

Housecoat

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Please read through the abbreviations before starting this pattern!

Fits 2 - 3 toddler..

Supplies

1 skein White, I used up a couple of medium balls of white and about 1/4 out of BIG skein

1 skein of contrasting color

N hook

H hook

NOTE: Chain 2 in stead of 3 at beginning of rows if desired.

Abbreviations

CC Concrasting Color

hk = hook

ch = chain

dc = double crochet

sc = single crochet

trc = treble crochet

st = stitch/es

fo = fasten off

Gauge

6 DC= 2 inches or 5 cm

2 rows = 2 inches or 2.5 cm (approx)

Directions

In solid color Ch 42

Row 1 Dc in 4th ch from hk and next 4 chs, 3 dc in next ch, corner made, dc in next 6 chs, 3 dc in next ch, corner made, dc in next 12, 3 dc in next ch, corner made, dc in next 6 chs, 3 dc in next, corner made, dc to end. Ch 2 and turn (**this will be done every row or round throughout.**)

Row 2 – 4 Dc in each st putting 3 dc in 'center' of each corner. At end of row 4 join contrasting yarn in last stitch, with 2 loops on your hk join yarn and ch 3 and turn

Row 5-7 Dc in each st putting 3 dc in 'center' of each corner.

Row 8 Dc to middle st of corner, * dc in corner, ch 4, dc in middle of next corner, armhole made,* dc to next corner, repeat * to * dc to end of row.

Row 9 Dc in each st and ch across

Row 10 Dc to the 2nd st right under the armhole, *2Dc in next st, Dc in next* Repeat to the 2nd st FROM the beginning of armhole on other side. (NOTE: you DO NOT want to increase on the left and right front pieces. Only the back to give some bouncy flouncy)

Row 11-35 (more or less depending on how long you want it, mine hits Aaliyah right above the ankles) Dc in each st across. FO

Sleeves

Rnd 1 join white to center st under arm, ch 2 and FLO this rnd only dc in each st around, join.

Rnd 2-10 dc in each st around.

Rnd 11 ch 1, Sc around.

Rnd 12 Attach contrasting yarn and Sc in ea st. Ch 1 turn

Rnd 13 Sc in ea st across

FO

Fasten off.

Repeat for next sleeve.

Collar

OPTIONS

Leave alone and do nothing OR

Row 1 Attach white yarn to right front of neck edge and Sc in each st around.

OR

Row 1 Attach white yarn to right front of neck edge and TRC in each st around. Ch 3 and turn

Row 2 TRC in each st across.

Fasten off

Row 3 Attach your contrasting yarn to first TRC and Sc across, ch 1 turn

Row 4 Sc across each st

FO

Down Front and Bottom.

Attach Contrasting yarn to the first st at top right (Collar on your right side)

Row 1 Sc in ea end row, bottom, 3 Sc in corner at bottom corner, Sc across to left bottom corner, 3 Sc, Sc in ea end row to top, ch 1 turn,

Row 2 Sc in ea st to the corner, 3 Sc in corner, Sc in ea st to corner, 3 Sc in corner, Sc in ea st to top,

FO

Belt Loops (make 2)

Leave long tail at beginning and end...H hk ch 10

Row 1 Sc in 2nd ch from hk and ea ch across. Sc down back side of ch also and FO

Attach with tails to 6th row BELOW under arms

Belt

H hk Ch121 (however many it takes to go around your child and tie)

Row 1 Sc in ea ch across

Row 2-3 (ch 1 if desired) Sc in ea st across

OPTION at end of Row 3 you can FO or you can sl st around the end and SC down the other side using the free loop of beginning chain.

That is what I did.

Weave in ends!