



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximately

**Beg** = Beginning

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Hdc** = Half double crochet

**Rem** = Remaining

**Rep** = Repeat

**RS** = Right side

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**Tog** = Together

**WS** = Wrong side

## SIZES

To fit head sizes

**Child 2/4 years**

**19" [48 cm] circumference**

**Child 6/10 years**

**20" [51 cm] circumference**

**Adult**

**21-22" [53.5-56 cm]**

**circumference**

## INSTRUCTIONS

*The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) the instructions will be written thus ( ). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.*

**Note:** Hat is worked side to side.

Ch 2 at beg of row **does not** count as st.

Ch **23 (28-32)** leaving a 24" [61 cm] long end for seaming later.

## MATERIALS

**Bernat® Softee® Chunky™** (14 oz/400 g; 431 yds/394 m)

**Sizes** **2/4 yrs** **6/10 yrs** **Adult**  
**1** **1** **1** **ball**

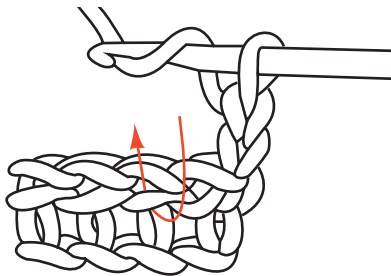
Gray Ragg (30047) **or** Natural (30008) **or** Gray Heather (30046) **or** Teal (30203) **or** True Gray (30044)

**Note:** 1 ball will make **4 (3-2)** Hats.

Size U.S. L/11 (8 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

**1st row:** (RS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook. 1 hdc in each of next **15 (19-22)** ch. 1 sc in each of last **5 (6-7)** ch. Turn. **21 (26-30)** sts.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. *Working in front loops only*, 1 sc in each of first **5 (6-7)** sc. \*Work 1 hdc into horizontal bar created below st in previous row (bar is below loops normally worked – see diagram). Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.



**3rd row:** Ch 2. \*Work 1 hdc into horizontal bar created below st in previous row (bar is below loops normally worked). Rep from \* **15 (19-22)** times more. *Working in front loops only*, 1 sc in each of last **5 (6-7)** sc. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows until Hat (at widest point) measures approx **17 (18-19)" [43 (45.5-48) cm]** ending on a 2nd row. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Using end from foundation ch, weave yarn through short side of Hat (sc rows) and gather top of Hat tog securely. Sew center back seam. Turn back cuff as shown.

**Pompom:** Wind yarn around **3 (4-4)** fingers approx **70 (80-80)** times. Remove from fingers and tie tightly in center. Cut through each side of loops. Trim to a smooth round shape, approx **3 (4-4)" [7.5 (10-10) cm]** diameter. Sew to top of Hat.

