



# Checkered Chemo Cap

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SIZED TO FIT TEENAGED/ADULT HEAD – hat circumference (unstretched) approx. 16"

## MATERIALS:

- 115 yds of worsted weight yarn (sample used 2 skeins Berroco Touche)
- 16" circular U.S. #7 needle
- U.S. #7 double-pointed needles
- 1 stitch marker

## GAUGE:

20 sts and 28 rows to 4" measured over checkered stitch using U.S. #7 needles

## HAT:

- Using circular needle, cast on 80 sts. Join in rnd, placing st marker to mark beginning of rnd.
- Rnds 1-8: \*K4, p4; rep from \* to end.
- Rnds 9-12: \*P4, k4; rep from \* to end.
- Rnds 13-16: \*K4, p4; rep from \* to end.
- Rnds 17-48: Repeat rnds 9-16 four more times.
- Switch to double-pointed needles for crown of cap.
- Rnd 49: \*P2tog, p2, k2tog, k2; rep from \* to end. (60 sts)
- Rnd 50: \*P3, k3; rep from \* to end.
- Rnd 51: \*P2tog, p1, k2tog, k1; rep from \* to end. (40 sts)
- Rnd 52: \*P2, k2; rep from \* to end.
- Rnd 53: \*K2tog, p2tog; rep from \* to end. (20 sts)
- Rnd 54: \*K1, p1; rep from \* to end.
- Rnd 55: \*K2tog; rep from \* to end. (10 sts)

Cut yarn, leaving a 6" tail. Thread tail through remaining 10 sts and draw tightly closed. Weave in ends.

