



Top News Stories of the Month, August 2025

Per Hospice & Palliative Care Today Tracking

Top 10 Read Categories:

Category	# Articles	%	# Read	%	Mean Reads / Article
Hospice Provider News	70	18%	23,263	21%	332
Clinical News	42	11%	13,110	12%	312
Headlines	18	5%	9,399	8%	522
Regulatory News	19	5%	7,903	7%	416
Research News	46	12%	7,822	7%	170
Ethics	6	2%	6,427	6%	1,071
Breaking News	4	1%	5,801	5%	1,450
Post-Acute Care News	24	6%	4,189	4%	175
Breaking News Scheduled	2	1%	4,128	4%	2,064
Technology / Innovations News	12	3%	3,923	3%	327

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Article	Primary Tag	Publish Date	Clicks
Inmate serving life for murdering Lancaster County woman in 2015 seeks compassionate release	Ethics	8/11/2025	6,339
BREAKING NEWS: CMS FY 2026 Hospice Wage Index FINAL Rule posted in Federal Register	Breaking News Scheduled	8/1/2025	4,100
Two programs recognized as 2025 AHA Circle of Life Award Honorees AHA	Hospice Provider News	7/21/2025	2,954
Closing the gap: Addressing social determinants of health and racial disparities in hospice care	Hospice Provider News	8/6/2025	2,884
National Alliance for Care at Home hosts inaugural Financial Summit	Hospice Provider News	7/31/2025	2,843
Study reveals how medication side effects can lead to dangerous medication cycles in adults 65+	Clinical News	8/4/2025	2,842
Palliative care plays an essential role in heart failure care	Clinical News	8/18/2025	2,409
CMS FY 2026 Hospice Wage Index FINAL Rule posted in Federal Register	Breaking News	8/2/2025	2,151
State Medicaid coverage policies for community-based palliative care: Lessons from NASHP's State Institute	Palliative Care Provider News	8/13/2025	1,978
Social Media Watch 7/25/25	Social Media Watch	7/25/2025	1,968