whole persons
- Residents are decision-makers in their own lives and care
- Residents' choices, wishes, values and goals are respected
- Residents are supported to care for themselves
- Staff focus on relationships as the core process in quality care
- Staff respect that they work in the residents' home
- Staff advocate for residents wishes and goals
- Staff act on resident and family concerns
- Staff maximize residents' comfort, dignity and quality of life
- Staff provide excellent pain and symptom control
- Staff value interdependence amongst residents, families and staff
- Staff work as a team
- Staff support residents and families emotionally, socially, spiritually and culturally
- Staff include families in care planning until the death of the resident
- Staff support family's grief and loss at death
- Staff support other residents' grief and loss

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