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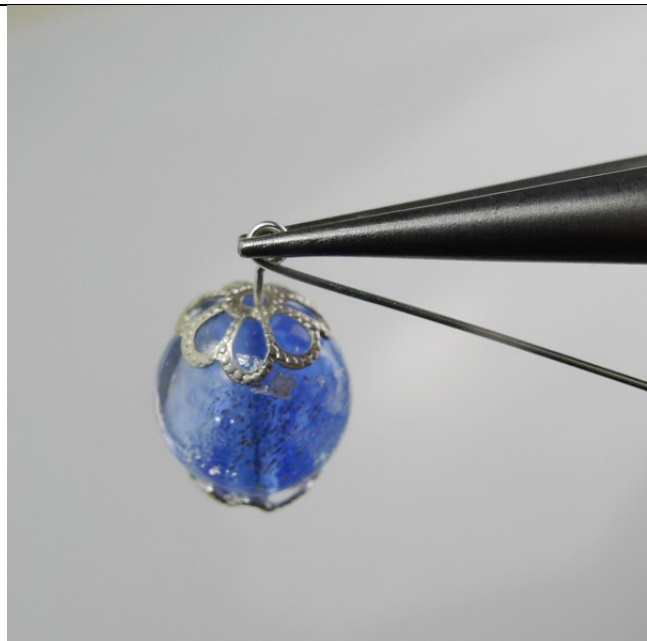
How to make a Wire Wrap

Step 1:
Place your beadcaps on either side of the bead and insert the headpin..

Step 2:
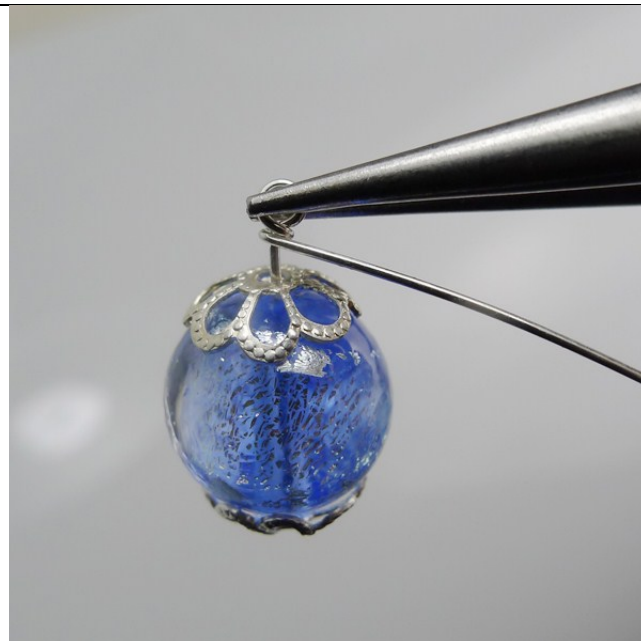Using round nose pliers grip the headpin right above the bead.

Step 3:
With your free hand grab the tail of the headpin and bend it into a 90-degree angle.

Step 4:
Reposition the round nose pliers and with your free hand grab the tail of the headpin and bend it to form a complete loop.
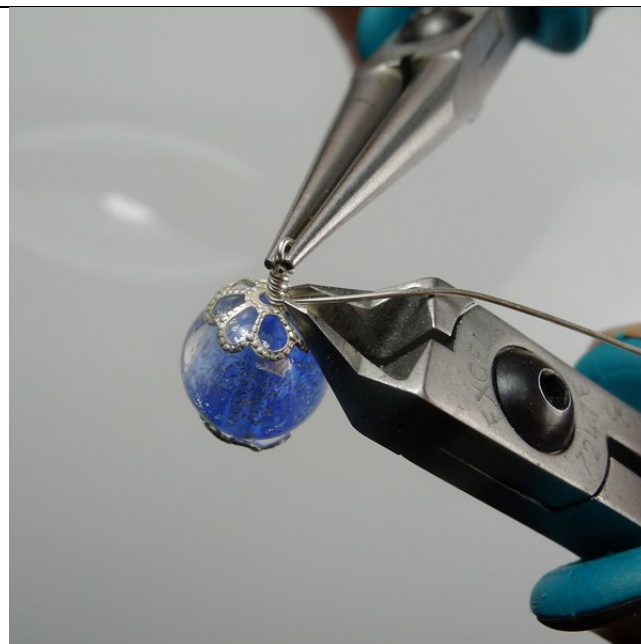
Step 5:
Grip the loop with the chain nose pliers At this point you can slide the loop onto anything you would like, i.e., an ear wire.

Step 6:
With your free hand grab the tail of the headpin and working as close to the loop as possible wrap the wire around the neck of the loop

Step 7:
. As you continue to wrap be careful not to leave spaces. Keep wrapping until you get down to the bead.

Step 8:
Using wire cutters cut the excess wire as close to the wrap as you can. With your chain nose pliers press down on the cut edge to

	make sure it is flush against the wraps.
	Final Product A perfectly completed wire wrap,

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