



KNIT A SQUARE...and help **Close Knit Hugs™** blanket victims of disasters in the U.S. **Close Knit Hugs™** will create twin-size blankets by joining the donated squares together, sending them along to shelters and organizations to distribute.

Using Size 10 knitting needles, cast on thirty stitches of bulky weight yarn or use 2 strands of worsted weight or sport yarn. If in doubt, cut out this 8-inch (20.32cm) square paper template to measure your work. Knit enough rows to obtain the desired size. Bind off, weaving any yarn "tails" into your square's edge.

You can use any size needles, yarn or pattern as long as the completed square is at least 8 inches by 8 inches (20.32cm by 20.32cm).

If you are not a knitter, crochet a square.
We encourage you to use up your yarn remnants from other projects on these squares. Send completed squares to:

CLOSE KNIT HUGS™
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Check our website often for updates, questions, comments and photos of completed blankets!

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*Small gestures such as these knitted squares
can help us all serve our community.
And many squares blanket a community.*

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cut this template on outside of dotted lines = 8" x 8" 20.32cm x 20.32cm