



## ***Some Bunny Loves You!***

Designed by Day Dreams 2012 (This is the pattern for the bunny above and depicted on Crochet 4 the Masses. See changes marked "Options" to make this for the Awareness Bunny)

### **Level:**

Intermediate Beginner

### **Materials:**

Size G Crochet Hook (4.5 mm)

Yarn: Acrylic Blend (One 4oz. Skein) worsted weight and Contrasting color (One 4 oz. Skein) ww

**Options:** Yarn to coordinate and make a small blanket

Beaded stretch bracelet

Shank Button

Fiberfill (Poly-Fill works well)

Tapestry Needle

Black cotton thread or embroidery thread

Plastic Eyes (optional 12 or 15mm)

Ribbon for necktie

Gauge: 4 sc = 1 inch; 4 sc rounds = 1 inch

Finished Bunny 16" tall

### **Abbreviations:**

SC – Single Crochet

Dec – Decrease

SST – Slip Stitch

Beg – Beginning

# - Row or round number

Ch – Chain

( ) - Special Change

Asterisk – Repeat

( 12 ) – Stitch counts (12, 18, 24, 32, etc.)

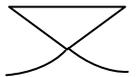
### **Notes:**

Weave in loose ends as you complete parts. Do not join rounds unless stated. Mark rounds with extra yarn, safety pins or markers. Finishing instructions are on the last page of the pattern.

**HEAD:** The head is worked from the nose to the back of the head. You will see a nose form as you work outward and it should be rounding off by row 9 when you change colors from the nose color to the head color. The back of the head will be a little flat looking which can be shaped when it is closed off.

Eyes and nose should have 2" between each eye and placed between color change on outside of nose color and where ears will be placed. To make the eyes indented, using tapestry needle where you are placing them, run yarn back and forth from eye to eye on both eyes being careful to not pull too tightly. You should see a slight indent for eye placement if done correctly. Use a satin stitch for eyes and nose.

Tie off and weave in loose ends. The nose is stitched in an upside down triangle, with two lines down and out from the tip of the nose. Plastic eyes and nose are optional if stitching is not your preference.



1. Using Contrasting color, Ch 2, work 6 sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook. (6 sc)
2. 2 sc in each sc around. (12)
3. Sc in each sc around (12)
4. \*Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next\* repeat from \* around. (18)
5. Repeat #3. (18)
6. \* Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next \* repeat from \* around (24)
- 7/8. Change to base color at row 7 and Repeat #3 (24)
9. Repeat #4 (36)
- 10/11. Repeat #3 (36)
12. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) 6 times, sc in each 12 sc remaining (42)
- 13 – 21. Repeat #3 (42)
22. \* Sc in each of next 5 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc \* repeat around (36)
23. \* Sc in each of next 4 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc \* repeat around (30)
24. \* Sc in each of next 3 sc, dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (24)
25. \* Sc in each of next 2 sc, dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (18)
26. Stuff head with fiberfill and continue to stuff as needed. Be sure to stuff amply, spreading evenly inside.
27. \* Sc in next sc, dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (12)

28. \* Dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (6).

29. \*Dec 2 over next 2 sc \* repeat around until nearly closed. At end of row, fasten off and weave in loose end until hole is closed. Weave in remaining yarn.

**EARS:** These are set approximately 1" above each eye and a 2" space between each ear. Sew on using the tapestry needle and matching yarn.

**Options:** Add crocheted insert on inside of ear approximately 2.5" smaller than the inside. It is a simple Sc with increase to middle then decrease to end. Whip stitch in place. Other choice would be a felt or satin piece hand sewn in place.

