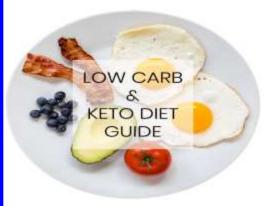
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What is a Low-Carb Diet?

These days, there are hundreds of diet plans. One of the most popular diets that has been around for decades is the low-carb eating plan. In this eating plan, carbohydrates (carbs), especially simple carbs, are restricted while foods that are higher in fat and protein are not. High-sugar items such as soda, candy, desserts, fruit juices, as well as refined grains such as pasta, cereals and breads, and starchy vegetables such as potatoes and peas, are limited.



Foods to Eat on a Low-Carb Eating Plan

Higher-protein foods are a big part of a low-carb eating plan. Lean meats such as chicken, turkey, fish, and shellfish are recommended, as well as, eggs and cheese. Healthy fats and oils such as olive oil, avocado oil, avocados, nuts, seeds, and olives are recommended. Not only are these foods low carb, but are thought to help you feel full longer. Most types of fruit are considered high in carbs, however, berries are usually the fruit of choice when it comes to the low-carb eating plan. Non-starchy vegetables are emphasized in low-carb eating plans.

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Potential Health Benefits

The low-carb eating plan may have several potential health benefits, including weight loss, lower blood glucose (blood sugar) levels after eating, lower blood pressure, and reduction in triglycerides.

Is a low-carb eating plan right for you?

Interested in exploring a low-carb diet? Talk with your doctor or dietitian so they can help you set up a plan that's best suited for your individual needs and health goals.



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Easy Broccoli and Shrimp Stir-Fry



DIRECTIONS

- 1. In a small bowl, whisk together the vegetable broth, rice vinegar, soy sauce, cornstarch, ginger, sriracha, and brown sugar blend.
- 2. Heat 2 Tbsp of the olive oil in a large skillet or wok. When the oil is shimmering, add the garlic and cook until fragrant (30 seconds). Add the shrimp and cook until opaque, about 4 minutes. Using a slotted spoon, remove the shrimp and place on a plate.
- 3. Heat the remaining 1 Tbsp of olive oil in the same skillet. Add the broccoli florets and cook until tender, about 4 minutes.
- 4. Add the cooked shrimp back into the skillet and toss to combine with the broccoli. Pour the broth mixture over the shrimp and broccoli and toss to coat. Continue cooking until the broth mixture thickens slightly, about 1 minute.

low sodium vegetable broth 1/4 cup rice vinegar 2 tbsp lower sodium soy sauce 1 1/2 tbsp Cornstarch 1 tbsp ground ginger 1 tsp Sriracha 1/2 tsp stevia brown sugar blend 1/2 tsp olive oil (divided use) 3 tbsp garlic (minced) 1 clove raw medium shrimp 1 1/4 lbs broccoli florets 3 cups

NUTRITION FACTS

4 Servings

Serving Size: 1 cup Calories: 270

- ♦ Total Fat 11g
- ♦ Saturated Fat 1.5g
- Trans Fat Og
- ♦ Cholesterol 235mg
- Sodium 400mg
- ♦ Total Carbohydrate 10g
- Dietary Fiber 3g
- Total Sugars 3g
- Protein 34g
- Potassium 890mg
- ♦ Phosphorus 385mg

https://www.diabetesfoodhub.org/recipes/easy-broccoli-and-shrimp-stir-fry.html?home-category_id=20

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