

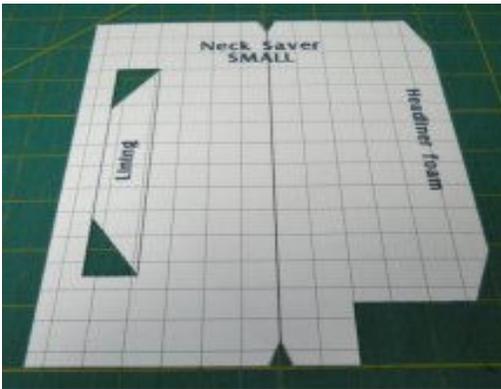
# Neck Savers

## (Seat Belt Wraps)

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**First!! Open the "READ ME" text file for a list of supplies & pattern printing instructions. Instructions are for making 1 belt wrap. However, if making 2 wraps, there is an optional design called "2 Linings" to make 2 linings & adding velcro strips in just 1 hooping! Please see the "2 Linings" text file for more detailed information.**

Cut fabric, headliner fabric, and velcro to size stated in your instructions. You will also need a Scotch glue stick..



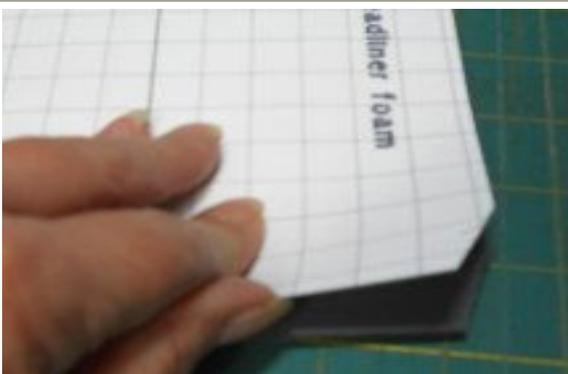
1. Print pattern "actual size on card stock. Cut pattern out and also cut away the small triangles & center notches at the top and bottom.

2. Center pattern on RIGHT side of fabric, mark center at top & bottom using pattern notches. Repeat on LINING fabric but place center marks on WRONG side of fabric.



3. On RIGHT side of LINING fabric, center pattern on top and mark triangles on left side.

4. Rub a glue stick on wrong side of soft velcro piece & center inside triangle marks (right side up) Stitch velcro in place with narrow zig zag stitch on sewing machine.



5. Place pattern over headliner fabric even with top & right side. Mark angles on ends, trim away.

6. Hoop stabilizer. Stitch placement line on stabilizer. Extend center line by marking on stabilizer at top & bottom.



9. Place fabric in hoop keeping fabric at top even with "T" on placement line & keep center marks centered on both ends so fabric is centered in hoop.



10. Put hoop on machine. Next step tacks fabric down & stitches the velcro placement lines on the left side.



11. Continue stitching design on front following instructions in text files provided with your designs.



12. Center lining wrong side up (velcro on right) in hoop. Keep fabric even with "T" of placement line & keep center marks even too. (must be accurate here!)



13. Tape at corners, put hoop on machine. The next step tacks lining down, stitches long basting stitches on left side. Remove ensemble from hoop.



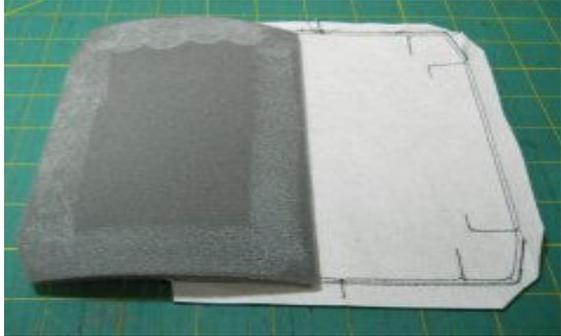
14. Trim stabilizer even with edge of fabric on all sides. Fold fabric back at seam with basting stitches, iron to crease. Flip over & repeat on other side.



15. Clip corners as necessary for turning right side out.



16. On side with no stabilizer, remove basting stitches.



17. Rub glue stick along entire edge of headliner fabric (glue on fabric side) Flip wrap so that stabilizer side is facing up.



18. Center headliner fabric (glue side down) keeping straight side even with short placement stitches. With press cloth over ensemble, steam iron to set the glue.



19. When glue is dry, turn right side out. Keep seams even at edges & iron. Use stitch witchery to close opening.



20. Center scratchy half of velcro inside placement lines. Secure velcro with zig zag stitch on sewing machine.



21. Top stitch with 1/4" seam around the top, bottom & the angled front edge to secure the headliner fabric inside.



22. Fold bottom edge to the inside of the wrap. Fold top over until the velcro strips meets inside. You're finished!