

Charm Bar Setup Guide

Start with one clear party offer, assemble a small kit, and practise the full experience before taking your first booking. This guide covers launch steps and supplies for an eight guest party.

1 Choose your party format

Drop off: the customer runs the activity using your kit and instructions. Hosted: you set up, demonstrate, help guests, and pack away. Offer one or both, and explain what the host needs to provide.

2 Define your package

Choose the guest count, bracelet or necklace options, charm allowance, party length, and delivery area. Decide who handles setup, cutting, collection, and returns. Put those details in your package sheet.

3 Set a price that covers your work

Count jewelry and packaging costs per guest, then add travel, preparation, hosting, cleaning, payment fees, and a share of reusable equipment costs. Allow for your time and profit.

Illustrative offer	Example price
Party kit for 8 guests	\$175
Each additional guest	\$25
Hosted service add on	\$100

These are example prices, not a required price list. Choose your currency and confirm your own costs before publishing. Reusable tools reduce repeat purchases; jewelry and packaging still need restocking.

4 Prepare your customer details

Replace the placeholders in the package and booking templates. Choose payment methods, cancellation terms, final guest count deadline, travel fees, and kit return arrangements before accepting bookings.

5 Test and launch

Make a sample bracelet and necklace, photograph them, and rehearse the instructions with someone new to jewelry making. Confirm local business requirements and suitable insurance, then publish your offer with one clear booking contact.

Charm Bar Supply Checklist

Suggested starting quantities for eight guests making one piece each with six to eight charms. Adjust for your chosen package and party format.

Supply	Starting quantity	Notes
Finished chains with clasps	10	8 guest pieces plus 2 spares; test charm compatibility
Charms	48 to 64 plus extras	Enough for the allowance, with extra choice
Jump rings	At least 2 per charm	Match charm loops and chain links; include spares
Jewelry pliers	10	Two per person attaching rings; shared tools serve 5 at once
Cutters	2 to 3	For the adult helper; only if chains need cutting
Compartment trays	4	About 24 compartments each for sorting charms
Work mats or small trays	8	Keep each guest's design together
Jewelry pouches	8 plus spares	One take home pouch per guest
Printed instruction sheet	1 to 2	Place beside the activity
Storage tubs and inventory list	1 set	Separate tools, jewelry, and packaging

Before you buy

Start with small sample orders. Check chain links, ring size, charm loops, clasp strength, and colour matching. Use supplier supported material descriptions; stainless steel alone does not establish nickel free or hypoallergenic status.

Before each party

Count the jewelry, charms, tools, trays, and pouches. Check for sharp edges, damaged clasps, and rough rings. Prepare a sample piece and pack adult handled cutters separately.

After each party

Count returned equipment, inspect it, clean tools and trays according to material and product directions, and let them dry before storage. Sort unused stock and record what needs replacing.