1. Repeat #1-4 of head (18)

5/6. Sc in each stitch around (18)

7. \* Sc in each of next 2 Sc, 2 Sc in next stitch \* around (24)

8. Sc in each stitch around (24)

9. \* Sc in each of next 3 Sc, 2 Sc in next stitch \* around (30)

10-22. Sc in each stitch around. (30)

23. \* Sc in next 4 Sc, dec 1 over next 2 Sc \* around (24)

24-27. Sc in each stitch around (24)

28. \* Sc in next 2 stitches, dec 1 over next 2 Sc \* around (18)

29-32. Sc in each stitch around (18)

33. \* Sc in next 2 stitches, dec 1 over next 2 Sc \* around (12)

34-40. Sc in each stitch around (12)

41. \* Sc 1, dec 1 over next 2 Sc \* around (6)

42. SST to end of row. Tie off and leave a length of yarn to sew to head.

**BODY:** Working from bottom up to neck. Body should be fluffy and full.

1/2. Using the contrasting color, repeat rounds 1-2 of head. (12)

3. \*Sc in first stitch, 2 Sc in next stitch around\* (18)

4. Sc in each stitch around
5. \* Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next \* repeat around (24)
6. \* Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next \* repeat around (30)
7. \* Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next \* repeat around (36)
8. \* Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next \* repeat around (42)
9. Change to base color. \* Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next \* repeat around (48)
- 10-15. Sc around in each row. (48)
16. \* Sc in each of next 5 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc \* repeat around. (42)
- 17 – 24. Sc around in each row (42)
25. \* Sc in each of next 5 sc, dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (36)
26. \* Sc in each of next 4 sc, dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (30)
27. \* Sc in each of next 3 sc, dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (24)
28. \* Sc in each of next 2 sc, dec 1 over next 2 sc \* repeat around (18)
29. Stuff body amply, making fluffy and full.
29. \* Sc in 1, dec 1 over next 2 \* repeat around. At end of row, SST yarn through remaining sc, pull yarn to close body. Tie off and weave in loose ends.

**ARMS/Legs:** Using a tapestry needle, attach yarn to one appendage, sew through body, push needle to other side of body at same row location, and repeat the process. Do not sew to outside of appendage, only inside. Check for movement. It is advisable to wrap yarn around sewing post between body and arm for strengthening movement.

1-4. Using the contrasting color, repeat rows 1-4 of Head (18).

Change to base color at end of row 4.

5. \* Sc in 1, dec 1 Sc over next 2 Sc \* around (12)

6-26. Sc in each Sc around. Stuff arm with fiberfill, continue to stuff as needed.

27. \* Sc in next Sc, dec 1 over next 2 Sc \* repeat around (12).

28. \* Dec 1 over next 2 Sc\* repeat around.

29. Weave in remaining yarn with SST, tie off; weave in loose ends.

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\* Legs option: Increase ball of "foot" in contrasting color by increasing row #3 by 10 stitches. Keep in mind to decrease the additional in row 5, after you have changed color to base.

**Tail:** Using both colors of yarn (doubled) crochet 1-4 of Head. Increase next 3 rows each by 4 stitches (22,26,30) assuring count is evenly distributed. In row 8 decrease in same manner by dec 1 Sc over next 2 Sc (2 then 4 decreased stitches). Tie off. Stuff tail slightly and weave in remaining yarn to close tail. Leave length of yarn to attach to the body. When complete, weave in loose end.

\*Optional tail: Using both yarns, make a pom-pom tail, attaching length of yarn from wrapping to back of body. Fluff and trim tail evenly.



**Finishing Notes:**

Options: Make a tear drop and broken heart from felt. Tear drop should be attached just under corner of the eye. The broken heart should be in blue and pink, offset from one another. See picture above.

Options: Baby blanket is made from a foundation chain, then sc across. 3<sup>rd</sup> row and beyond are \* 3 Dc in same chain space, then a sc \* across. Have fun making your own design on the blanket 😊 Sew a shank button to the wrist of the bunny and attach a corner of the blanket to the button for removal.

Make sure all facial features and ears are finished before attaching head to body.

Head to Body: using the yarn and tapestry needle, whip stitch head to body. Head should not rotate or be very moveable. Weave in loose ends after securing.

Arms and Legs attachment are in crochet instructions.

Necktie – Ribbon is used to make a necktie using a Windsor Knot or a simple bow tie.

Make a long running stitch 3x in the foot of the bunny leg, keeping approximately 3 spaces between each stitch. The stitch should run from where the contrast colors meet to the bottom of the foot. See picture for details.

Attach tail to backside of bunny with the length of yarn remaining in the tail. Tie off and weave in loose ends.



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