Hospital Caps for Babies

Knit Caps

3-ply baby yarn #4 or #5 needle yarn needle

Cast on 68 stitches. Knit 2, purl 2, to end of row. Continue this pattern for 6 inches.

Next Row: Knit 2 together, purl 2 together across the row.

Next Row: Purl

Next Row: Knit 2 together across row.

Thread needle and take remaining stitches off knitting needle. Weave seam of cap. Weave in ends. Please no pompoms.

Single Crochet Caps

3-ply baby yarn Size F crochet hook yarn needle

All rows are worked in the back loop only (BLO) of each stitch in order to create ribbing for maximum stretch.

Chain 25. Chain loosely for maximum stretch.

Single crochet in second chain from hook and each chain across. Chain 1, turn (24 scs)

Second Row: Single crochet in BLO of each stitch across. Chain 1, turn (24 scs) Continue this pattern for 48 rows.

Finishing:

Working along side of work, pick up a loop with crochet hook in every other row (24 - 26 loops) on hook), yarn over and draw through all loops on hook. Cut yarn leaving an end long enough to sew with and pull through loop. With yarn and needle, weave seam of cap. Weave in ends. Please no pompoms

Double Crochet Caps

3-ply baby yarn Size F crochet hook yarn needle

All rows are worked in the back loop only (BLO) of each stitch in order to create ribbing for maximum stretch.

Chain 32 loosely.

Double crochet in third chain from hook and in each chain across. Chain 3, turn (31 dcs).

Second Row: Double crochet in (BLO) of each chain across. Chain 3, turn. Repeat pattern for 22 rows.

Finishing: With crochet hook, pick up a loop in every row along side of work (22 loops on hook), yarn over and pull through all loops on hook. Cut yarn leaving an end long enough to sew with and pull through loop. With a yarn needle, weave seam of cap. Weave in ends. Please no pompoms.