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When Hospice staff nurse Cheryl Denson, LPN, requested toiletries and lotions, to make a difference in the daily life of her patients, Cora Goyette, Development Director turned to National Company, Avon Products for help. Kathy Gleason, Avon District Sales Manager, together with many of her representatives came to the rescue. In a very short time, they collected and donated over 130 trial sized bottles and tubes which included shower gel, shampoo, body and hand lotion and lip balm.

“Many of the families we care for have very limited incomes and the illness often adds the burden of additional medical expenses. It means they cannot purchase the little extras that add the special touch. Our nurses like to pamper their patients and a simple comment such as ‘you smell so nice today’ or ‘your skin is so soft’ helps to lift their spirits and restore a sense of dignity in a time of serious illness”, stated Denson.

At this time of year, when there is so much to be grateful for, the staff of Hospice extends its gratitude to Kathy and her staff who made this donation possible.



Photo caption: Cora Goyette, Development Director receives baskets full of toiletries from Kathy Gleason , Avon District Sales Manager