

Beef and Quinoa Stuffed Peppers

Ingredients

- 4 bell peppers (any color)
- 1 lb lean ground beef
- 1 cup cooked quinoa
- 1 can (15 oz) black beans, drained and rinsed
- 1 cup corn kernels (fresh or frozen)
- 1 cup diced tomatoes (canned or fresh)
- 1 tsp cumin
- 1 tsp chili powder
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp black pepper
- 1/4 cup shredded low-fat cheese (optional)

Instructions

- 1. Preheat the oven to $375^{\circ}F$ (190°C).
- 2. Cut the tops off the bell peppers and remove the seeds.
- 3. In a skillet, cook the ground beef over medium heat until browned. Drain any excess fat.
- 4. In a large bowl, combine the cooked beef, quinoa, black beans, corn, diced tomatoes, cumin, chili powder, salt, and black pepper.
- 5. Stuff the bell peppers with the beef mixture and place them in a baking dish.
- 6. Bake for 25-30 minutes, until the peppers are tender.
- 7. If desired, sprinkle with shredded cheese and bake for an additional 5 minutes.
- 8. Serve hot.

Macros (per serving, serves 4)

Calories: 350Protein: 28gCarbs: 32gFat: 12g

Shopping List

- 4 bell peppers
- 1 lb lean ground beef
- Ouinoa
- Black beans (canned)
- Corn kernels
- Diced tomatoes (canned or fresh)
- Cumin
- Chili powder
- Salt
- Black pepper
- Shredded low-fat cheese (optional)

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