## Tubular Herringbone Stitch

This diagram shows a strip 6 beads wide. Increase the width by adding your desired even number of beads. Add a Bead Stopper (BEADSTPR) to one end of the thread to keep the beads from sliding off.

1. You will start by creating a ladder stitch with an even number of beads. Pick up two beads and bring your thread up through 1A, down through 1B and back up through 1A.
2. Bring your thread down through 1B. Add another bead to the thread (1C) and bring your thread back down through 1B.
3. Bring your thread back up through 1C, add another bead to the thread (1D) and bring your thread back up through 1C again.
4. Bring your thread down through 1D, add another bead (1E), bring the thread down through 1D again, and then back up through 1E. Add another bead (1F). Bring the thread back up through 1E. and down through 1F.
5. Bring the first row into a circle by taking your thread from 1 F and bringing it up through 1A. Secure the circle by bringing the thread back down through 1 F and up again through 1 A .
6. Add two beads to your thread (2A and 2 B ) and go down through 1B and up through 1C. Add two beads (2C \& 2D) and go down through 1D and up through 1E. Add two beads (2E \& 2F) and go down through 1F.
7. Go up through 1A and 2A. Add two beads (3A \& 3B) and go down through 2B and up through 2C. Add two beads (3C \& 3D) and go down through 2D and up through 2E. Add two beads ( $3 \mathrm{E} \& 3 \mathrm{~F}$ ) and go down through 2 F and then up through 2 A and 3 A . Repeat steps 6 and 7 to continue the tubular herringbone stitch.


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