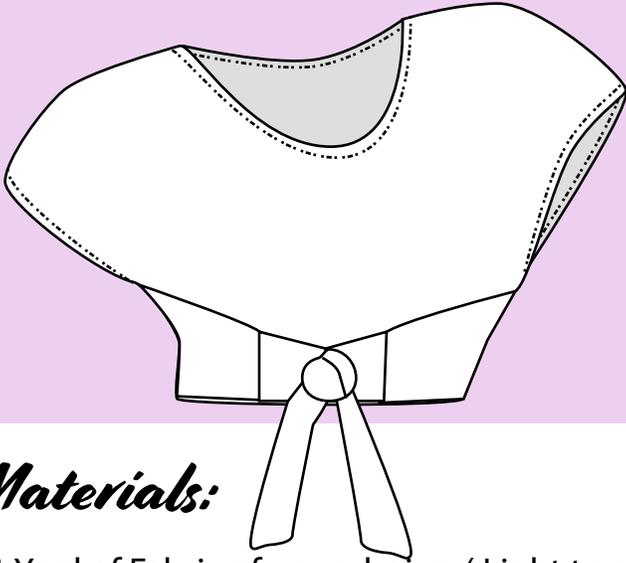


Easy DIY Poncho Wrap Top

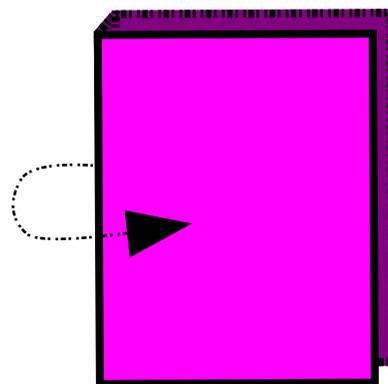
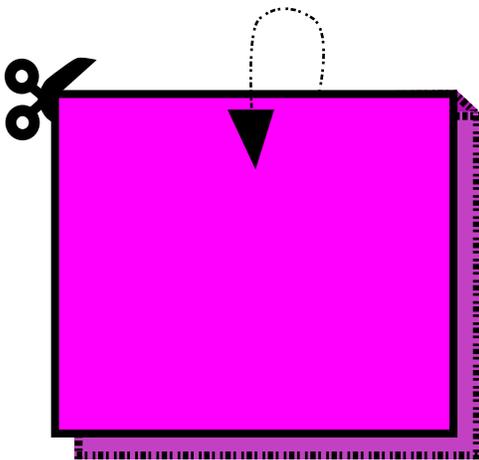


This easy DIY Wrap Top is easy to make, easy to wear and only requires 1 yard of fabric. Unlike wrap tops that cross over the front or back to wrap. This wrap top is more like a poncho with open side seams that have waist ties at the front panel and back panel. The overlapping of the front and back panels creates a dropped sleeve and beautiful front tie at the waist. Fits most misses sizes S-XL.

Materials:

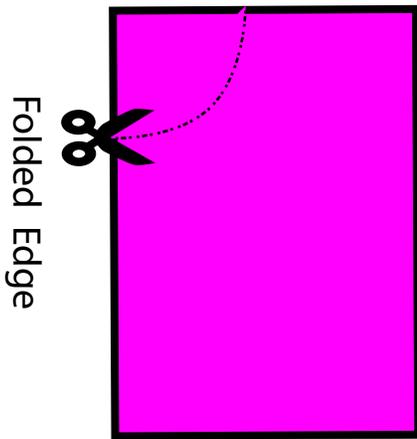
- 1 Yard of Fabric of your choice (Light to medium wt. Cotton, Linen, and Rayon work best)
- Tailors chalk or Fabric Marking Pen
- Scissors
- Thread
- Fabric Pins
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Pattern and Cutting Directions:

