

POSSUM POUCH SEWING GUIDE

Supporting Babies of the Bush

Possums are some of the most common orphans to have in care.

Therefore wildlife hospitals and carers need large amounts of suitable snuggly pouches to house them! Can you help us make a pile for pouches of these gorgeous babies of the bush?

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The pouches will be used at local Wildlife Hospitals and distributed to our amazing volunteer wildlife carers.



Materials

- Cotton flannelette is best for the inner pouch.
 - Polar fleece or wool for the outer pouch.
- A sewing machine or overlocker threaded up.
 - Iron (optional)

Fabric Cut Sizes

Size	Outer pouch (Fleece or wool)	Inner pouch (Flannelette)
	Length (cm) x Width (cm)	Length (cm) x Width (cm)
Extra small	20 x 36	24 x 34
Small	27 x 44	31 x 42
Medium	35 x 55	40 x 53
Large	41 x 70	47 x 68

Instructions

1. Cut a rectangle of fabric according to measurements above (seam allowance is included).
2. Top edge; fold over 1cm & press, fold another 1cm & press again then sew.
3. Fold fabric in half widthways, placing right sides together & press.
4. Using an overlocker or sewing machine on zigzag stitch, sew the side & bottom seams.
5. Turn bag through, press & sew seams again approximately 6mm in (French Seam).
6. Sew a curve into the bottom corners of the inner pouches only.