




Awareness Ribbon Peyote Pin

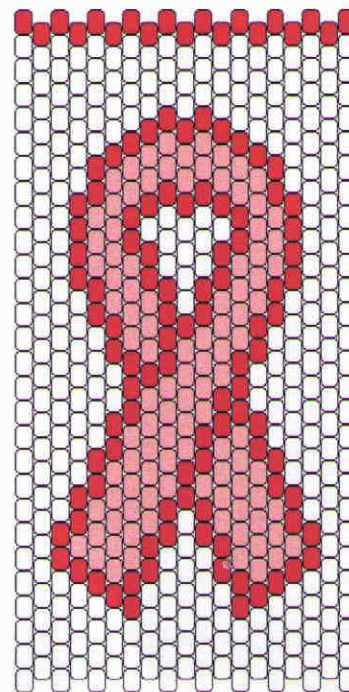
This pin is stitched in Odd Count Peyote



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-  236 – Dark Pink
-  234 – Light Pink
-  202 – White



Getting Started:

Begin with a 5-6' length of Nymo thread. Pre-stretch the thread and coat with Thread Heaven. Put on one bead of any color to act as a "stop bead". Go through this bead two more times to secure it, leaving a 6" tail to be woven in later. The "stop bead" will keep the first row of beads from falling off.

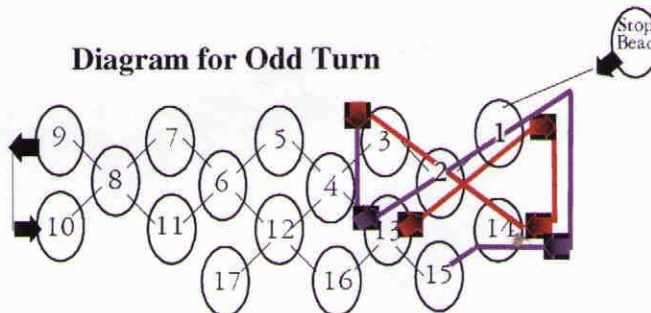
On this piece, you will begin at the top right hand side and work your way down. Put 19 DARK PINK beads on your thread, pulling them all the way to the stop bead. This will be your first two rows. Row 3 will begin on the left side of the chart. Add one WHITE bead, skip the first DARK PINK bead (row 1 bead) and go through the next DARK PINK bead (row 2 bead). Add one WHITE bead, skip a bead and go through the next bead. Continue adding beads for row 3 reading the graph from left to right. When you get to the next to the last bead on row 3, you will notice that there is no where to securely place the last bead. You will need to do an "odd turn". After placing the next to the last bead on row 3, pass through the row 2 bead and the row 1 bead. Add one WHITE bead (the last bead for row 3). Now go back through the row 2 bead and the row 1 bead that is to the upper left of the row 2 bead. Bring your thread down between the beads and go back through the next to last bead on row 3, the bead on row 2 and the bead on row 1. Go through the last bead of row 3 again – this begins row 4 (see diagram on below for detail). Continue on with the beading. The left hand side will be an even turn without the special turn. The right hand side will always require the odd turn.

Starting/ending a thread: You may run out of thread before you finish the design. If this happens, weave your existing thread through the beads at an angle, then reverse the direction. Exit a bead and trim your thread close to the bead. Begin your new thread in the same way. Remove the stop bead at the top and weave thread into piece.

Fringe: Start a new thread exiting through the first bead on the bottom row. String 9 delica beads then a miracle bead then another delica bead. Pass back through the miracle bead and delica beads and go through the second bead on the bottom row. String 5 beads, a miracle bead and another bead. Pass back through the miracle bead and delica beads and go through the third bead on the bottom row. Alternate between 5 and 9 beads for the fringe until you get to the last bead on the bottom row. Weave the thread back through the piece and trim.

Attach the pin back and you are finished!

Diagram for Odd Turn



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