We all can contribute something

In order for us to successfully set up a place that is almost like a home, we need your support. We've done the calculation: If every single person living in Central Switzerland was to donate 2 Francs, we would be able to finance the furnishings and all the operating equipment. Help us set up the hospice. Donate now!

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To be given certainty and companionship

The multi-professional consulting practice

In the consulting practice, the affected persons and their relatives are informed about the circumstances and the existing possibilities by means of in-depth discussions. Difficult and life-threatening diagnoses often trigger anxiety and insecurity. Our doctors advise and support patients, and are also qualified to provide an informed second opinion. In the palliative consulting practice, support throughout the entire course of an illness is made available, and also includes the family doctor, as well as the specialists involved in the therapy. In addition, counsellors, psychotherapists, social workers and many more contribute to the well-being of patients as required.

In good hands

The day hospice

The day hospice offers a stay in a family-like environment that is similar to being at home. In the case of terminallyill younger individuals in particular, the care situation is often complex, as partners or relatives often provide the necessary care. With the day hospice, the affected persons can enjoy a healthy environment with regulated meals, a retreat, professional care and the accommodation of their individual needs during the day. Day patients return home in the evenings, meaning that people in palliative situations can enjoy independent and fulfilled lives in their own home for as long as possible.

Drawing new strength

The in-patient relief stay

The in-patient relief stay offers temporary care so that relatives who are providing care can enjoy a short break. Rest is important for these relatives, who, during this break, can build up their strength and energy for further companionship. Patients can stay at the hospice for several days, or up to three weeks, with our focus being firmly on providing cherished moments, quality of life and the highest quality of care. We cater to the needs of the individual, and quickly find workable solutions for those affected and their relatives.

The in-patient hospice

Living Life

to the full

The in-patient hospice can provide care around the clock once staying at home is no longer an option. The focus remains on the quality of life of those concerned, with discomfort and pain being alleviated by a multiprofessional team through palliative care. Relatives are always welcome, of course, and accommodation is available. Those affected find a pleasant homeliness in the hospice, with the hospice's own cook catering to individual meal requests.

The milestones

We received the building permit for our house at the beginning of August 2018, and work began in September that year - a significant moment for all of us. Given that the existing building is worth preserving, the construction period will last a good year, with the opening planned for the end of 2019.

About the initiators and their motivations

Sibylle Jean-Petit-Matile and Hans Peter Stutz have been campaigning for the creation of a hospice in Central Switzerland since the beginning of 2014. Sibylle is a doctor at the hospice and a member of the executive board; Hans Peter is the managing director.

"The Hospice Central Switzerland aims to close the supply gap in palliative care, and our private initiative is financed exclusively by private funds. We have achieved a lot, and are immensely pleased that the house can now be renovated and extended. Together with our team, which consists exclusively of volunteers from hospice-related professions, we continue to work on the realisation. We set the principles, and help to make the house practical and harmonious in all its parts."

Thank you for your support!

Dr. Sibylle Jean-Petit-Matile und Hans Peter Stutz

We all can become involved in the Hospice Central Switzerland!

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A hospice that's almost like home

We all wish for a place like home

The first hospice in central Switzerland is being built at Gasshofstrasse 18 in Lucerne/Littau. We are building a home for seriously ill people, who will be supported and cared for until the end of their lives by our care and counselling services. For people who are terminally ill, a dignified life almost like that at home should become a reality in this house.





It affects us all

We all wish for a dignified end of life

"As an affected person, I would like to stay in my home until the end of my life. But what happens if nobody has time for me? What if I'm suddenly alone? What if those caring for me need a break? Or what if care at home is simply no longer possible?" The Hospice Central Switzerland is critical for these life situations – for a life almost like that at home.

We make space for the entirety of life

We all want to be treated with respect

We support seriously ill people and their relatives during this difficult period. We are there for them, both as fellow human beings and dedicated specialists. Those affected receive the time and space to devote themselves to their specific questions and needs in welcoming surroundings.

What makes a place almost like home?

We all wish for comfort

Loving care creates a sense of security, but the things that we cherish in our own home are also formative: the bookshelf with one's favourite works, flower arrangements that exude fragrance and vibrant colours, or paintings on the wall that have meaning for us.

It is the word home that makes a place special. Although we can never succeed in reproducing home for each individual, we want to create a space that feels like it. Institutional aspects that remind us of a hospital or nursing home remain in the background as far as possible, and we make every effort to make the hospice feel like a private residence, while at the same time meeting the stringent requirements of a centre of excellence for specialised palliative care. We pay great attention to the interior design of the rooms and their furnishings, in order to make our hospice feel almost like home.





Our shopping list

A room and household effects – a place almost like home within a professional care environment

As our operations are based on the standards for professional care establishments, the requirements of the facility are high. Patients should feel comfortable in their room and find a retreat within it. Personal items, pictures and smaller furnishings bring their own home into the hospice. Combining comfort and professional care requirements results in a lengthy shopping list for our hospice, however.

For example:

- Nursing beds to make our patients feel comfortable, and to enable caregivers to do their jobs properly
- Seats and loungers for visitors
- Bathroom facilities for day-to-day care
- Tables and chairs to create homely rooms
- Shelving for the library because reading invigorates
- A fully fitted kitchen with stove, fridge and...
- …everything else, from pans and plates to teaspoons
- as well as many, many more things



