

## HALF MATTRESS STITCH SEAM (CROCHET)

1. Put the 2 pieces next to each other, right side up and edges together.
2. Bring threaded needle up through centre of first edge stitch on one piece.
3. Insert needle in centre of first edge stitch on other piece, then out again at centre of next edge stitch on that side.
4. Insert needle in centre of same edge stitch (from step 2) on first piece, then out again at centre of next edge stitch.
5. Swap from side to side, always going into the centre of the stitch that the last stitch on that side came out of.
6. Keep the seam firm, but do not pull the yarn too tightly – the seam should not be any tighter than the crochet fabric.