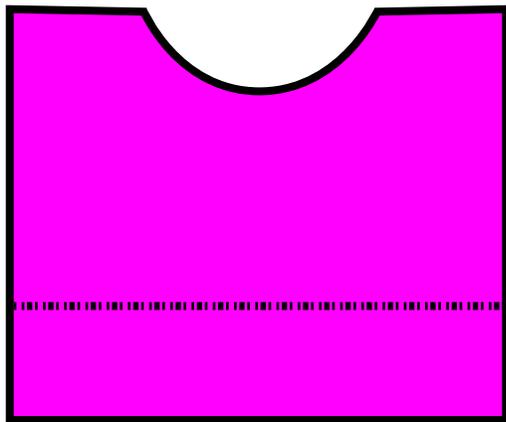


1. Fold fabric in half with the shorter ends meeting each other. Cut across the folded edge. You will now have two panels. One will be the shirt front and the other the shirt back.

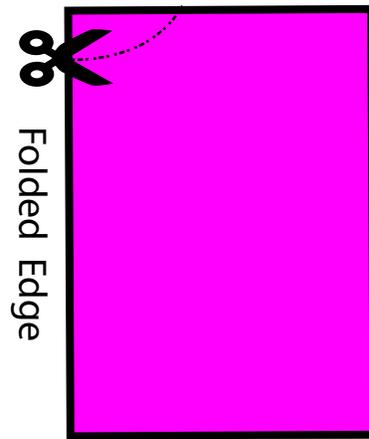
2. Take one of the fabric panels and fold in half again allowing the shorter ends to meet each other.



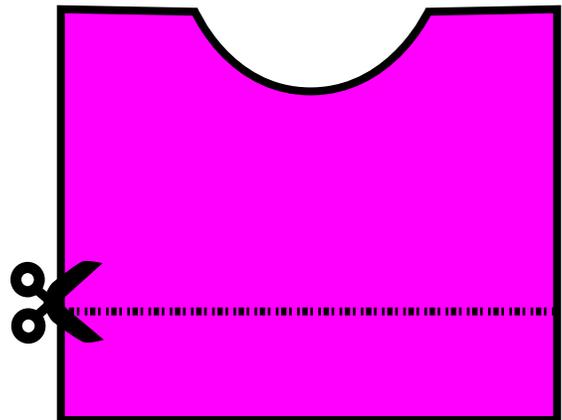
3. Using a tailors chalk or fabric pen. Draw and cut a curved line from the folded end to the upper edge of the folded fabric. This will be your front neckline. I recommend using the neckline from a favorite t-shirt or tank top.



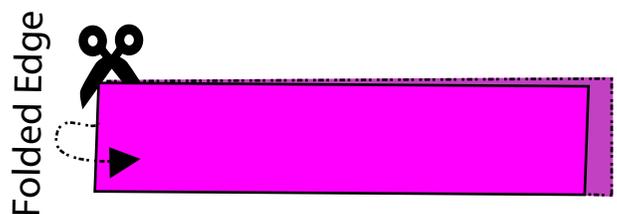
5. Unfold the fabric one time so that the front panel and back panel are laying on top of each other. Draw a line across the bottom of the panels about 4-6 inches wide depending on how long you want your finished top to be. ** Make sure to leave enough room for a 1" hem allowance and the bottom band is wide enough to fold-over. **Tip: you may want to pin the hem lines together to prevent the fabric from shifting.



