



the Easy Go Wallet

Steps 43-47

Adding Welts

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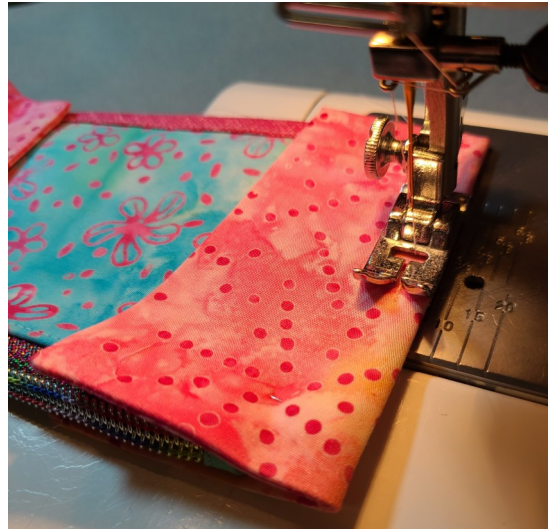
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43) Retrieve Coin Purse from step 39. Push raw side edges of Coin Purse firmly INTO each fold of Welt.

Please Note: *the Bottom corner edge of Welt should be even w/bottom edge of Coin Purse. Top edges of Welts will be a bit HIGHER than zipper teeth.)*



43 cont.) Using a zipperfoot, stitch 1/4" from the folded edge of each Welt thru ALL layers, but... *this is a LOT of layers* to sew thru at the corners. Because of this bulkiness, I recommend you start your stitching in the center of each Welt & stitch out to the corner (upper left), then flip Coin Purse over to start again in the center to stitch out to opposite corner (upper right). Reinforce stitching at each end.

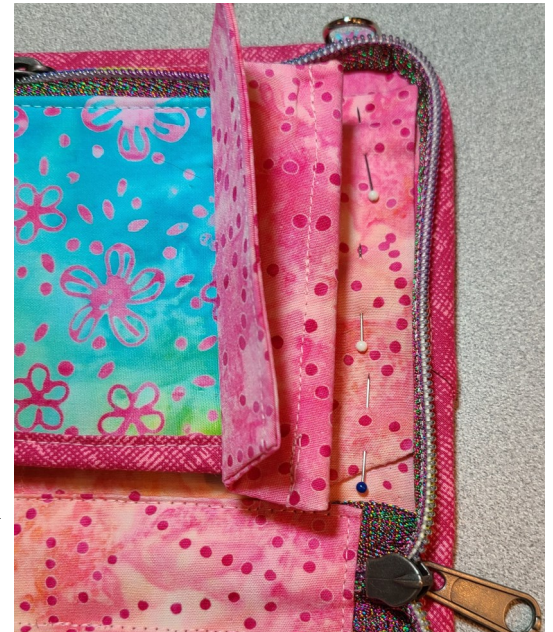
44) Press the "free" side edges of Welts back onto themselves until they align with pressed center Welt folded edge. Press firmly.



45) Retrieve Wallet from step 31 & place it ESD on flat surface. We recommend placing the ID Holder side of Wallet Insert face DOWN on the "LS of the Wallet Back".

← Starting on left side, push Coin Purse to the right, & away from back Welt edge so it can be snugged as close as possible to inside edge of Wallet zipper. (at left) Place top corners of Welt ~1/4" ABOVE the "A" fold line of Caddy. Pin to secure.

46) Move to right side of Wallet Insert now & push Coin Purse to the left, & away from back Welt edge so it can be snugged as close as possible to inside edge of Wallet zipper. (at right) Place top corners of Welt ~1/4" ABOVE the "A" fold line of Caddy. Pin to secure. →





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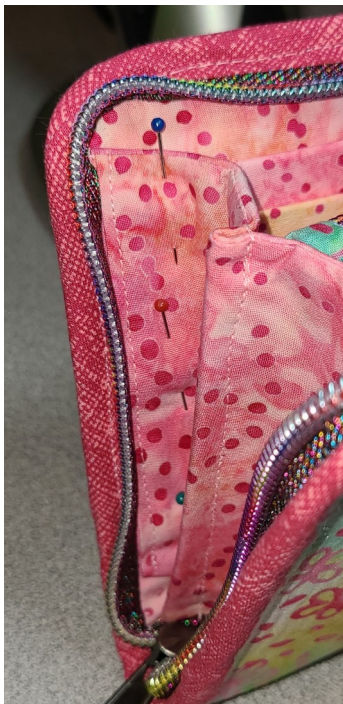
45 cont) Machine stitch close to side edge of both Welts using a zipperfoot.

Do NOT stitch in Wallet zipper. Reinforce stitching at top & bottom corners.

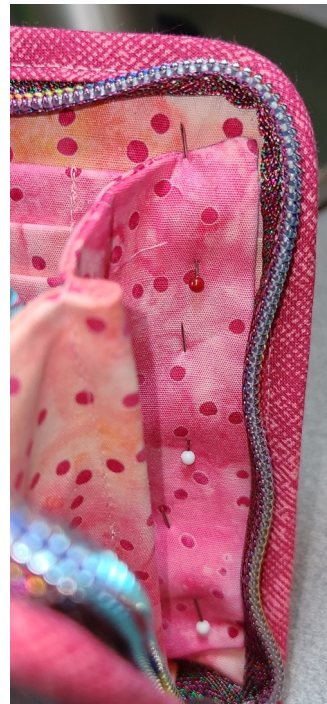


(Be mindful– this stitching WILL show on Wallet exterior. But, if you placed the Welt as directed in step 45, you'll be stitching thru to the backside of your Wallet & depending on your fabric, it may not be noticeable at all, (as in the example at left)

It's your choice, you can always handstitch it in place instead if you prefer.



47) Refer to steps 45+ 46 to place to snug your remaining free Welt edges close to inside Wallet zipper edge on opposite side of Wallet. (This time however you'll need to partially close your Wallet in order to do this.)



47 cont.) Prior to stitching in place, DO consider that this stitching WILL LIKELY be visible on the Wallet Front (depending on your exterior fabric choice). For this reason, I generally handsew these Welt edges into place, BUT... if you prefer, you can machine-stitch these edges down just as you did in steps 45-46. It's a little awkward but not too bad if you push that Coin Purse over to the side to reveal more of the stitching area.

