

## CHICKEN WITH ROASTED PEARS AND WILD RICE Final Lifestyle

## Ingredients:

2-1/2 cups uncooked long grain wild rice
2-1/2 cups apple juice
2-1/2 cups low-salt chicken broth (from a can is OK)
1 TBS olive oil
2 lbs. skinned, boned chicken breast, cut into bite-size pieces
1 cup sliced green onions
4 small, firm ripe Bosc pears (about 1-1/2 lbs.), cored and cut lengthwise into ½" thick slices cooking spray
1 cup dried cranberries
1 TBS sugar substitute
3/4 TSP Morton's "lite" Salt
3/4 to 1 TSP ground cinnamon

## Instructions

- 1. Combine the first 3 ingredients in a large saucepan and bring to a boil. Cover, reduce heat and simmer rice mixture for 20 minutes.
- 2. Heat oil in a large skillet over medium-high heat. Add chicken and onions. Sauté 8 minutes or until chicken is done.
- 3. Preheat oven to 450°.
- 4. Arrange pear slices in a single layer on baking sheets coated with cooking spray. Bake pear slices for 10 minutes or until tender.
- 5. Combine rice mixture, chicken mixture, pears, cranberries, sugar substitute, salt and cinnamon in a large bowl. Toss gently.

Portion-Per-Serving Information (Yields 8 servings)

Serving = 1-1/2 cups = 1 PR, 1 V, 1 FR, 1 GR