4. Repeat step 3 for the second panel. Marking a shallower curved line. This is your shirt back.



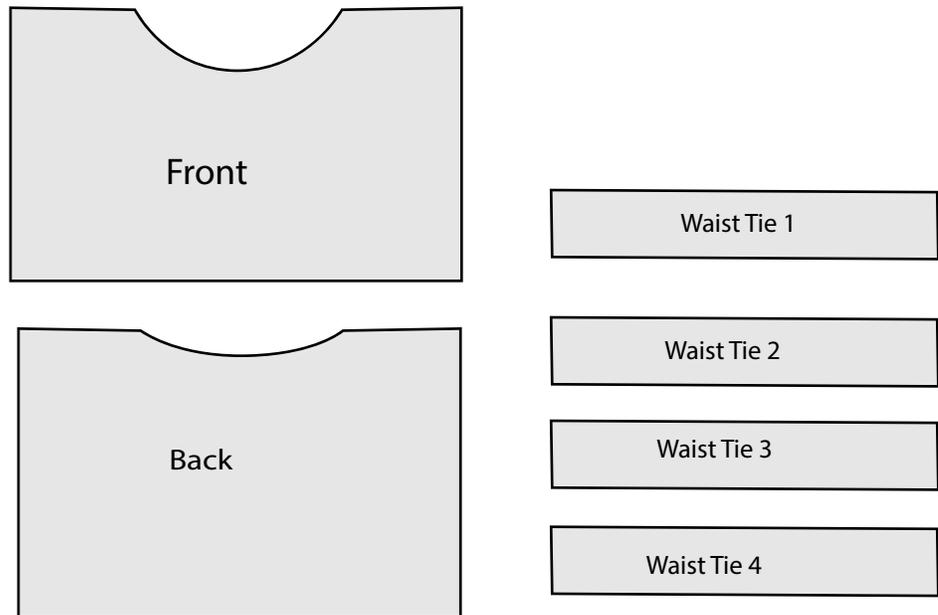
6. Cut across the panel along the marked line. This bottom panel will become your waist ties.



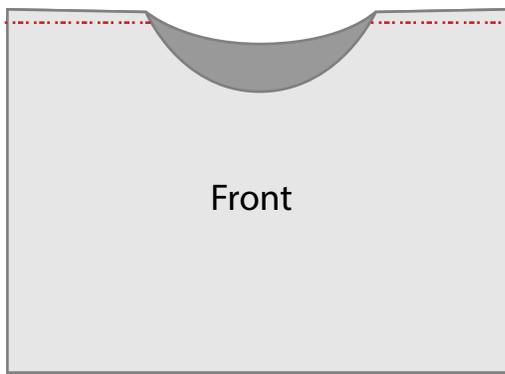
7. Fold the front panel in half along the length and cut along the short folded edge. You will now have a total 4 fabric strips. 2 for the front and 2 for the back. Leave the width as you will fold the fabric in half and stitch later.

Pattern Pieces:

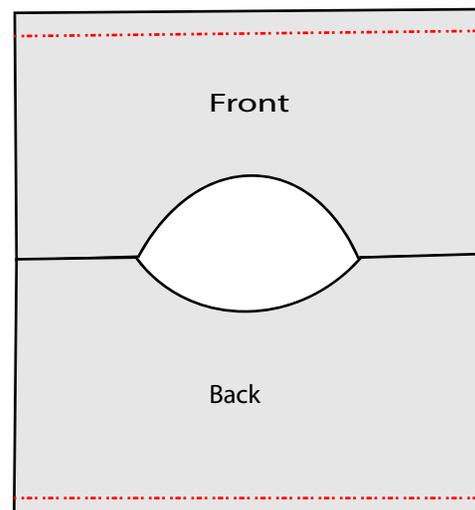
1. Front
2. Back
3. 4 Waist Ties



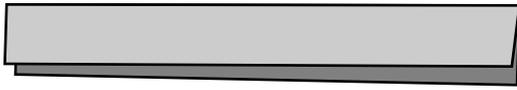
Sewing Directions:



1. Place your front and back pieces together. Lining them up at the shoulder seams. Stitch along shoulder line.



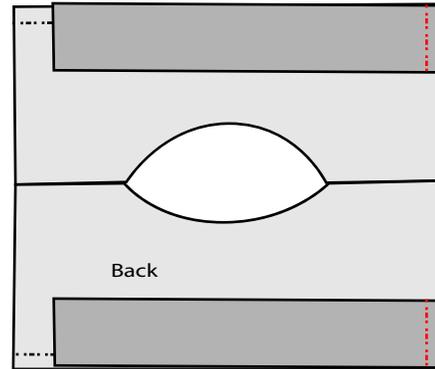
3. Fold up an 1" at the bottom edges of both the front and back panels. Top stitch in place.



