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FREE PATTERN

Heart Hat

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February's Crochet Along brings you a great way to shower your loved ones with affection by working up this cute Heart Hat. Using the shell stitch and an irresistible pom-pom top, Janaya Chouinard has captured the fun spirit of Valentine's Day in an easy crochet pattern for all ages. From preemies to adults, everyone will be able to feel the love with this cozy design. Plus, the snug warmth of the worsted weight yarn makes this a good project to work on during February's cold days.

Notes

Skill Level: Easy 

Sizes: Preemie, Newborn-3 Months, 3-6 Months, 6-12 Months, Toddler, Child, Teen/Adult, Large Adult

Supplies:

- Worsted weight yarn such as Red Heart Super Saver in two colors
- 5.0 mm (H-8) crochet hook or size needed to obtain the gauge
- Yarn needle for weaving in ends

Gauge in DC: 14 stitches and 8 rows = 4" (10 cm) **PLEASE CHECK YOUR GAUGE**

Abbreviations: ch = chain, sl = slip, st(s) = stitch(es), sk = skip, sc = single crochet, dc = double crochet, dc2tog = double crochet 2 stitches together

Special Instructions:

- Hat is worked from the bottom up - make your foundation chain slightly loose to allow for stretching
- Starting chain is not included in the stitch count (unless otherwise noted)
- The first stitch of each round is made in the same stitch as the starting chain
- Rounds are joined in the top of the first stitch, not the starting chain (unless otherwise noted)
- **Shell Stitch:** This stitch is made up of the following all worked into the same stitch: (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)
- Hat is topped with an optional pom-pom



Photo Tutorial for Newborn Heart Hat

(Instructions for all sizes can be found below)

Round 1: *With Main Color* - Ch 46, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (45)



Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (45)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.



Round 3: *With Accent Color* work the following into the first stitch - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 7 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (9 Shell Stitches)



Round 4: *Pick up Main Color* - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from previous round, dc in next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain



Round 5: Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (45)



Round 6 - 8: Ch 2, dc around, join (45)

Round 9: Ch 2, *dc in first 7 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (45)

Round 10: Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 11: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 12: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.



Round 13: *Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1 - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (45)*



Instructions for Heart Hat

Please read notes before you begin

Preemie #1: (2 - 3 lbs) • Head Circumference = 10" - 11" • Hat Circumference = 10" • Height hat = 4.25"

Round 1: *With Main Color* - Ch 36, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (35)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (35)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch* - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 5 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (7 Shell Stitches)

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color* - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain

Round 5: Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (35)

Round 6 - 7: Ch 2, dc around, join (35)

Round 8: Ch 2, *dc in first 5 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 9: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 10: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 11: *Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1* - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (35)

Preemie #2: (4 - 5 lbs) • Head Circumference = 11.5" - 13" • Hat Circumference = 11.5" • Height hat = 4.75"

Round 1: *With Main Color* - Ch 41, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (40)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (40)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch* - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 6 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (8 Shell Stitches)

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color* - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain

Round 5: Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (40)

Round 6 - 8: Ch 2, dc around, join (40)

Round 9: Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 10: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 11: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 12: Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1 - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (40)

Newborn - 3 Months • Head Circumference = 13" - 15" • Hat Circumference = 13" • Hat Height = 5.25"

Round 1: *With Main Color* - Ch 46, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (45)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (45)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch* - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 7 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (9 Shell Stitches)

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color* - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain

Round 5: Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (45)

Round 6 - 8: Ch 2, dc around, join (45)

Round 9: Ch 2, *dc in first 7 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (40)

Round 10: Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 11: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 12: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 13: Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1 - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (45)

3- 6 Months • Head Circumference = 14" - 16" • Hat Circumference = 14.25" • Hat Height = 5.75"

Round 1: *With Main Color* - Ch 46, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (45)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (45)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 7 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (9 Shell Stitches)*

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain*

Round 5: *Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (45)*

Round 6 - 8: *Ch 2, dc around, join (45)*

Round 9: *Ch 2, *dc in first 7 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (40)*

Round 10: *Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)*

Round 11: *Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)*

Round 12: *Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)*

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 13: *Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1 - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (45)*

6 - 12 Months • Head Circumference = 15" - 17" • Hat Circumference = 15.75" • Hat Height = 6.5"

Round 1: *With Main Color - Ch 56, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (55)*

Round 2: *Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (55)*

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 9 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (11 Shell Stitches)*

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain* **Round 5:** *Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (55)*

Round 6 - 9: *Ch 2, dc around, join (55)*

Round 10: *Ch 2, *dc in first 9 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (50)*

