Hospice Emanuel Foundation

A community palliative care service for adults and children with advanced incurable diseases

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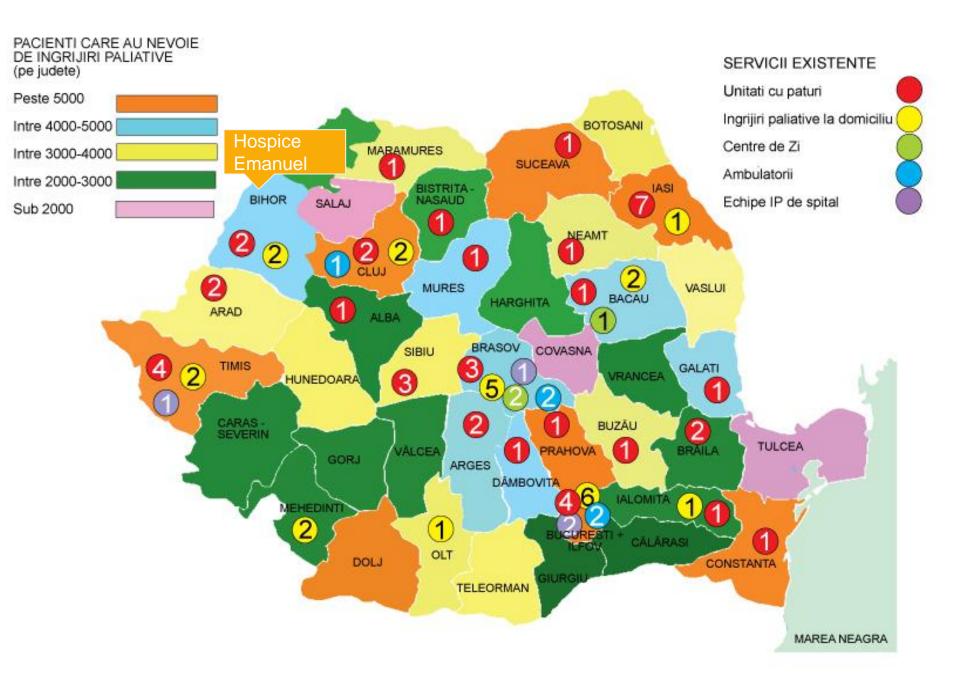
The need for Hospice Care in Romania

- 60,000 Romanians die of cancer every year
- the majority suffer severe pain in their last months of life
- < 8% of the Romanians who need PC have access to it

The need for Hospice Care in Bihor County

- over 2,000 people are diagnosed with cancer every year in Bihor County
- 5 people are diagnosed with cancer every day
- over 1,400 people die of cancer every year

Currently Hospice Emanuel covers 14% of the needs for palliative care annually



Mission

to provide in the spirit of Christian love and compassion an optimal quality of life to the patients with advanced incurable diseases from our community

Hospice Emanuel

- the 2nd palliative home care service in Romania
- 2176 adults and 252 children cared between 1996 2015
- role in the promotion of the "hospice" and "palliative care" concepts
- role in advocacy for the rights of terminally ill patients and promotion of legislation





Beneficiaries

Adults

with a confirmed diagnosis of advanced cancer who live in Oradea + 15 km and their families





Children

Pediatric patients*



Siblings of patients



Children of adult pts



*diagnosed with a life threatening condition who live in Oradea + 50 km early and increasing involvement of PC services

Services

- medical and nursing services
- psychological counselling
- social assistance services
- spiritual support
- bereavement support
- volunteering services

All services are free of charge and provided without discrimination to the eligible patients

Services









The Hospice Emanuel Team

The interdisciplinary team consists of:

- physicians (2)
- nurses (5)
- social workers (1)
- psychologist (1)
- spiritual coordinator (0.25)
- volunteer coordinator (0.5)
- and volunteers (60)

with training in palliative care

+ administrative staff (4)



2015 Report

231 adults

47 children

150 bereaved families

6333 Medical visits



1809 Psychosocial visits

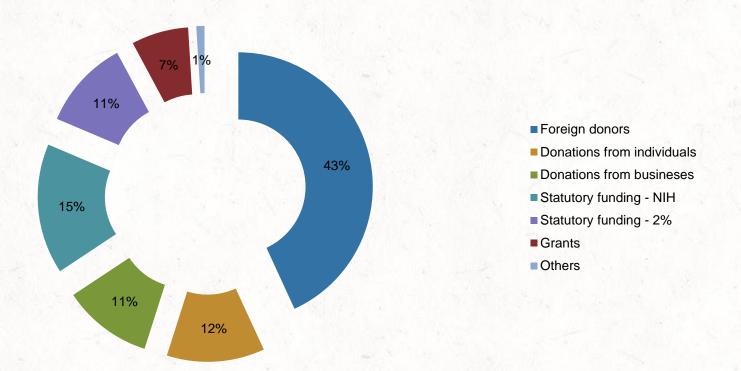
1418 Pediatric visits



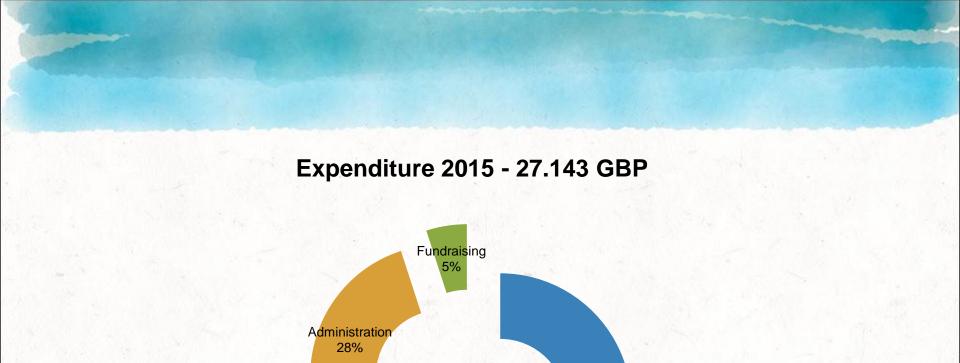


Funding

Income 2015 - 36.712 GBP



PC Center Construction Fund – 7.490 GBP



PC Center investment – 9.202 GBP

Patient services 67%

Future plans



Project by Loggia Grafix Ltd.

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Actual stage



Challenges

- Funding constriants
- Attitudes, lack of education
- Hidden agendas
- Small hospices, role conflicts, burnout
- Sustainability of programs

Opportunities

- National Association for Palliative Care education and lobbying
- National standards for Palliative Care
- Great unmet needs
- Support for the City Hall of Oradea
- Great youth potential
- Good collaboration with Nursing School and Emanuel University

ff When "**I**" is replaced by "**We**" even Illness becomes Wellness

Thank you

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