

# Together, we can!

## Original Pleated Mask (Nose Wire + Pocket)

7 1/2" (19cm)

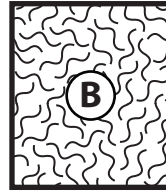
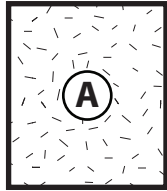
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#### Notes:

- 100% Cotton, high thread count, tight weave (pillow cases, sheets, quilting fabric)
- Cotton thread please
- Please pre-wash and dry fabric before sewing
- Straps can be cotton bias tape or same fabric
- Light colors are preferred but patterns can be fun
- Please no offensive or divisive symbols/patterns! Keep it fun for all!
- No Elastic Straps (Most elastic has latex or no guarantee of being latex free)
- Avoid pinning if possible, use seam clips or binder clips to hold fabric
- This pattern complies with the St. Charles Medical Center request.

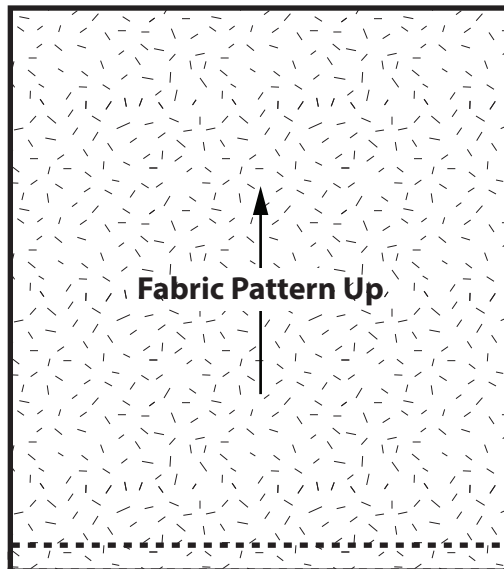
- 1** **Cut Fabric Body:** 8 3/4" (22cm) Tall x 7 1/2" (19cm) Wide, quantity 2 pieces per mask. \*\*Two different patterns per mask\*\*



- 2** **Double Fold 1/4" & Top Stitch Bottom Edge:** **A** & **B**  
Follow: **2a** **2b** **2c**



This is a full size pattern, check print size here with a nickel or measure 1" (25mm) Square.



