

PATTERN FOR NURSE HAND PUPPET

By Libby for Knit-for-Nowt



You will need: -

DK yarn: blue, white, flesh colour, and hair colour

4mm (size 8) needles

Small amount of toy stuffing – please ensure it has a BS or CE label on the packaging

For the eyes - glass beads, buttons or the sew-on type – please don't stick on with glue

For the mouth - embroidery cotton or yarn

Please refer to other Knit-for-Nowt patterns (on the website) where directed.

Basic Puppet.

Follow instructions for **Boy Hand Puppet pattern**, using blue for main body.

Make stuffed head as for **Islamic Dad pattern**.

See '**Basic Patterns for Features**', for shoes. Knit in white.

Use your creativity to add hair and face! Nurses can be male or female and all ethnicities! Please ensure that all attachments are very securely sewn on, and that all pins are removed

Wrap-around apron

Using 4mm needles and white DK yarn, cast on 40sts.

Knit 2 rows for border.

Starting with a Purl row, st st 20 rows.

Cast off 12 sts at beginning of next 2 rows (16sts)

Knit 1 row.

Next:

Row 1: K2, P12, K2

Row 2: Knit

Repeat these 2 rows 4 times.

Garner st 2 rows. Cast off.

Make a tie for the back of the apron and sew apron to puppet as shown in photo