Round 11: *Ch 2, *dc in first 3 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (40)*

Round 12: *Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)*

Round 13: *Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)*

Round 14: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 15: Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1 - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (55)

Toddler & Small Child (Approximately 1 to 3 years - please measure for a more accurate fit) • Head

Circumference = 17" - 19" • Hat Circumference = 17" • Hat Height = 7.25"

Round 1: With Main Color - Ch 61, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to make a circle (60)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (60)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 10 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (12 Shell Stitches)

Round 4: Pick up Main Color - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain **Round 5:** Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (60)

Round 6 - 10: Ch 2, dc around, join (60)

Round 11: Ch 2, *dc in first 4 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (50)

Round 12: Ch 2, *dc in first 3 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (40)

Round 13: Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 14: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 15: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 16: Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1 - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (60)

Child (Approximately 5 to 10 years - please measure for a more accurate fit) • Head Circumference = 19" - 20.5" • Hat Circumference = 18.5" • Hat Height = 7.5"

Round 1: With Main Color - Ch 66, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (65)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (65)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch* - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 11 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (13 Shell Stitches)

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color* - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain

Round 5: Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (65)

Round 6 - 10: Ch 2, dc around, join (65)

Round 11: Ch 2, *dc in first 11 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (60)

Round 12: Ch 2, *dc in first 4 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (50)

Round 13: Ch 2, *dc in first 3 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (40)

Round 14: Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 15: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 16: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 17: *Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1* - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (65)

Round 9 - 16: Ch 1, hdc in each stitch around, join (64)

Round 17 - 18: **With AC** - Ch 1, hdc in each stitch around, join (64)

Round 19 - 21: **With MC** - Ch 1, hdc in each stitch around, join (64)

Round 22: Ch 1, sc in each stitch around, join (64) - Fasten off and weave in ends. Attach the bow.

Teen / Adult • Head Circumference = 21" - 22" • Hat Circumference = 20" • Hat Height = 7.75"

Round 1: *With Main Color* - Ch 71, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (70)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (70)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch* - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 12 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (14 Shell Stitches)

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color* - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain **Round 5:** Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (70)

Round 6 - 11: Ch 2, dc around, join (70)

Round 12: Ch 2, *dc in first 5 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (60)

Round 13: Ch 2, *dc in first 4 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (50)

Round 14: Ch 2, *dc in first 3 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (40)

Round 15: Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 16: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 17: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 18: *Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1* - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (70)

Large Adult • Head Circumference = 22.5" - 24" • Hat Circumference = 21.5" • Hat Height = 8.25"

Round 1: *With Main Color* - Ch 76, sc in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across, bring your ends together and slip stitch in the first sc to join (75)

Round 2: Ch 1, sc around, join in first sc (75)

Leave Main Color attached for carrying to Round 4 and attach Accent Color in the 3rd stitch to the left of your join.

Round 3: *With Accent Color work the following into the first stitch* - [Ch 2, dc 1, ch 1, 2 dc] - first Shell Stitch made, *ch 2, sk 4 stitches, in next stitch make a Shell Stitch (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)*, repeat between * 13 times, ch 2, join in top of starting chain, fasten off (15 Shell Stitches)

Round 4: *Pick up Main Color* - Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st, *ch 2, sc in ch-1 space of Shell Stitch, ch 2, dc in the 2nd skipped stitch from the previous round, dc in the next stitch* repeat around, ch 2, join in starting chain

Round 5: Ch 1, make 1 sc in every stitch and in every ch-2 space of the previous round, join (75)

Round 6 - 11: Ch 2, dc around, join (75)

Round 12: Ch 2, *dc in first 13 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (70)

Round 13: Ch 2, *dc in first 5 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (60)

Round 14: Ch 2, *dc in first 4 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (50)

Round 15: Ch 2, *dc in first 3 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (40)

Round 16: Ch 2, *dc in first 2 stitches, dc2tog* repeat around, join (30)

Round 17: Ch 2, *dc in first stitch, dc2tog* repeat around, join (20)

Round 18: Ch 2, *dc2tog* repeat around, join (10)

Cut the yarn, leaving a tail about 6" long. Using a yarn needle, weave the tail through the front loop of each stitch and pull gently to close the hole. Pass the needle through the center of the hole and pull to tighten completely.

Round 19: Attach Accent Color on the opposite side of the second last foundation chain of Round 1 - Ch 1, sc in the same stitch and each stitch around, join in first sc, fasten off and weave in all ends. (75)

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