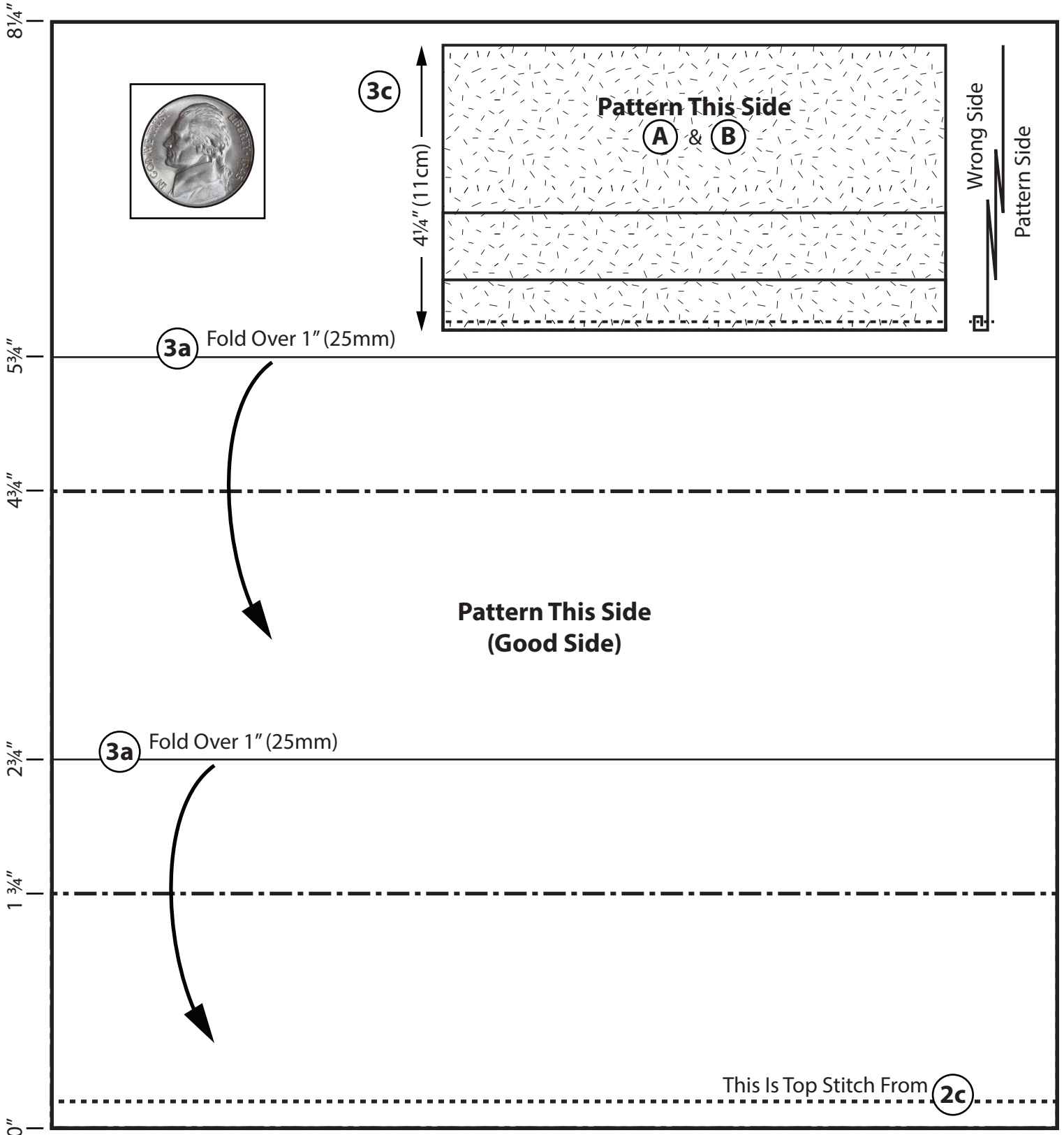
Wrong Side  
Pattern Side

**2a** Fold Under 1/4" (6mm)

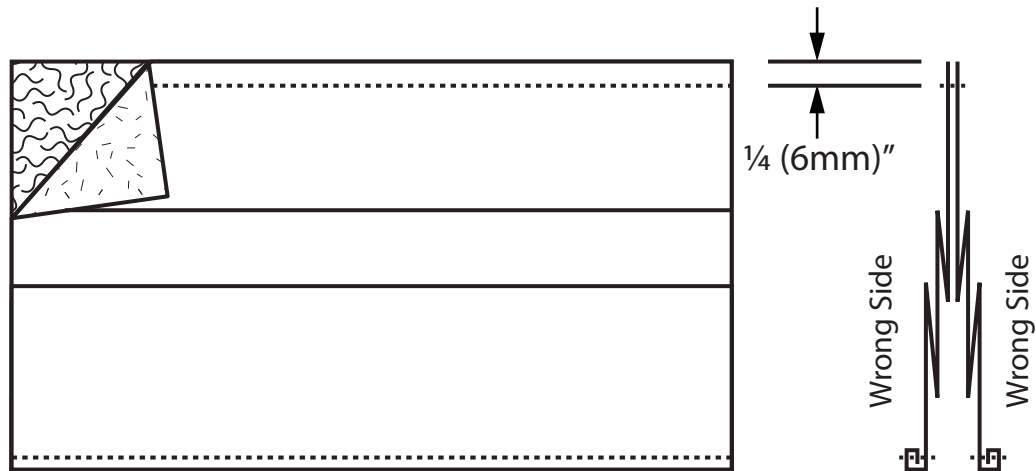
**2b** Fold Under 1/4" (6mm)

