Red Cross Trache Bag

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

Cut 1 panel main fabric 98cm x 57 cm

Cut 1 panel lining fabric 98 cm x 57 cm

Cut 2 handles 7cm x 55 cm

Cut tape to reinforce handle 2 x 55 cm

Cut 1 pocket 36 cm x 20 cm

5cm strip Velcro for pocket

1. HANDLES

Fold 55cm x 7cm strip in half lengthways and stitch using a 1cm seam allowance. Turn right side out. Stitch tape to underside of handle to reinforce.

2. POCKET

Fold pocket in half and stitch side seams and bottom, leaving an opening to turn. Turn right side out and stitch opening closed. Stitch Velcro to centre top of pocket and place pocket on centre of lining about 10cm from top and stitch other side of Velcro onto lining. Stitch pocket onto lining matching up the Velcro.

3. BAG

Take rectangles of main fabric and fold in half and sew sides closed. Repeat with

lining – leaving +- 12cm open on one side for turning.

Box the corners as follows:

Fold the bag as in picture and mark

11cm on seam. Draw a line across which should

Measure 22cm.

Sew across the corner. Repeat on the other side of the bag.

This forms the base of the bag which can be stitched to the base to secure.

Repeat with the lining.

4. ATTACHING HANDLES

Mark centre of the bag on each side and position straps +- 8 cm either side of centre, stitch.

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Repeat on other side.

5. FINISHING

Take the lining with right side inside and place main fabric bag with handles inside – right sides together. Match side seams and sew around the top with a 1.5cm seam. Turn the bag through opening in lining and press then topstitch. Stitch the opening in the lining closed.