# Little Swimmer 2.0.1

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At the suggestion of Ravelry user <u>Shariellen</u> on the behalf of the <u>Condom Amulet Project</u>, I've created this version of my Little Swimmer pattern. This pattern was designed to accommodate one condom from the brand <u>One Condoms</u>, but could hold multiple condoms or be adapted to other shapes and brands. If you encounter any problems with this pattern, feel free to contact me at cristy99@gmail.com.

#### **Materials:**

- 4.00mm crochet hook
- less than 50 yds of Plymouth Yarn Encore Worsted in White
- small amount of black yarn (I used I Love This Yarn! from Hobby Lobby)
- · varn needle
- about 1 foot or 25cm of ribbon or string (for tying the amulet closed)

The pattern is crocheted in the round with the magic circle method. The number in the parentheses is the number of stitches in the row. All stitch terms are American.

### **Body:**

Ch 2.

Row 1: 6sc in the first chain and pull tail tight (magic circle) (6)

Row 2: 2sc in each stitch (12)

Row 3: \*1sc, 2sc\* around (18)

Row 4: 1sc in each stitch (18)

Row 5: \*1sc, 1sc, 2sc\* around (24)

Row 6: 1sc in each stitch (24)

Row 7: \*1sc, 1sc, 1sc, 2sc\* around (30)

Row 8: 1sc in each stitch (30)

Row 9: 1sc in each stitch (30)

Row 10: \*1sc, 1sc, 1sc, 1dec\* around (24)

Row 11: 1sc in each stitch (24)

Row 12: \*1sc, 1sc, 1sc, 1sc, 1sc, 1sc, 1dec\* around (21)

Row 13: 1sc in each stitch (21)

Row 14: 1sc in each stitch (21)

Row 15: 1sc in each stitch (21)

\*This next part deviates slightly from crocheting in the round.

Row 16: slst in the first stitch, ch4, and tr around (21 when including the ch4)

\*Note: If you're using thin ribbon or string, you may wish to dc instead of tr.

Slst in the ch4 and, without cutting, continue to the tail.

#### Tail:

Ch 35 (or more for a longer tail)

Sc in the second chain from the hook

Sc in every chain until you reach the body

Slst in the first tr

Cut your tail, pull your yarn through, and weave in the tail.

With the black yarn, give him a face. Thread the ribbon through the triple crochets and tie a bow to keep him closed. And he's done!





