

Strawberry Chia Seed Pudding 2 Servings

A healthy snack even the kids will enjoy!

## INSTRUCTIONS

INGREDIENTS frozen whole strawberries (1 1/2 cups) white chia seeds; black chia seeds will discolor the pudding (3 tbsp.) coconut nectar or pure maple syrup (1 tbsp.) lemon juice (1 tsp.) salt (pinch), optional plain low-fat nondairy milk (1/2 cup + 2-3 tbsp.)

Chia seeds note: In this recipe the best is to use white chia seeds, as black will discolor the pudding.

In a blender, combine the strawberries (fresh or frozen), chia seeds, syrup (can use coconut nectar instead), 1 teaspoon lemon juice, salt, and 1/2 cup plus 2 tablespoons of the milk. Puree until the seeds are fully pulverized and the pudding begins to thicken. (It will thicken more as it cools.) Add the extra 1 tablespoon of milk if needed to blend.

Transfer the mixture to a large bowl or dish and refrigerate until chilled, about an hour or more. (It will thicken more with chilling, but really can be eaten right away.

## NUTRITION FACTS Per serving

Calories: 110, Fat: 3.3 g, Saturated Fat: 0.3. g, Calories from Fat: 26%, Cholesterol: 0 mg, Protein: 2.3 g, Carbohydrate: 19.6 g, Sugar: 12.2 g, Fiber: 5 g, Sodium: 135 mg, Calcium: 214 mg, Iron: 1.9 mg, Vitamin C: 68.1 mg, Beta-Carotene: 68.1 mcg, Vitamin E: 2.8 mg