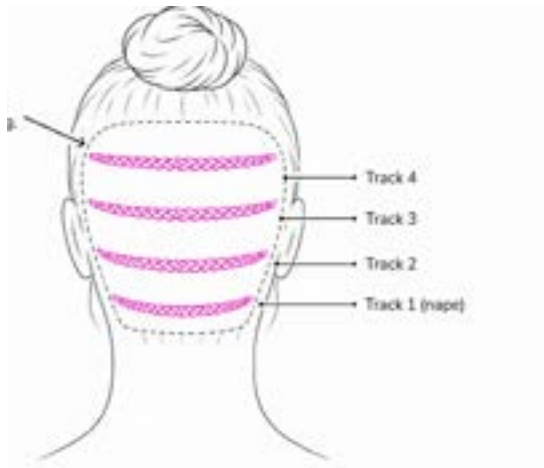


Sew-In Weft Placement Guide

Professional braid pattern and sewing technique.

- 1 Create the Braid Foundation**
Braid into flat horizontal cornrows running ear to ear. Start at nape, work upward. Leave 1-inch perimeter of natural hair around hairline for blending.
- 2 Measure and Cut the Weft**
Hold weft against braid track to measure. Cut to match. For machine wefts, seal cut edge with fabric glue to prevent shedding.
- 3 Thread the Needle**
Use a curved weaving needle with nylon thread. Double the thread for strength. Tie knot at end.
- 4 Sew the Weft to the Track**
Position weft along braid with sewn edge up. Whip stitch: needle under braid, up through weft edge, loop over. Stitches tight and evenly spaced (~1/4 inch).
- 5 Close and Blend**
Tie off thread with double knot. Release perimeter hair. Blend over wefts using flat iron or curling iron.

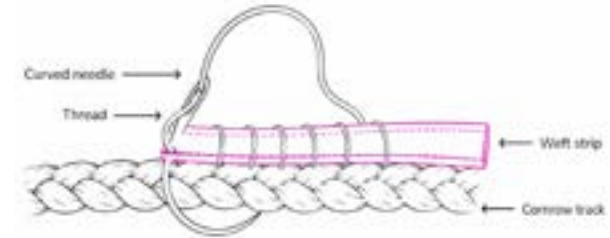


For Textured & Natural Hair (3B-4C)

- Use flat braids instead of raised cornrows to reduce tension
- Leave enough perimeter hair for seamless blending
- Braid on stretched or blown-out hair for flatter foundation
- Never braid too tightly at hairline to prevent traction alopecia

Care, Styling & Troubleshooting

Spacing from Hairline



Care & Styling

Washing: Every 1-2 weeks. Diluted sulfate-free shampoo on scalp between tracks. Rinse thoroughly.

Drying: Blow dry on low heat. Ensure braids underneath dry completely. Damp braids cause mildew.

Scalp Care: Lightweight scalp oil between tracks every 2-3 days. Avoid heavy products.

Sleeping: Silk or satin scarf every night. Prevents friction and tangling.

Removal: Professional removal every 8-10 weeks. Cut thread carefully, never blindly near braids.

Troubleshooting

Issue	Solution
Weft bumps visible	Braids not flat enough. Re-braid tighter and flatter.
Itchy scalp	Diluted tea tree oil. Ensure braids dry after washing.
Shedding from cut weft	Edge not sealed. Apply fabric glue to cut ends.
Track showing through	Need more leave-out or thicker section on top.
Tension headaches	Braids too tight. Remove and re-braid immediately.