

AIDS Care Kits



Contents (NEW items only)

- 1 bar bath soap** (90-140 g / 4-5 oz; in wrapper)
- 1 bath towel** (medium weight, bright color)
- 1 washcloth** (bright color)
- 2 flat bedsheets** (twin size)
- 2 pillowcases** (standard size)
- 2 yards fabric** (poly-cotton, bright color)
- 1 pair rubber gloves** (large size; for household cleaning)
- 1 container petroleum jelly**
(approx. 368 g / 13 oz; sealed in plastic bag)
- 1 container of medicated body powder**
(ie. Gold Bond; approx. 283 g / 10 oz)

\$100 to purchase medicines and Bibles for people living with AIDS, to train volunteers in basic home health care and to provide food and travel allowances for volunteers. (Make check payable to "MCC-AIDS Care Kit")

Place contents in a drawstring shoulder bag.
(see instructions on back)

Find your nearest kit collection center

In Canada: 888-622-6337

In the U.S.: 877-517-5673

www.mcc.org/aids/kits



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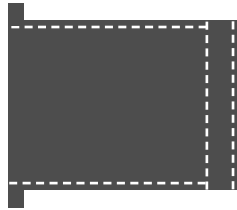
This project is in collaboration with Interchurch Medical Assistance.
www.interchurch.org

How to make a drawstring shoulder bag

Finished size: 16 x 22 inches

1. Get ready

- Cut sturdy colorful fabric into rectangle: 17" x 48"
- Cut two pieces of fabric 2" x 4" for two loops.
- Cut two sturdy 7-foot cords for drawstring.



2. Sew

- Fold the edge of large fabric 1/2" in on all sides and stitch a narrow hem the entire way around.
- Fold down 1 1/2" at each short end and stitch to form a casing for the drawstring. (Stitch close to folded end as well as the bottom of the casing.)
- To make loops: Fold in half lengthwise, then fold each cut edge into the center fold. Stitch lengthwise.
- Fold bag in half with wrong sides of material together. Insert a loop on each side between the two layers at the bottom of the bag so they will be sewn into the seam. Stitch along outside from casing seam to bottom fold.

3. String

- Run a cord through the casing beginning and ending on the same side and through the same side loop. Repeat, beginning and ending on the opposite side.
- Tie ends of string with an overhand knot above the loop.

