

## **CHEMO CAP (Crochet)** **TRPQG – 2019**

**Hook:** G or H / 4.25 or 5.0 & J / 6.0

**Time:** 2-3 hrs

**Gauge:** 15 Sts=4" / 9 Rows=4"

**Skill Level:** Easy

**Size:** Height=8" / Circum=22" (Adult M-L)

### **Materials:**

Yarn: Approx 3oz each Soft Yarn in Color-1, Main Color;

Color-2, Stripes & \*Flower

(Purchased Flower ~OR~ use Crochet Flower, instructions on back)

Large Button + Small Scissors + Yarn Needle



### **Stitches Used:**

Beginning – BEG

Chain – CH

Cross Stitch - CS

Double Crochet – DC

Magic Ring – MR

Single Crochet – SC

Slip Stitch – SLST

Space – SP

Stitch – ST

Stitch – STS

Treble Crochet – TRC

**Row-1:** With Color-1 & G/H-Hook, make a MR; CH-2; work 11-DC in the MR; join with a SLST in top of BEG CH-2; pull yarn-tail to close MR **(12-STs)**.

**Row-2:** CH-2; 1-DC in same sp; 2-DC in each DC around; join with a SLST in top of beg CH-2 **(24-STs)**.

**Row-3:** CH-2; \*(2-DC in next DC; 1-DC in next DC)\*; repeat \*( ) \* around; join with a SLST in top of BEG CH-2 **(36-STs)**.

**Row-4:** CH-2; \*(2-DC in next DC; 1-DC in each of next 2-DC)\*; repeat \*( ) \* around; join with a SLST in top of BEG CH-2 **(48-STs)**.

**Row-5:** CH-2; \*(2-DC in next DC; 1-DC in each of next 3-DC)\*; repeat \*( ) \* around; join with a SLST in top of BEG CH-2 **(60-STs)**.

**Row-6:** CH-2; \*(2-DC in next DC; 1-DC in each of next 4-DC)\*; repeat \*( ) \* around; join with a SLST in top of BEG CH-2 **(72-STs)**. **\*\*\*\*\*Rows 6-7-8, count 72 STS\*\*\*\*\***

**Row-7:** CH-2; 1-DC in each DC around; join with a SLST in top of beg CH-2 **(72-STs)**.

**Row-8:** Change to Color-2, leaving Color-1 attached.

**CROSS STITCH (CS):** CH-4, cross-back to the previous ST & work 1-DC, cross-over 1<sup>st</sup> DC; \*(skip next ST; DC in **next** ST; cross-back & DC in skipped ST)\*; repeat \*( ) \* around; join with a SLST in top of BEG CH-4 **(72 STSsts - 36 CS)**.



**Row-9:** Change back to Color-1, leaving Color-2 attached. CH-2; 1-DC in each DC around; join with a SLST in top of beg CH-2 (72-STs).

**Rows-10 & 11:** Repeat Rows-8 & 9. (72-STs).

**Row-12:** Repeat Row-8. (72-STs).

**Rows-13-14-15:** Repeat Row-9. Fasten-Off Color-1. (72-STs).

**Rows-16 & 17:** Attach Color-2; CH-2; SC in each DC around; join with a SLST in top of beg CH-2; Fasten-Off Color-2. (72-STs).

**!!! FINISHED !!!**

~ OR ~ Add a Croched Flower ~ Instructions follow

### **FLOWER (Optional):**

**Row-1:** With Color-2 & J-Hook, make a MR; CH-2; work 9-DC in the MR; join with a SLST in top of BEG CH-2; pull yarn-tail to close MR (10-STs).

**Row-2:** \*(CH-3, 3-TRC, CH-3, SLST - ALL in the same SP as BEG CH-3; SLST in next DC)\* - 1-Flower Petal made. Repeat \*( ) \* 9 more times, for a total of 10-Flower Petals.

**FINISH:** Attach a large button in the center of the Flower, leaving a 12-15" yarn-tail to attach the Flower to side-front of the Chemo Cap. Fasten-Off & weave-in yarn-tails.

### **How To Crochet a Magic Ring (MR):**



*Step-1*



*Step-2*



*Step-3*



*Step-4*



*Step-5*



*Step-6*

**Step-1:** From left to right, loosely wrap yarn around 3 fingers, laying working yarn behind yarn-tail.

**Step-2:** Carefully loosen the ring from your fingers, keeping the working yarn behind the yarn-tail. Using the G/H-Hook, go under front ring & pull back ring under & forward.

**Step-3:** Slip stitch in loop on hook.

**Step-4:** In the ring, work number of stitches called for in your pattern for beginning round.

**Step-5:** Pull yarn-tail to cinch ring closed.



**Step-6:** Slip stitch into the first stitch to join the round.

***Note: When using this technique, the yarn-tail MUST be woven-in SECURELY or the Magic Ring could become loose & unravel.***