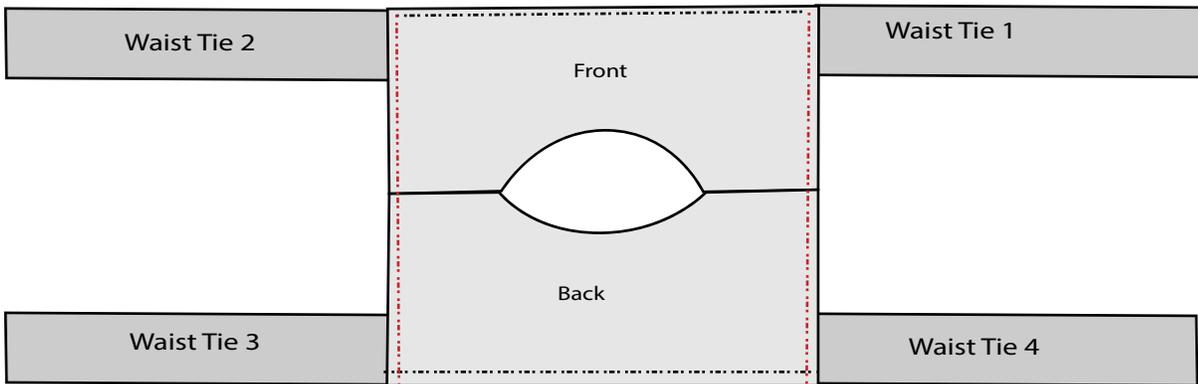
5. Fold waist ties in half lengthwise. Matching long edges. Cut along the folded edge. Do this for all 4 waist ties.



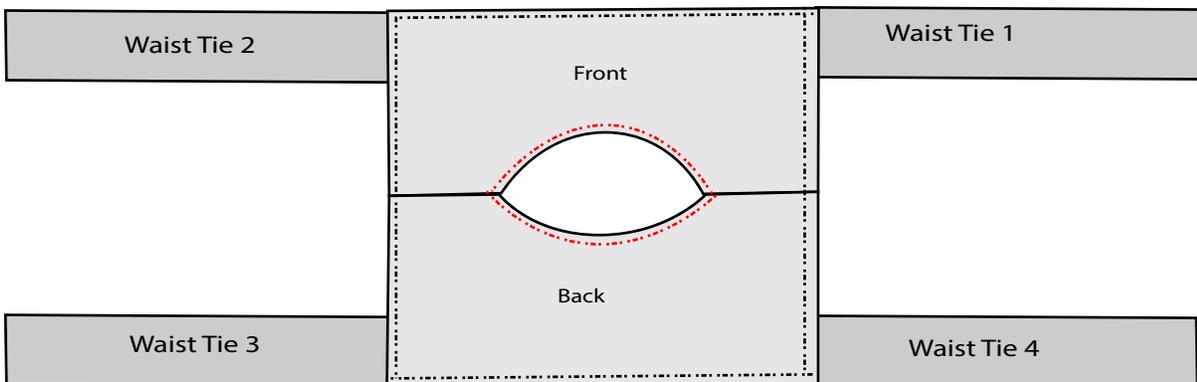
6. Stitch $\frac{3}{8}$ " along the unfolded raw edge. Extending up one short side of the tie. Leaving one end open. Using the open end, turn out right side of the fabric pushing out the corners and press.



7. Attach Waist Tie 1 and 2 to hem of the right front and back panels. Lining up raw edges. Stitch in place at $\frac{1}{2}$ " seam allowance. Repeat attaching waist ties 3 and 4 to the hem of the left front and back panels.



8. Fold out waist ties. This will cause the side seams to also fold up at $\frac{1}{2}$ ". This is now your side seam allowance. Press folded side seam in place. Top stitch side seams at $\frac{3}{8}$ " making sure to stitch down the waist tie seams as well.



9. Fold under neck line at $\frac{5}{8}$ " press in place and top stitch at $\frac{1}{2}$ ".