



MATERIALS

Bernat® Softee® Baby™ (5 oz/140 g; 362 yds/331 m)

Sizes	6 mos	12-18 mos	2-3 yrs	
Flannel (30044)	2	2	3	balls

Size U.S. G/6 (4 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**
Stitch markers. 4 buttons.

ABBREVIATIONS:

Beg = Begin(ning)

Ch = Chain(s)

Cont = Continue(ity)

Dc = Double crochet

Hdc2tog = (Yoh and draw up a loop in next stitch) twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

Inc = Increase(ing)

Pat = Pattern

PM = Place marker

Rep = Repeat

Rem = Remain(ing)

RS = Right side

Sc = Single crochet

Sl st = Slip stitch

St(s) = Stitch(es)

WS = Wrong side

Yoh = Yarn over hook

 CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

SIZES

To fit chest measurement

6 mos 17" [43 cm]

12-18 mos 18-19" [45.5- 48 cm]

2-3 yrs 20-22" [51-56 cm]

GAUGE

16 sts and 12 rows = 4" [10 cm] in pat.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (.).

Note: Ch 3 at beg of row counts as dc. Ch 2 at beg of row **does not** count as st.

Poncho: Beg at lower front, ch **62 (66-70)**.

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn. **61 (65-69)** sts.

2nd row: Ch 3. *1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc. *1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows for pat until **10 (11½-12)" [25.5 (29-30.5) cm]** total length, ending on a WS row.

Shape neck: 1st row: (RS). Pat **24 (26-28)** sts. Hdc2tog (neck edge).

Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.

2nd row: Ch 2. Hdc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn.

3rd row: Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows twice more.

19 (21-23) sts.

Work 1 row even in pat. **Do not** fasten off.

1st row: (RS). Skip next 9 sts at center front. Join 2nd ball with sl st to next st. Ch 2 (does not count as st). Hdc2tog over same st as sl st and next st. Pat to end of row. Turn.

2nd row: Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 2. Hdc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows twice more.

19 (21-23) sts.

Work 1 row even in pat.

Fasten off.

Join sides: Next row: (RS). Pat **19 (21-23)** sts from 1st shoulder. Ch 23 for back neck. Pat **19 (21-23)** sts from 2nd shoulder. Turn. PM at end of last row.

Next row: Pat across all sts and ch. Turn. **61 (65-69)** sts.

Cont even in pat until work from marker measures same length as

Front to shoulder, ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

Hood: PM on each side of unworked 5 sts at center front neck. (RS). Join yarn with sl st at right front marker. Ch 1. Work **65 (65-69)** sc around neck edge to opposite marker. Turn.

Next row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * end of row. Turn. PM on center back st.

Cont in pat, inc 2 sts in center back st on next and following 4th rows twice more. **71 (71-75)** sts.

Cont even in pat until Hood measures **8 (8½-9)" [20.5 (21.5-23) cm]**, ending on a WS row. Fasten off. Fold Hood in half and sew top Hood seam.

Ears (make 2)

Ch 4.

1st rnd: 11 dc in 4th ch from hook. Join with sl st in top of ch 3. 12 dc.

2nd rnd: Ch 3. 1 dc in same sp as last sl st. 2 dc in each dc around. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. 24 dc.

Fold Ear in half.

Joining row: Ch 1. Working into both sides of Ear, 2 sc in first dc. (1 sc in each of next 2 dc. 2 sc in next dc) 3 times. 1 sc in each of last 2 dc. Turn. 16 sc.

Next row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Fasten off.

Sew Ears in position as shown in photo.

Sew 2 buttons through all thicknesses on each side to create armholes.

