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Harvest chicken and vegetable skillet



Yield: 5 servings

Ingredients:

2/3 cup dry quinoa

11/3 cups water

1/4 teaspoon olive oil

- 1 pound boneless, skinless chicken breasts, cut into 1/2-inch cubes
- 1/2 teaspoon black pepper
- 3 cups Brussels sprouts, trimmed and guartered
- 1 medium sweet potato, peeled and cut into 1/2-inch cubes
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 2 Granny Smith apples, peeled, cored, and cut into 3/4-inch cubes
- 4 garlic cloves, minced
- 2 teaspoons fresh thyme, chopped
- 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1 cup low-sodium chicken broth, divided

Directions:

- 1. Place quinoa and water in a medium saucepan and place over high heat until boiling. Reduce heat, cover, and simmer until quinoa is fully cooked, about 15-20 minutes.
- 2. Heat olive oil in a large skillet over medium high heat. Add the chicken and black pepper and sauté until lightly browned and cooked through, about 5 minutes. Transfer chicken to a plate lined with paper towels.
- 3. Add Brussels sprouts, sweet potato, and onion to skillet. Cook, stirring occasionally, until sprouts are crisp-tender and onions appear translucent, about 15 minutes.
- 4. Stir in apples, garlic, thyme, and cinnamon. Cook 30 seconds, then pour in $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of broth. Bring to a boil and cook until liquid has evaporated, about 2 minutes.
- 5. Add the reserved chicken and remaining ½ cup broth. Cook until heated through, about 2 minutes.

Nutrition information per serving:

Calories: 380 Fat: 6 grams Saturated fat: 1 gram Cholesterol: 75 mg Sodium: 140 mg Carbohydrates: 47 grams Fiber: 9 grams Protein: 35 grams Food exchanges: 3 carbohydrate, 5 protein, 1 vegetable