MOROCCAN BEAN BITES

Gluten Free, Higher Fiber, Lower Saturated Fat, Lower Sodium, Vegetarian

Serves: 7 (Serving= 4 bean bites and yogurt dip)

Nutrition (per serving)

Calories: 177 Total Carbohydrate: 34 g

Total Fat: 0 g Dietary Fiber: 7 g Saturated Fat: 0 g Protein: 10 g

Sodium: 162 mg



Ingredients

Bean Bites/Patties

- 2 medium sweet potatoes
- 2 15.8 ounce cans reduced sodium great northern beans (or any other beans), drained and rinsed
- 1/3 cup finely diced sweet onion
- ¼ cup flour of your choice
- 2 teaspoons paprika
- ½ teaspoon ground cumin

- ½ teaspoon ground ginger
- ½ teaspoon garlic powder
- ¼ teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon chili powder
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- ¼ teaspoon cayenne pepper
- 1/8 teaspoon allspice



Spiced Yogurt Dip

- 1 teaspoon honey
- ¼ teaspoon ground cumin
- ¼ teaspoon chili powder

- 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1 individual size container of non-fat Greek plain yogurt
- Cooking spray

Directions

Bean bites:

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 2. Clean sweet potatoes thoroughly, pierce with fork all over and microwave for 6-7 minutes or until soft. Let cool and scrape out insides into medium bowl.
- 3. Add beans, onion, flour and spices to bowl and mash well with fork or potato masher. Stir several times along with mashing in order to evenly combine spices.
- 4. Form into 28 balls, place on sprayed baking sheet and bake for 20 minutes. Put toothpicks in after baking and let cool 5 minutes before serving.

Yogurt dip:

1. Add honey and spices into yogurt container and stir well. Serve ~1 Tablespoon each with bean bites or patties.

