

Wooly Womb: a Uterus Model

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(a) “Wooly womb” uterus

(b) Top drawstring

(c) Ribbed vagina

Materials:

- Yarn: 2 oz. sportweight, 1 - 2 colors
- 6” ribbon/cord/yarn
- Hook size: 3.5 mm
- fdp = front double post, bdp = back double post

Directions:

- Uterus (main color). Work rows in a spiral and stagger increases and decreases to avoid making corners.
 - Tie the ribbon in a loose loop. This will be the draw string for the top to enable you to put a doll or ball in the uterus.
 - Row 1: 30 sc in ribbon loop
 - Rows 2-3: 30 sc

- Row 4: (5 sc, increase 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 36 sc
- Row 5: (6 sc, increase 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 42 sc
- Row 6: (7 sc, increase 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 48 sc
- Row 7: (8 sc, increase 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 54 sc
- Row 8: (9 sc, increase 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 60 sc
- Row 9: (10 sc, increase 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 66 sc
- Rows 10-19: 66 sc
- Row 20: (10 sc, decrease 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 60 sc
- Row 21: (9 sc, decrease 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 54 sc
- Row 22: (8 sc, decrease 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 48 sc
- Row 23: (7 sc, decrease 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 42 sc
- Row 24: (6 sc, decrease 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 36 sc
- Row 25: (5 sc, decrease 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 30 sc
- Row 26: (4 sc, decrease 1 sc) \times 6 \rightarrow 24 sc
- If using a contrast color, finish off and change color.

- Vagina

- For horizontal C-section option: 15 sl st, ch 9, sl st to beginning sl st
- Row 1: (for regular or C-section) ch 3 (counts as first dc), 23 dc, sl st to top of beginning ch 3 \rightarrow 24 dc
- Rows 2-6: sl st around ch 3 of previous row. Ch 3, fdp, bdp around next two stitches, (fdp around next two stitches, bdp around next two stitches) \times 5 \rightarrow 24 dc, making ribs, sl st to top of beginning ch 3, finish off, weave in all ends.