

“Chandelier” Earrings

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Suggested Materials:

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Stock #</u>	<u>Name</u>
2	48-549-09-3	5x28x3mm 3-hole wavy spacer bars, sterling silver
2	48-549-09-5	5x43x3mm 5-hole wavy spacer bars, sterling silver
10	06-002-10-01	10mm Swarovski® crystal tip-drilled balloon pendants, crystal
16	05-000-03-01	3mm round Swarovski crystal beads, crystal
10	05-000-05-01	5mm round Swarovski crystal beads, crystal
12	05-000-06-01	6mm round Swarovski crystal beads, crystal
32	24-985-99-04	4mm round disco-cut beads, sterling silver
10	24-922	2mm round beads, sterling silver
4	37-552	2" extra-thin head pins with 2mm ball end, sterling silver
10	41-554	1.5x2mm (Size 1) crimp tubes, sterling silver
18"	61-358-49-21	0.030" 21-strand Beadalon® stringing cable, silver plate
1 pair	31-524	4mm cube posts with loop, sterling silver
2	33-514	Butterfly nuts, sterling silver (not shown)

Tools: cutters, chain-nose pliers

To make this design:

1. Cut three 6" pieces of stringing cable, and add a balloon pendant to the center of each piece.
2. Add a 3mm round crystal and crimp tube through both cables.
3. Repeat step 1 & 2 for a second piece of cable. For the third piece, add just a crimp tube through both pieces of cable.
4. String these cables through the center 3 holes of a 5-hole wavy spacer bar, as pictured.
5. Flatten the crimp tubes with chain-nose pliers, and cut half the excess cables, leaving one strand each before adding the additional beads and 3-hole wavy spacer bar as pictured.
6. String all three strands through a crimp tube, a disco-cut bead, and a 3mm crystal.
7. Crimp and cut the excess cables, leaving one strand. Add a crimp tube and an earring post. String back through the crimp bead. Crimp and cut excess cable.
8. Add a 5mm round crystal to a head pin and thread from the top down through the outside hole of the 5-hole wavy spacer bar.
9. Add a 2mm bead and balloon pendant to the head pin, and make a wrapped loop.
10. Repeat steps 8 and 9 for other outside hole on the 5-hole spacer bar.
11. Repeat steps 1-10 for second earring.

