

Hearty Bell Pepper and Turkey Skillet

Prep: 15 minutes | Cook: 40 minutes | Total: 55 minutes

Yield: 5 servings | Serving Size: ~1½ cups

Ingredients

- 1 tablespoon oil
- 1 clove garlic, minced (about ½ teaspoon)
- 1 medium onion, diced
- 1 pound ground turkey
- 4 medium bell peppers, diced
- 1 (14.5-ounce) can no-salt-added diced tomatoes
- 1 cup 10-minute brown rice, uncooked
- 2 teaspoons dried basil
- 2 teaspoons dried oregano
- 1¾ cups (14 ounces) low-sodium beef broth
- 1 (8-ounce) can low-sodium tomato sauce
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

Directions

- 1. Heat a large heavy skillet or Dutch oven over medium heat.
- 2. Add the oil and heat until shimmering.
- Add the onion and sauté until soft and transparent, about 5-7 minutes.
- 4. Add the garlic and cook until fragrant, about 30-60 seconds.
- 5. Add the ground turkey and bell pepper. Continue to sauté until the bell peppers are soft and the turkey is fully cooked, about 6-8 minutes.
- 6. Add the diced tomatoes and their juice, rice, basil, oregano, broth, tomato sauce, and Worcestershire sauce. Stir to combine.
- 7. Place the lid on the skillet. Increase the heat to high and bring to a boil, then reduce the heat to a simmer.
- 8. Cook until the rice is tender and most of the liquid has been absorbed, about for 10-15 minutes. Add additional broth or water if needed to cook the rice.
- 9. Serve warm.

Recipe Notes

• Try substituting another quick-cooking grain product (e.g. quinoa, millet, whole-wheat orzo, bulgur) for the rice.

Nutrition Facts Per Serving: Calories: 415 | Total Fat: 14 g | Saturated Fat: 2 g Sodium: 525 mg | Total Carbohydrate: 42 g | Dietary Fiber: 4 g | Protein: 30.5 g

Inspired by a recipe submitted by Jessica Long MS, RDN, CD For more recipes, please visit <u>www.nutrition.va.gov</u>



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