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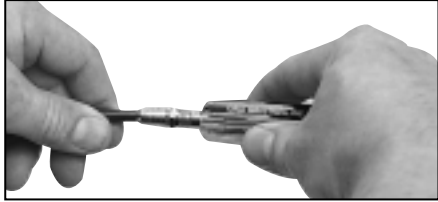
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Step 1



Fold back braiding as shown.

Step 2



Insert cable into F-connector until the dielectric is flush with small hole in center of connector.

Note: The **IDEAL F-Connector Tool** (35-046) can be used to install connector on cable.

Step 3



Crimp F-connector using **IDEAL Crimpmaster™ Crimp Tool** (30-503). Insert cable and connector into appropriate die nest of crimping tool. Center the 3 rings on back of connector in the die of tool. This die crimps RG-59 or RG-6 F-type CATV connectors. Squeeze handles until the crimping tool releases and remove cable and connector.

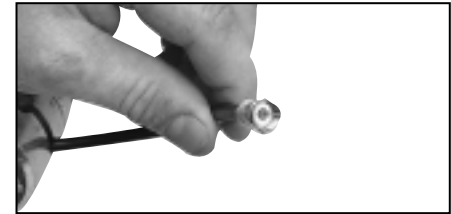
Note: An **IDEAL Coaxial Strip & Crimp Tool** (30-433) can also be used to make crimp on connections.

Step 4



Cut excess center conductor off, leaving 1/8" of the center conductor showing beyond the end of the connector.

Step 5



Check your work! Visually inspect the connection. Make sure that there is no stray braiding showing and the connector is uniformly crimped. Is the F-connector securely on the cable? Try pulling it off.