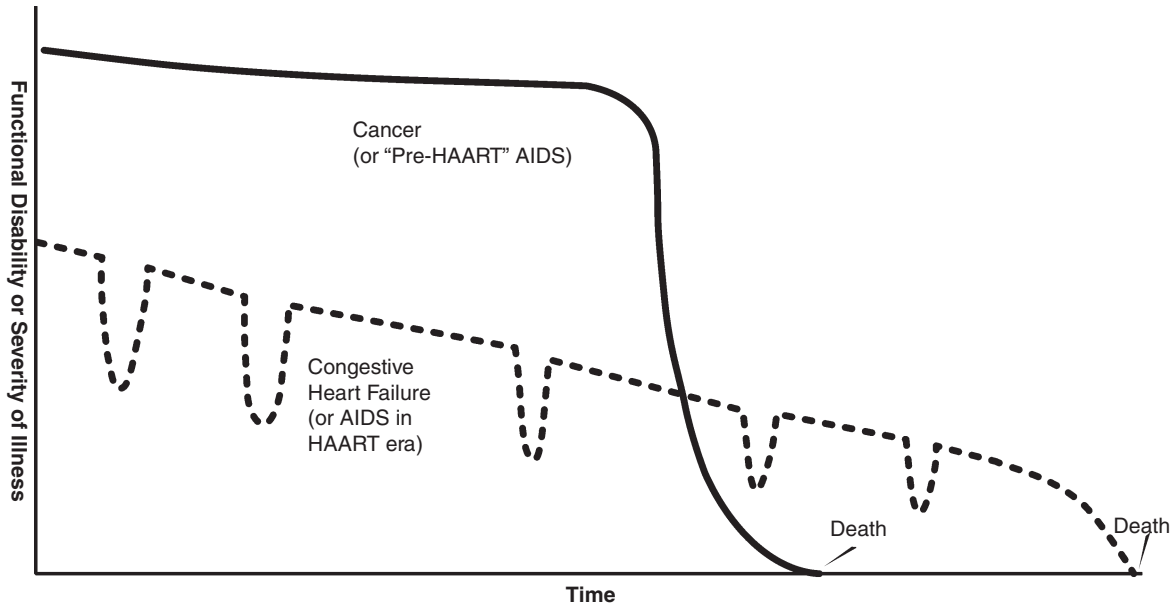


Figure 2-2: Trajectories of Illness over Time in Chronic, Fatal Diseases



— Typical of untreatable cancers (e.g. pancreas) or AIDS before the advent of highly active antiretroviral therapy (HAART).

- - - Typical of chronic, progressive illness (e.g. congestive heart failure) or AIDS in the HAART era.

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