

Match front and back shoulder pieces together and stitch them. Sew a gathering stitch thru the top edge of each sleeve and pull to have sleeve fit in. Sew this. Sew a gathering stitch thru the cuff area of sleeve, then gather to fit the cuff. I sew the cuff to the right side of the sleeve.

Turn the edge of the back opening to the "X" place and stitch this under. Do not sew the back seam yet.

You can use tiny cord to make piping for your collar trim or just fold the trim piece and sew to collar edge so that this will be the edge trim around the collar. Sew the collar to the neck area. Next sew the neck binding with right side against the pj body piece.. Fold down to the inside of the pjs and hand stitch.

Sew side seams from leg bottom to sleeve cuff.

I then turn pj's right side out and iron them flat. Then fold the pjs on the waist gather line and iron this. It will make sewing the gathering line around the waist much easier..

Sew the gathering line.

Fold edges of belt under and iron them. Then fold into quarters. and iron. This way you can tell how much to gather from the front to sides and then to back. (If this is complete Dutch to you...email me..lol Ipsd@empacc.net)

Place the belt across the waist line of pjs and stitch at top and bottom edges. Now turn pjs wrong side out and sew back seam.

Turn under the hems of the pants and stitch and also finish off the wrong side of the sleeve cuffs..

Sew a snap at the back closing and also two buttons on the belt front. You now have a pair on lounging pj's..unless I missed something.