

Chained to You by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 7 inches

Beads and other products needed for one pair of earrings:

- 8 - 4mm Jet Hematite 2X Swarovski Crystal Round Bead – 5000 (04RD0143)
- 2 - 12mm Jet Hematite Swarovski Crystal Rivoli Sew-On Stone – 3200 (EW0292)
- 7 inches - Base Metal 2mm Flat Oval Link Cable Chain - Gold (CN3201)
- 10 inches - Base Metal 2mm Satellite Rollo Chain with 2.5mm Ball – Gold (CN7202)
- 5 inches - Base Metal 3.75mm Pinch Bead Chain – Gold (CN6001)
- 1 pair - 14mm Gold-Filled Ear Wire with Bead by TierraCast (GF2107)
- 6 - Gold-Filled Head Pin - 26 gauge - 2 in. (GF2755)
- 1 - Round Gold-Filled Half Hard Wire - 26 gauge - 5 feet (GW0117)

Tools needed to complete the earrings:

- Round nose pliers
- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters

Beading Techniques needed to complete the earrings:

- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring
- Cutting Chain Efficiently
- Wire Wrapping
- Wire Wrapped Link
- Attaching an Ear Wire

Instructions to complete “Chained to You” earrings:

Step 1

Cut the chain into the following lengths (see Cutting Chain Efficiently Technique):

3.5 inches - Base Metal 2mm Flat Oval Link Cable Chain - Gold (CN3201)

5 inches - Base Metal 2mm Satellite Rollo Chain with 2.5mm Ball – Gold (CN7202)

2.5 inches - Base Metal 3.75mm Pinch Bead Chain – Gold (CN6001)

Step 2

Cut a 3 inch length of wire and begin to make a wire wrapped loop on one side. (Wire Wrapped Link technique).

Before wrapping the link, attach the 12mm Jet Hematite Swarovski Crystal Rivoli Sew-On Stone. Wrap the wire to close the loop. Cut the excess wire.

Step 3

Place one 4mm Jet Hematite 2X Swarovski Crystal Round Bead on the wire and begin to make a wire wrapped loop on the other side of this bead. Before wrapping the link, attach all 3 pieces of chain from Step 1 into the loop. Wrap the wire to close the loop. Cut the excess wire.

Step 4

Place one 4mm Jet Hematite 2X Swarovski Crystal Round Bead onto a head pin, making one unit.

Step 5

Wire wrap (see Wire Wrapping Technique) this unit to one end link of one of the chains in Step 3. Cut the excess wire.

Step 6

Repeat Step 4-5 twice to add a crystal to each of the remaining lengths of chain.

Step 7

Open the loop on one ear wire (see Attaching an Ear Wire Technique), and attach it to the sew-on stone from Step 2. Close the loop.

Step 8

Repeat Steps 1 – 7 for the second earring.

For step-by-step photos and instructions on these and other techniques, visit FusionBeads.com and select Beading Techniques from the top navigation bar. You'll find more Inspiration jewelry ideas at FusionBeads.com!