



Dignity Container Curtains



Covers Fluid Containers up to 12x13"
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- ♥ 1 piece 16" x 26" cotton/poly fun fabric plus any trims (or piecing pieces to 16x26")
- ♥ 32-36 inches of 1/2" or 3/8" fabric/satin ribbon, grosgrain, shoe strings or serged ties
- ♥ MS Flat Label and optional appliques, or use fabric markers to personalize!

Instructions:

1. On Sides and Bottom, secure raw edges by serging, or covering with double bias tape, or hemming with straight stitching a 3/8" double-fold over. If using a single-fold over, then stitch with tight zig zag stitching so raw edges are covered to prevent fraying.
2. Single-fold the 26" Top edge down 1" inch and center your zig zag stitch on the edge of the fold down for strong stitching. OR serge this edge before folding. This is the tunnel for the ribbon.
3. MS label and decorative appliques: Zig zag stitch around edges of labels and appliques to prevent fraying. Attach label to outside of fabric about 2.5" from the center of the fabric. This label allows nurses and patients to know who to call for more curtains.
4. Personalize with trims (lace works well) and messages with fabric markers.
5. Attach a large safety pin at one end of ribbon and a small one at other end. Secure large safety pin to the fabric near insertion to prevent losing ribbon. Insert small safety pin and push through out to other side. Remove safety pins and tie knots on tips larger than the opening. Make sure ribbon is centered. Fold the curtain to find the center, from the top, stitch a 1" vertical line through all layers, to lock in the ribbon. Curtain should gather easily by sliding ribbon.

