# **CROCKPOT STUFFED PEPPER SOUP**

Bariatric, Gluten Free, Higher Fiber, Low Carb / Diabetes Friendly, Lower Saturated Fat, Lower Sodium

Serves: 8 (Serving = 1 1/2 cup)

#### Nutrition (per serving)

Calories: 232Total Carbohydrate: 27 gTotal Fat: 2 gDietary Fiber: 3 gSaturated Fat: 1 gTotal Sugars: 6 gSodium: 126 mgProtein: 15 g



#### Ingredients

- 1 pound 90/10 ground beef
- 1 yellow onion, chopped
- 1 green bell pepper, chopped
- 1 red bell pepper, chopped
- 2 teaspoons minced garlic
- 2 14.5 ounce cans no salt added diced tomatoes
- 1 15 ounce can no salt added tomato sauce

- 1 14.5 ounce can low-sodium beef broth
- 2 teaspoons dried parsley
- ½ teaspoon dried basil
- ¼ teaspoon dried oregano
- ¼ teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1 cup uncooked brown rice



### Directions

- 1. In a medium sized skillet, cook ground beef until no longer pink. Place in a 6-quart crock pot.
- 2. Add remaining ingredients to crockpot except for rice.
- 3. Cook on low for 7-8 hours.
- 4. Cook rice according to package directions.
- 5. Add cooked rice to soup. Stir to combine.

\*Optional: Garnish with low-fat shredded cheese of choice.

## To make bariatric diet friendly:

Suggest draining out broth and reduce serving size to  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup

Updated bariatric nutrition information: Calories 116, Total Fat 1g, Sat Fat 0.5g, Sodium 63mg, Total Carbohydrates 14g, Fiber 1.5g, Sugar 3g, Protein 7.8g

