

Name of Recipe: Balsamic Roasted Veggie Grilled Cheese

TCS Process: #2 Same Day Service

Number of Portions: 4

Meal Contribution: 2 WGR Grain, 2 M/MA,  $\frac{1}{4}$  cup other vegetable

Alternate Menu Name: Group Code: Entree Portion Size: Each

Ingredients	Measure	Instruction
Onion, yellow, fresh	6 oz	Step A:  1. Preheat oven to 400 degrees F.
Bell pepper, red, fresh	3 oz	2. Rinse onion and bell pepper under running water. Slice onion and bell pepper into ½" strips. Place in medium size mixing bowl.
Spinach, fresh	1.5 oz	CCP: Hold at 41°F or lower.
Oil, olive	1 Tbsp	Step B:  3. Drizzle olive oil, balsamic vinegar and salt on peppers and
Vinegar, balsamic	1 Tbsp	onions. Gently toss to coat evenly.  4. Place onion and bell pepper strips in a single layer on a sheet
Salt	1/4 tsp	pan. Do not overlap vegetable pieces or they will steam. Roast vegetables 16-18 minutes or until beginning to brown and crisp
Butter	2 tsp	on the edges. Onions should slightly caramelize. Note: Rotate pan halfway through cooking for more even cooking results.
Bread, whole grain	8 each	CCP: Heat to 135°F or higher.
Mustard, Dijon	2 Tbsp + 2 tsp	Step C: 5. Melt butter.
Cheese, cheddar, shredded, reduced fat	8 oz	<ul> <li>6. Spray a sheet pan with pan release. Lay the bottom slice of bread on prepared pan. Spread 2 teaspoons or #100 disher Dijon mustard on bread. Using a 2 ounce spoodle, place 1 ounce of cheese on top of each slice of bread.</li> <li>7. Top bread with 5 spinach leaves and ¼ cup roasted pepper and onion mixture. Place another 1 ounce of cheese on top of veggies. Top with remaining slice of bread.</li> <li>8. Brush top slice of bread with melted butter (approximately ½ teaspoon per sandwich).</li> <li>9. Bake at 375°F for 8-10 minutes or until bread is toasted and cheese is melted.</li> <li>CCP: Heat to 135°F or higher.</li> <li>CCP: Hold for hot service at 135°F or higher.</li> </ul>