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Make a Burp Cloth using Shannon Fabrics 16 ounce Turkish terry and Embrace® double gauze cotton.



It's Sew Easy TV episode #1503-3 was titled **Heroes Come in All Shapes and Sizes** and featured a custom Baby Bottle Cover. Thinking that a burp cloth would be the perfect companion to the baby bottle, I created a burp cloth to match. Follow the instructions in this tip sheet to make your own.

Enjoy!

As seen on PBS it's Sew Easy TV

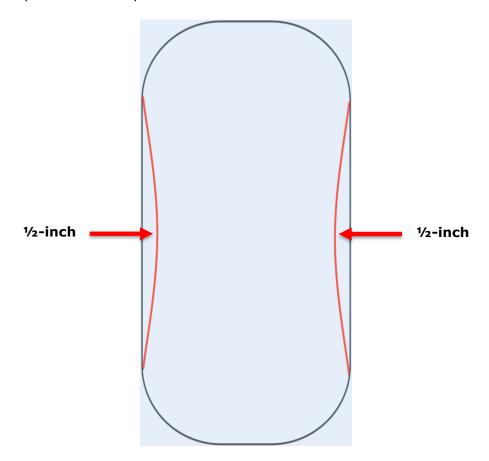
Materials and basic supplies for burp cloth:

- Paper or pattern tracing cloth for making pattern.
- One piece of terry cloth measuring 9-inches wide X 18-inches long <u>and</u> one piece of double gauze measuring 9-inches wide X 18-inches long.
- Additional double gauze for making self-fabric binding, or extra wide double fold bias tape for binding edge of burp cloth with purchased binding. <u>CLICK HERE</u> to view and download binding instructions featured on show 1513 of It's Sew Easy TV. In this particular show you'll see yet another baby project, a baby bath wrap.
- All-purpose sewing thread to match fabric.

Pattern instructions:

- Step 1. To begin, draw a rectangle measuring 9-inches wide X 18-inches long.
- Step 2. Mark a line ½-inch from the center of each long edge.
- Step 3. Draw a tapered line from the center mark, continuing towards each end to create a slight curve in the center of the rectangle. **Tip:** You can choose to draw this line on just <u>one side</u> of the shape and then fold the piece in half lengthwise to make a matching line on the opposite side.

Step 4. Create a modified hourglass shape by rounding off the four corners with a small round object such as a desert plate. See example below:



Create the burp cloth:

Use the pattern to cut one piece of terry cloth and one piece of double gauze. Place fabric wrong sides together, with all raw edges even. Trim if necessary for even edges. Bind outer edge to finish.

Tip: Decorate the terry cloth side with an embroidery design suitable for the napped fabric before sewing the layers together.