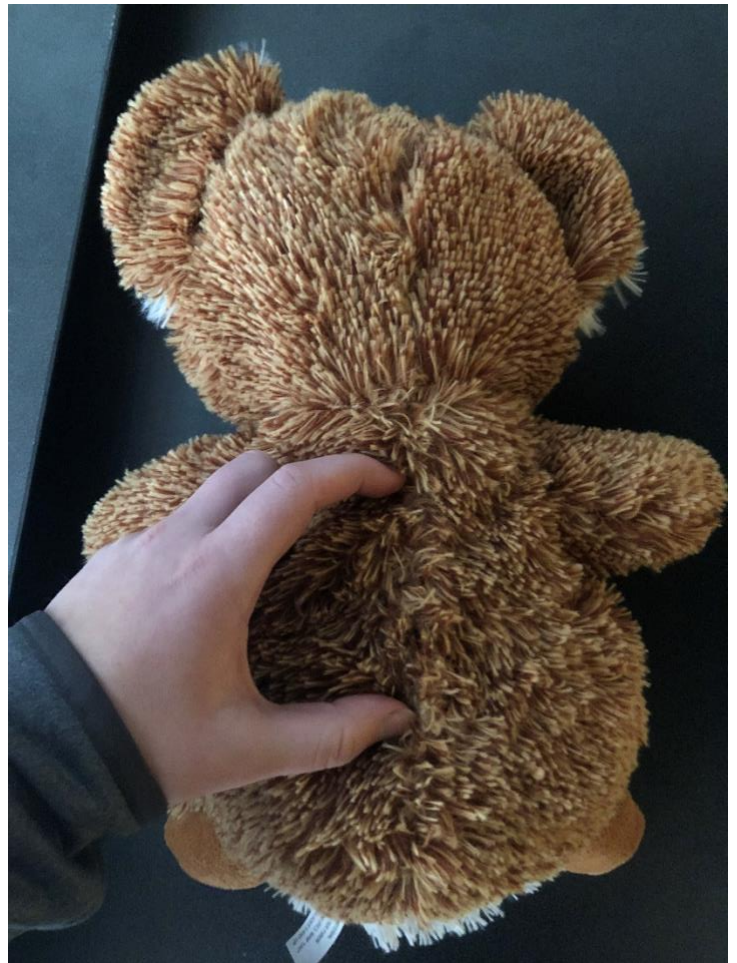


How to make a Heated Companion



Here is our stuffed koala bear which we will be putting the heating cell into. You can choose any stuffed animal, but keep in mind the size of the heating cell for being able to heat the whole thing.

The first step is to cut open the back of the stuffed animal. As I am showing here, about 3-4 inches should be enough.





I didn't get a chance to take a picture of the heating cell, but here is a front and back picture of the heating cell I used. It is a more expensive pack but is Bluetooth and able to be controlled from a smartphone.

Then put the heating pack in the stuffed animal with the charging cord attached to it. I placed the pack closer to the front of the stuffed animal, but with stuffing in between so that it is still soft. Make sure to test the heat before you sew it back up.

After finding the right spot sew the top of the opening down and some from the bottom up. Leave about Then what I did was place 4 circle Velcro pads and sewed them in a little as well. The pads were sticky which then stuck to the needle I was using, so watch out for that, possibly use glue or non-sticky pads.

Note: the long fur on this particular stuffed animal made it difficult getting the pads in and are also sticking to the Velcro, so possibly choose a stuffed animal with shorter fur.





After sewing everything together and putting the Velcro pads in, your heated stuffed animal is ready to go.

Note: The cord shown here can be put into the opening and shut in. Then, open the Velcro and pull the cord out to charge the pack without having to pull the whole pack out.

Note: In the left side of the picture you can see I cut a tag off so that the non-human animals can't rip it off themselves and possibly eat it.