

Safety

- Enter with PTSD
- Needs to Find Own Form of Safety
- Staff provides guidance and monitors progress

Hospice Care

- No Major Interventions
- Go With Dying Process
- Death is a Natural Life Process

Mobility

- Pain Management
- Dog finds comfort
- Mobility is Independence
- Restores Hope

End of Life Care

- Support Dying Process
- Do Not Project Human Emotions
- Identifying “The Right Time”

Nutrition

- Major Step to Wellness
- Energy Level Increases
- Protects against Chronic Disease
- Detoxification

**Old Dog Arrives
Traumatized**

Physical
Emotional
Mental
Spiritual

**Caregiver
Community**

- Supports Individual Animal Needs
- Dynamic Learning Environment for Staff and Volunteers

Healthcare

- Onsite Veterinary Care
- Focus on Wellness
- Minimize use of “Drugs”
- Minimize Vaccines

**Community of Own
Kind**

- Family-Style Living
- Provides Entertainment
- Restores Vitality

**Organization
and Structure**

- Organized Flow of Day
- Consistent Routines
- Balance Between Activity and Rest

**Non Toxic
Environment**

- Sustainability
- Healing with Nature
- Allowed to “Be a Dog”
- Inside and Outside