

N95 MASK COVER WITH TIES Tutorial

Please start with 100% good quality cotton fabric, including batiks. **FABRIC SHOULD BE PRE-WASHED.** This is very important, as the covers will be laundered in a hospital setting!

PLEASE do not include any lining materials! These may hurt those who are using these!

Easy Mask Cover with ties

2 pieces of fabric, 7" by 10"

2 pieces of ¼" or ½" grosgrain ribbon or twill tape 11 inches long

2 pieces of ¼" or ½" grosgrain ribbon or twill tape 15 inches long

Pin your ribbon to the right side of one piece of fabric, as in the picture. Make sure the shorter ones are at one long edge and the longer ones at the other. The ties that go around the head need to be longer than the neck ones.



To ensure you don't catch the ribbon in your stitching, pin it in the center of the fabric piece.



Place second piece of fabric right side down on the above, and re-pin if necessary.



Sew around the piece, leaving a 3" opening in one long side. Use a ¼" seam allowance, turning at the corners as necessary.

Turn right side out. Press if necessary.

Make tick marks with chalk or pins. Start 1¼" from one long edge. Make marks every half inch seven times. Fold third line up to first, fifth to third, etc. to make three ½" pleats in each side, orienting the same way on both sides. The mask should measure about 3 - 3½" along the sides. Pin in place.



Topstitch around the outer edges twice, once at 1/8", and then at ¼".

(ADVANCED METHOD) You can make your own ties from matching fabric. Cut two strips 1½" - 2" wide BY WIDTH OF FABRIC wide and apply like binding.