

Kelli's Turban

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MATERIALS:

1 skein soft, 4-ply yarn: Caron Simply Soft or Red Heart SOFT

Hook: G - if you crochet loosely

H - if you crochet tightly

Stitch marker

Tapestry needle

Decorative piece: button(s), flower, brooch, pin, etc.

Note: Cap is made from center top in spiral with rectangular edge added.

MAIN BODY OF CAP:

Chain 4, join with slip stitch to form ring. Mark the beginning of each round.

Rnd 1: Work 12 dc into ring; place marker

Rnd 2: * 2 dc in each stitch; repeat from * around

Rnd 3: *dc in next dc, 2 dc into next dc; repeat from * around

Rnd 4: *dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc; repeat from * around

Rnd 5: *dc in next 5 dc, 2 dc in next dc; repeat from * around

Rnd 6: *dc in next 7 dc, 2 dc in next dc; repeat from * around

Rnd 7: *dc in each dc; repeat from * around

Repeat Rnd 7 until piece measures approx. 6.5 inches from center top.

LAST 4 stitches of final round: dc, hdc, sc, sl st, finish off.

TURBAN WRAP: Made as a rectangle along bottom of cap.

With main color, or complimentary color if desired, LOOSELY chain 38 and attach to any dc on final round. Sc in each stitch around base of cap until meeting first sc, LOOSELY chain 39. (Your cap will look like a dome with 2 tails).

Rnd 1: Turn, work sc down chain; continue with sc in each sc around bottom of cap; sc up second chain to end; ch 3, turn. (approx. 140 stitches)

Rnd 2: dc in each sc across; ch 3, turn

Rnd 3 AND 4: repeat Rnd 2

Rnd 5: repeat Rnd 2, but ch 1 and turn

Rnd 6: sc in each stitch across; finish off and weave in ends.

**** For a narrower band, eliminate row 4

FINISHING:

Fold wrap and crisscross tails over one another to overlap on opposite side of cap. Secure with decorative piece.

Turban can be worn with crisscross or decorative piece in front.



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