**2c** Top Stitch Scant 1/4 (5mm) or 1/8" (3mm)

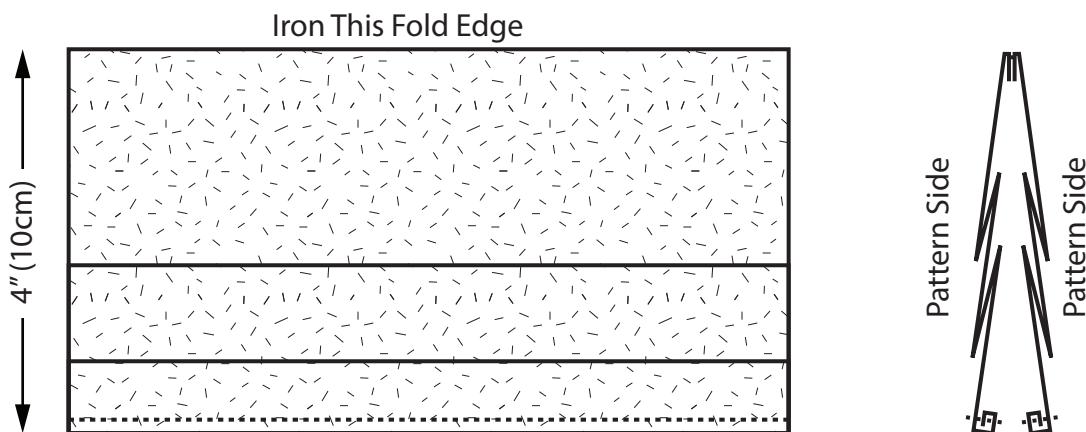
**3** **Pleat A & B:** Fold 2 pleats using lines as shown. Shingle down. Iron. Finished size should be 4 1/4" (11cm) tall. Follow: **3a** **3b** Check with: **3c**



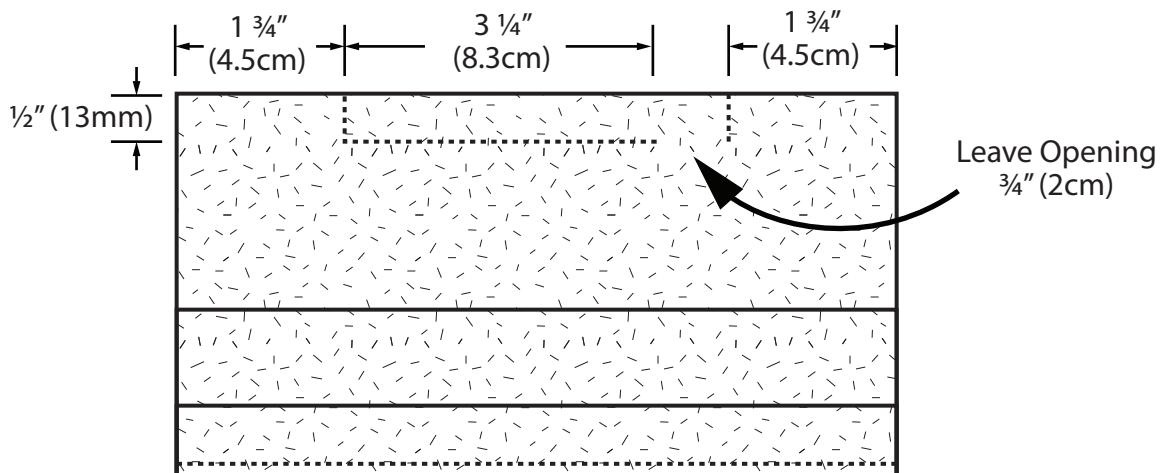
- 4 Join Front & Back:** Align **(A)** & **(B)**, pattern sides together. Stitch  $\frac{1}{4}$ " (6mm) seam along top edge, backstitch for strength.



