

Name of Recipe: Korean Meatballs & Noodles

TCS Process: #2 Same Day Service

Number of Portions: 4

Meal Contribution: 3.5 M/MA, 2 WG Grain

Alternate Menu Name:

Group Code: Entrees

Portion Size: 6 meatballs, 1 cup noodles

| Ingredients | Measure | Instruction |
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| Beef, ground, 85% lean, 15% fat | 1 lb | Step A: 1. Thaw ground beef in refrigerator on bottom shelf. Be sure to place beef in a pan to catch any drippings. CCP: Hold at 41°F or lower. |
| Green onions, fresh | 3 each | Step B: 2. Wash green onions under running water. Remove root end, and slice diagonally into ½" pieces. Set aside. CCP: Hold at 41°F or lower. |
| Oats, quick | ½ cup | Step C: 3. Preheat oven to 375°F. 4. Place oats, pears, soy sauce, honey, vinegar, egg, onion powder, black pepper, garlic powder, and ginger powder in bowl of mixer with flat paddle. Add beef and mix well until oatmeal is completely seen throughout the meat. |
| Pears, canned, diced, 100% juice | 1/4 cup | Step D: 5. Spray a half sheet pan with pan release. 6. Using a no. 40 disher, portion 1 oz meatballs 4 across and 6 down. 7. Bake at 375°F for 15 to 20 minutes. CCP: Heat to 165° F or higher for at least 15 seconds. |
| Soy sauce, low sodium | 3 Tbsp | |
| Honey | 1 Tbsp | |
| Vinegar, apple cider | 1 Tbsp | |
| Egg, large | 1 large | |

| Onion powder | 1 tsp | |
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| Pepper, black | 1 tsp | |
| Garlic powder | 1/4 tsp | |
| Ginger, ground | 1/4 tsp | |
| Spaghetti, 100% whole grain | 8 oz | Step E: 8. While meatballs are cooking, prepare pasta. Bring water to a boil in a large pot. Add pasta and cook until al dente, fully cooked, but not mushy; about 7-8 minutes. Drain and set aside. CCP: Heat to 135° F or higher. |
| Tomato sauce, no salt added | ½ cup | Step F: 9. While pasta is cooking, prepare sauce. 10. Combine tomato sauce, pears, soy sauce, brown sugar, sriracha, and apple cider vinegar in a sauté pan. Mash pears with spoon while mixing. Simmer for approximately 30 seconds to dissolve sugar. 11. Reduce heat to low, add noodles and toss to coat with sauce. Add meatballs and mix gently. CCP: Heat to 135° F or higher. |
| Pears, canned, diced, 100% juice | 1/4 cup | |
| Soy sauce, low sodium | 2 Tbsp | |
| Brown sugar | 1 Tbsp | |
| Sriracha | 2 tsp | |
| Vinegar, apple cider | 2 tsp | Step G: 12. Using tongs and a #8 scoop, place 1 cup of noodles in a bowl and top with 6 meatballs. Garnish with sliced green onions. |