

Knitters and Crocheters, once again in February 2018, Florida Hospital plans for each new born baby to receive a RED crochet or knitted new born baby hat for heart-healthy-February. Crochet and Knitted patterns are on the WOW web site on the Community Outreach page. Please bring any red hats to the luncheons or give to a board member OR just take to your local Florida Hospital. Contact person - [Darby0209@yahoo.com](mailto:Darby0209@yahoo.com).

For February use RED yarn.

## CROCHET BABY HAT      Newborn to 3 months

Head Circumference: 14 inches

Baby Sport Yarn 1 ounce Acrylic yarn

H Crochet Hook (5.00mm)

[For a smaller size use Take Me Home baby yarn (not fingerling) ]

[ Size G Crochet Hook (4.00)]

Note: Beginning CH 2 does not count as a stitch in this pattern.

HAT: Beginning at top of hat; chain 4, sl st in first ch to form ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 2, work 13 dc in ring, join with sl st in first dc. 13 sts.

Rnd 2: Ch 2, turn, 2 dc in each st around, join with sl st in first dc. 26 sts.

Rnd 3: Ch 2, turn, dc in first st, \*2 dc in next st, dc in next st, repeat from\* around ending with 2 dc in last st, join with a sl st in first dc. 39 sts.

Rnd 4: Ch 2, turn, \*dc in first two sts, 2 dc in next st, repeat from \* around, join with a sl st in first dc . 52 sts.

Rnds 5 – 16: Ch 2, turn, dc in each st around, join with sl st in first dc. 52 sts.

Do Not Turn at end of last row.

Edging: (Ch 1 and sc) in each st around, join with a sl st in first sc. Cast off. Weave in ends of yarn.

## KNITTED BABY HAT

#5 NEEDLES,    SPORTS WEIGHT BABY YARN

CAST ON (64) (72) STITCHES

KNIT FIRST ROW

KNIT 2 PURL 2 FOR 1 INCH

KNIT 4 PURL 4 TILL HAT MEASURES 5 INCHES

NEXT ROW: KNIT 1 KNIT 2 TOGETHER ACROSS THE ROW

NEXT ROW: KNIT ACROSS

CONTINUE THESE 2 ROWS TILL THERE ARE (13) (14) (15) STITCHES LEFT  
CUT LEAVING ABOUT 12 INCHES OF YARN.

PULL THROUGH STITCHES WITH NEEDLE. GATHER AND STITCH SEAM.

PUT POM-POM ON TOP.