

Acute Helm Chain – Basic Directions

Class exercise ring size:

16 AWG (1.29mm) 0.188" (4.8mm)

16 AWG (1.29mm) 0.313" (7.9mm)

1. Close two small jump rings and put them on a tail wire. Open two large jump rings and close them through the two small rings. Open a small jump ring and close it through the two large rings.



2. Open a large jump ring and close it around the small ring from the previous step, passing it between the two large rings.



3. Close a small jump ring. Open a large jump ring and insert it through the small ring and close it.



4. Hold the small jump ring from the previous step in place as shown at the working end of the chain. If this is not the first pattern make sure the direction of the two small rings lines up with the direction of the pair of small rings in the previous patterns.



5. Open a large jump ring and insert it through the small ring from the previous step on the opposite side of the chain from the large ring initially attached to it.



6. Open a small jump ring and close it through the two large rings at the working end of the chain.



7. Repeat steps 2 through 6 until complete. When complete, open a small jump ring and insert it through the last two large rings parallel to the small ring already there.

