

# Heart Washcloth



## Supplies:

- Cotton Chenille (one ball of Crystal Palace Cotton Chenille will make 3 – 4 hearts)
- Size 5 needle
- Tapestry needle
- F5 crochet hook (optional)
- Stitch holder

## Gauge:

5 stitches per inch (Gauge is not super important)

## Abbreviations:

- k = knit
- kfb = knit into the same stitch from the front and then the back, increasing one stitch
- ssk = slip two stitches as if to knit, return them to the left needle and knit them together, decreasing one stitch
- k2tog = knit two stitches together, decreasing one stitch

Cast on one stitch

Row 1: kfb (2 stitches)

Row 2 (and every even row until row 48): k

Row 3: kfb, kfb (4 stitches)  
 Row 5: kfb, k2, kfb (6 stitches)  
 Row 7: kfb, k4, kfb (8 stitches)  
 Row 9: kfb, k6, kfb (10 stitches)  
 Row 11: kfb, k8, kfb (12 stitches)  
 Row 13: kfb, k10, kfb (14 stitches)  
 Row 15: kfb, k12, kfb (16 stitches)  
 Row 17: kfb, k14, kfb (18 stitches)  
 Row 19: kfb, k16, kfb (20 stitches)  
 Row 21: kfb, k18, kfb (22 stitches)  
 Row 23: kfb, k20, kfb (24 stitches)  
 Row 25: kfb, k22, kfb (26 stitches)  
 Row 27: kfb, k24, kfb (28 stitches)  
 Row 29: kfb, k26, kfb (30 stitches)  
 Row 31: kfb, k28, kfb (32 stitches)  
 Row 33: k15, kfb, k16 (33 stitches)  
 Row 34 – 47: k  
 Row 48: k18, slip the second stitch from the right needle over the first binding one off, k15  
 Row: 49: k16, put the remaining stitches on a stitch holder  
 Row 50: ssk, k12, k2tog  
 Row 51: ssk, k10, k2tog  
 Row 52: ssk, k8. K2tog  
 Row 53: ssk, k6, k2tog  
 Row 54: ssk, k4, k2tog  
 Row 55: ssk, k2, k2tog  
 Row 56: ssk, k2tog, bind off

Put the stitches on the stitch holder back on the needles. Join the yarn in the middle of the heart and knit 1 row. Then follow directions for rows 50 – 56.

Use the tapestry needle to weave in the ends. At this point you will have a plain heart washcloth.



You can dress them up a little more with some basic crochet or embroidery and contrasting chenille.

This heart is edged in crab stitch (single crochet going left to right). Blanket stitch would make a pretty edging too.



Even simpler is a simple straight stitch.



Copyright 2012 Kathy Lewinski

[www.justcraftyenough.com](http://www.justcraftyenough.com)

Do not sell or duplicate this pattern. Do not sell items made with this pattern. Do not teach this pattern without my permission. Thank you.