



Pattern 027

The Carly Cap

Children 3-10 Years & Women One Size Fits Most



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Skill Level

Easy / Intermediate

Abbreviations (Standard American Crochet Terms)

ch(s) – chain/chains
sl st - slip stitch
sc - single crochet
dc - double crochet
fpdc - front post double crochet
bpdc - back post double crochet
st(s) - stitch/stitches
rnd(s) - round/rounds
beg - beginning

Materials

Approximately 135 -150 yards size 5, bulky yarn
(5oz./140g (153yd/140m)
I prefer Lion Brand Wool Ease Chunky (results and gauge will vary depending on yarn used)
M13/9mm Crochet Hook (or size to meet gauge)
J10/6mm Crochet Hook (or size to meet gauge)
Flexible Measuring Tape
Tapestry Needle

Gauge working in the round

First 3 Rounds in Pattern = 3 Inches with M Hook

Please be sure to check your gauge before starting, as tension can vary greatly from person to person and depending on the yarn used.

Adjusting to Meet Gauge

If your gauge doesn't match, chances are your project will turn out smaller or larger than the size intended. Do not get discouraged. Many people crochet with different tensions, even when using the same yarn or hook size suggested. There are many adjustments that can be made to resolve this. If you continue to have problems after trying the tips below, please contact me. I am more than happy to make adjustments and offer other suggestions to make the pattern work for you. My email address is simplymadebyerin@gmail.com

1. If the item is too small try going up a hook size or two, if it's too big go down a hook size or two.
2. When available, try working the pattern instructions for the next size up or down.
3. Add or subtract increase or decrease rows/rounds. This can be tricky on certain patterns therefore, I only suggest doing this if you are comfortable in making these adjustments on your own. Doing this may interfere with the remainder of the pattern, and change the stitch count throughout.

Sizes

3-10 Years - Fits Head Circumference 19-20.5 Inches & Height 7-7.5

Women's One Size Fits Most - Fits Head Circumference 21-23 Inches & Height 8-8.5 Inches

Sizes are approximate based on the average for each age. When available, please use head measurements, rather than age, as children and adult heads tend to vary quite a bit. If your child is between sizes I recommend going with the larger size to allow the most room for growth.



Back & Side Views

Notes

-Pattern is worked top down

-Beg ch/chs of each rnd do **NOT** count as 1st st, join rnd in 1st st not beg ch/chs

Size Children & Women

Rnd 1. **With M hook**, create a magic circle, ch1, 8sc in circle, join with sl st. (8sc)

Rnd 2. Ch1, (sc, dc) in each st around, join with sl st. (16sts)

Rnd 3. Ch1, *(sc, dc) in next st, sc in next st* repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (24sts)

(diameter should measure approximately 3" across, it's normal for the piece to appear slightly wavy and not lay completely flat)

Rnd 4. Ch1, *(sc, dc) in next st, sc in next 2 sts* repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (32sts)

Rnd 5. Ch1, *(sc, dc) in next st, sc in next 3 sts* repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (40sts)

Rnd 6. Ch1, *(sc, dc) in next st, sc in next 4 sts* repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (48sts)

(diameter should measure approximately 6" across at widest point)

Children 3-10 Years - continued

Rnd 7-16. Ch1, *(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st*

repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (48sts)

(height should measure approximately 6 ³/₄ - 7", add additional rnds here to make hat longer)

Women One Size Fits Most - continued

Rnd 7. Ch1, *(sc, dc) in next st, sc in next 5 sts*

repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (56sts)

(diameter should measure approximately 6 ³/₄ - 7" across at widest point)

Rnd 8-18. Ch1, *(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st*

repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (56sts)

(height should measure approximately 7 ¹/₂", add additional rnds here to make hat longer)

Notes - Starting Band

-The band will shrink up as you complete the following rnds, if you need to make it tighter or looser switch to a smaller or larger hook than noted

Children 3-10 Years - continued

Rnd 17. **Switch to J hook**, ch1, sc in each st around, join with sl st. (48sts)

Rnd 18. Ch1, dc in each st around, join with sl st. (48sts)

Rnd 19. Ch1, *fpdc around next two sts, bpdc around next two sts*, repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (48sts)

Women One Size Fits Most - continued

Rnd 19. **Switch to J hook**, ch1, sc in each st around, join with sl st. (56sts)

Rnd 20. Ch1, dc in each st around, join with sl st. (56sts)

Rnd 21. Ch1, *fpdc around next two sts, bpdc around next two sts*, repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (56sts)

Note

All fpdc should line up with the fpdc from previous rnd, & bpdc should line up with bpdc from previous rnd

Children 3-10 Years - continued

Rnd 20-22. Ch1, *fpdc around next two fpdc, bpdc around next two bpdc*, repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (48sts)

Women One Size Fits Most - continued

Rnd 22-25. Ch1, *fpdc around next two fpdc, bpdc around next two bpdc*, repeat from * to * around, join with sl st. (56sts)

Fasten off & weave in loose ends. Your new hat is complete!!