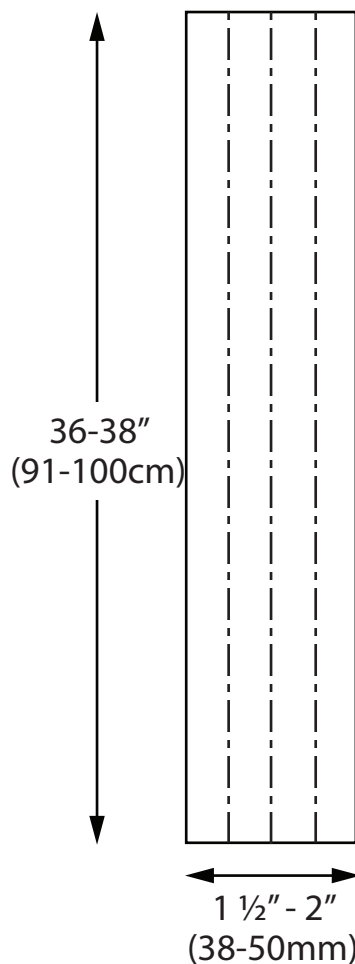
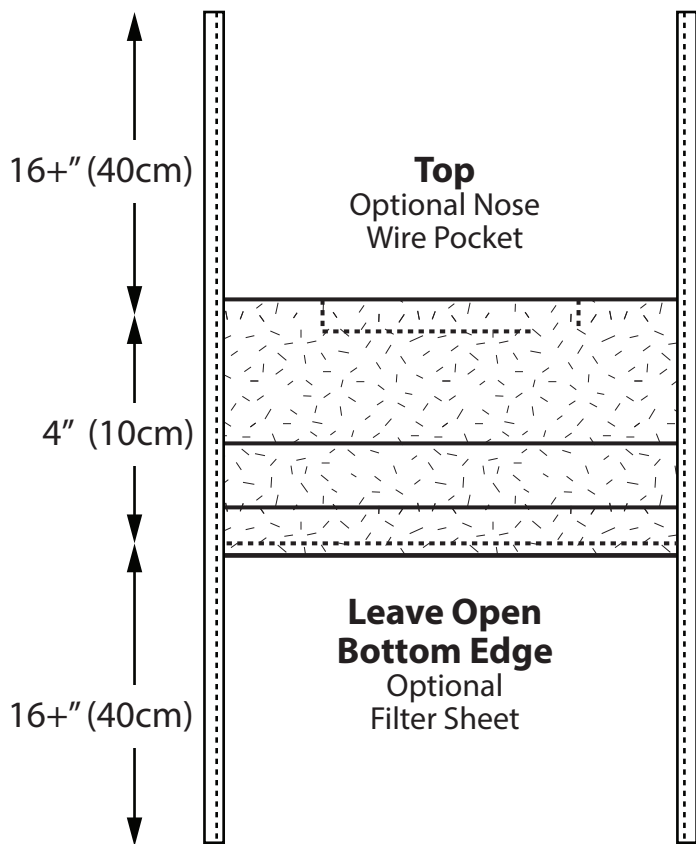
- 5 Flip & Iron:** Open and flip along top seam so that pattern sides are facing out. Iron along top edge.



- 6 Top Stitch Nose Wire Pocket:** As shown below. Backstitch for strength all seams.



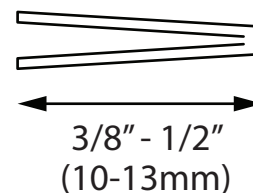
**7 Add Straps:** Add bias tape or body fabric straps as shown.



**Making Straps**

1. Cut strips of fabric, does not have to be on the bias.  
1 1/2" - 2" Wide x 36-38" Long
2. Fold in half lengthwise and iron
3. Fold each side in toward center and iron
4. Fold along center and iron again.

The strap cross section should look like this:



# Check For Pins!

**8 Finished!:** Awesome! Please check the Central Oregon Mask Makers Facebook page for collection & drop-off updates and details.

**! Be Safe!:** It is very important to sanitize DIY sewn masks prior to use. Please do not be a vector!