Enloe Medical Center Volunteers Baby Booties Pattern

Materials:

Size 3 or 4 Knitting Needles and a Tapestry Needle

1 Skein Baby Yarn (Sport Weight) - Pastel green, yellow and/or white

For solid colored booties, use pastel green, yellow or white. For multi-colored booties, use variegated yarn with these same colors. Red Heart Baby recommended.

One skein of yarn produces approximately 3 pairs of booties.

Directions:

Ribbed Booties – Make 2 – Cast on 28 Stitches loosely. (You can try a second color* to make them look like shoes and socks) Knit 2, Purl 2 for 17 rows *(change colors for shoes") Knit the first 19 stitches and turn Knit 10 stitches and turn Knit on these 10 stitches 11 more rows. (Now you have 12 rows on these 10 stitches) Now pick up and knit 9 stitches along the edge of the top of the foot. Knit along the next 9 stitches to end of row. Knit along the 9 stitches, to the 9 stitches picked up, and along the 10 stitches of the foot. Now pick up and knit 9 stitches along the next edge of the top of the foot. Knit the next 9 stitches to the end. (Total of 46 stitches on the needle) Knit 4 rows on these 46 stitches. Row 36: Knit 2, K2 tog, K15, K2 tog. K4, K2 tog, 15, K2 tog. K2. Rows 37, 39, 41: Knit Row 38: Knit 2, K2 tog. K13, K2 tog. K4, K2 tog. K13, K2 tog. K2 Row 40: Knit 2, K2 tog. K11, K2 tog. K4, K2 tog, K11, K2 tog. K2 Row 42: Knit 1 row and Bind Off.

Sew flat seam along bottom and up back. Weave all ends.

Please keep track of the hours you spend knitting these booties and include that number on a slip of paper when you deliver your booties to the Volunteer Services office located at 249 West 6th Avenue. If you note the time it takes to make one set, you can multiply that by the total amount of sets for a good approximation.

Thanks You! Our families will know that the booties they receive were handcrafted with love by a community volunteer.