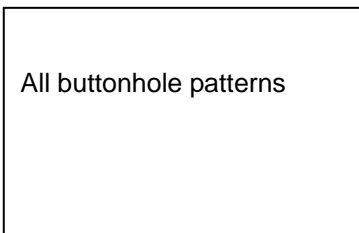


Buttonholes for Velvet or Leather

When sewing buttonholes on fabrics such as velvet or suede, the pile of the fabric may get in the way and prevent an accurate buttonhole from being sewn. In the case of leather or vinyl, the smooth surface prevents proper gripping by the presser foot. The use of plastic cling film in such cases provides a more accommodating surface to allow an accurate buttonhole to be sewn.

Machine Settings:



Foot: Buttonhole Foot R

Fabric: Pile Fabrics (Velvet, Suede, Corduroy, Terry, etc.), Smooth Fabrics (Leather, Vinyl, etc.)

1. Lay a piece of cling film somewhat larger than the buttonhole on the right side of the fabric.
2. Attach the buttonhole foot R, and start sewing.
3. Peel off the cling film from the fabric when the buttonholes are completed.



Tips:

- * Pin the cling film to the fabric to prevent it from moving before sewing.
- * A sheet of cellophane or water soluble stabilizer can also be used.