

Materials Needed

- 4.0 mm crochet hook
- Scrap yarn (various colors: skin tone, red, gray, black, white, brown)
- Eyeglasses charm (available on Amazon or craft stores)
- Tiny pearl beads for earrings
- Stuffing
- Stitch markers
- Optional: Wire for cane and internal support
- Hot glue gun (for gluing details like hair and accessories)
- Optional: Felt or foam for a stable base

Tip: Most of this project can be made with scrap yarn. Only the dress color might need a larger quantity.

Pattern Instructions

The Dress Base

1. Start with a Magic Ring

Make 6 single crochets (SC) into a magic ring. Use a stitch marker on the first stitch of each round.

(Alternative: Chain 2 and make 6 SC into the first chain.)

2. Increasing Rounds

- Round 2: 2 SC in each stitch (12)
- Round 3: 1 SC, 2 SC in next repeat (18)
- Round 4: 2 SC, 2 SC in next repeat (24)
- Round 5: 3 SC, 2 SC in next repeat (30)
- Round 6: 4 SC, 2 SC in next repeat (36)
- Round 7: 5 SC, 2 SC in next repeat (42)

3. Work Evenly

- Rounds 8–14: 1 SC in each stitch (42)

4. Decrease to Shape the Body

- Round 15: 5 SC, *dec* repeat (36)
- Round 16: 1 SC in each stitch (36)
- Round 17: 4 SC, *dec* repeat (30)

5. **Work Evenly Again**

- Rounds 18–25: 1 SC in each stitch (30)

6. **Back Loop Round for Dress Trim**

- Round 26: SC in back loops only (30)

7. **Closing the Base**

- Round 27: 1 SC, *dec* repeat (20)
- Round 28: Decrease around (10)
Fasten off, cinch the hole closed using front loops, and flatten the base.

8. **Optional Bottom Trim**

- Using white yarn, add a twisted single crochet trim to exposed front loops for stability.

The Head

1. **Magic Ring – 6 SC**

2. **Increase to Shape**

- Round 2: 2 SC in each (12)
- Round 3: 1 SC, *inc* repeat (18)
- Round 4: 2 SC, *inc* repeat (24)
- Rounds 5–8: 1 SC in each (24)

3. **Add Safety Eyes and Stuffing**

- Insert eyes between rows 6–7 with ~2 visible stitches between them
- Stuff the head firmly but not too heavy

4. **Decreasing the Head**

- Round 9: 2 SC, *dec* repeat
- Round 10: 1 SC, *dec* repeat

- Round 11: 1 SC in each
- Finish last stitch in red yarn

5. Neckline and Hat Base

- Round 12: Back loops only (SC in red – 12)
 - Round 13: 1 SC, *inc* repeat (18)
 - Round 14: 5 SC, *inc* repeat (21)
 - Rounds 15–16: SC around (21)
 - Round 17: 5 SC, *dec* repeat (18)
 - Round 18: SC around (18)
 - Round 19: 4 SC, *dec* repeat (15)
 - Round 20: 3 SC, *dec* repeat (12)
- Fasten off and leave a tail for sewing.
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Hair and Bun

1. Wig Cap

- Start with 6 SC in magic ring
- Round 2: 2 SC in each (12)
- Round 3: 2 SC, *inc* repeat (24)
- Rounds 4–5: SC around
- Chain 1, turn, and make 23 extended SC for bangs

2. Bun

- 6 SC in magic ring
 - Round 2: 2 SC in each (12)
 - Round 3: 3 SC, *inc* repeat (15)
 - Rounds 4–5: SC around (15)
- Fasten off, stuff lightly, and sew to top of head.

3. Finishing Face

- Sew small black mouth (or glue it)
- Embroider a small nose

- Glue on eyeglasses and earrings
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Arms

1. **Magic Ring** – 6 SC
 2. **Round 2:** 1 SC, *inc* repeat (9)
 3. **Rounds 3–4:** SC around
 4. **Change to Dress Color (Red)**
 - Round 5: Back loops only, 2 SC, *inc* repeat (12)
 - Round 6: SC around
 - Round 7: 3 SC, *inc* repeat (15)
 - Round 8: SC around
 - Round 9: 3 SC, *dec* repeat (12)
 - Round 10: 2 SC, *dec* repeat (9)
 - Round 11: SC around
Fasten off, stuff lightly, and whip stitch closed.
 5. **Arm Trim:** Add twisted SC trim in white to exposed front loops.
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Cane (Optional but Recommended for Balance)

1. **Chain 4, SC 3 across**
 2. **Repeat for 14 rows**
 3. **Wrap around a wire base and sew shut**
 4. **Bend wire to form a cane shape and attach to hands**
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Shawl

1. **Using 5.0 mm hook and brown yarn**
 - Chain 2, work 3 DC into the first chain
 - Turn, chain 2, work increasing shells as you go
 - Create 3 rows of shells, then a mesh row with SC, *ch 2, skip 1*

- Weave a long strand through mesh holes to tie around neck
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Base (Optional for Stability)

1. **Chain 11, SC 9, 5 SC in last st, SC 9 on other side**
2. **Work in the round, gradually increasing**
3. **Add HDCs and SCs to shape a rounded foot base**
4. **Hot glue a layer of foam or felt underneath**
5. **Glue the granny and cane securely to the base**