

Comfort Doll Crochet Pattern

(designed by Nan Hawthorne - Northwest Wings of Love)

Materials/Tools:

- G hook
 - Black plus at least three other colours of easy care yarn, whatever weight fits gauge
 - Fibrefill for stuffing
 - Yarn needle
- Gauge: 1 inch = 7 single crochet (sc) and 7 rows.

Pattern:

-With black yarn, chain (ch) 37. Last 2 ch are first stitch (st) in first row. Slip stitch in first st of same row, ch 1 and start next row in a round..

Row 1: Continuing with black, sc in second st from hook and in each of remaining ch (should be 35.) Ch 1 and Slip stitch in first st of same row, ch 1 and start next row in a round.

Rows 2-3: Continue with black, sc in each st across. Finish off black. This is the "shoes".

Rows 4-14: * With colour A, sc in each st across. Slip stitch in first st of same row, ch 1 and start next row in a round. Continue from * until you have 10 rows of Colour A. Finish off Colour A. These are the "pants".

Rows 15-25: ** With Colour B, sc in each st across. Slip stitch in first st of same row, ch 1 and start next row in a round. Continue from ** until you have 10 rows of Colour B. Finish off Colour B. This is the "shirt".

Rows 26-34: *** With black yarn, sc in each st across. Slip stitch in first st of same row, ch 1 and start next row in a round. Continue from *** until you have 8 rows of black. Finish off black. This is the "head".

Rows 35-42: **** With Colour C, sc in each st across. Slip stitch in first st of same row, ch 1 and start next row in a round. Continue from **** until you have 8 rows of Colour C. Finish off Colour C.

This is the "hat".

You should have a cylinder 42 rows.

Construction:

1. Flatten cylinder lengthwise and slip stitch bottom (original chain) with black yarn to make an "envelope. Weave in ends.
2. Stuff lightly with stuffing. Enough stuffing to pad but not stretch the stitches.
3. At top of "hat" sew same colour yarn as the top row through all sc and pull tight to make a point.
4. Do the same, with either colour, between Colour B and the first row of the "head". Pull tight enough to form the "neck".
5. About 5 rows down from the neck and 3 to 5 sc in from sides on both sides sew with Colour B down in a straight line to bottom of "shirt" to simulate arms.
6. About 3-4 rows down from the top of Colour A sew with same colour yarn down to bottom of "pants" to form legs. Do the same with black on the "shoes".
7. Embroider face with eyes and smiling mouth