

Root Vegetable Stew

Serves 8, 1 cup per serving • Prep time: 15 minutes • Cook time: 45 minutes

Ingredients

- 1 Tablespoon canola oil
- 1 medium onion
- 2 celery stalks
- 1 Tablespoon curry powder
- 4 cups diced (½-inch) root vegetables, such as carrots, parsnips, potatoes, rutabagas, sweet potatoes, turnips, etc.)
- ½ small head of cauliflower
- 1 quart low-sodium vegetable stock
- 1 (15-ounce) can chickpeas
- 1/4 cup dried currants or raisins
- 2 cups kale
- 2 Tablespoons apple cider vinegar
- Salt and pepper to taste

Directions

- 1. Peel onion, rinse and dice into ½-inch pieces. Wash and slice celery into ¼-inch pieces.
- 2. In large stockpot, heat oil over medium-low. Add onion and celery with a pinch of salt. Cook until softened, about 8 minutes.
- 3. Scrub and peel root vegetables. Dice into ½-inch cubes. Wash cauliflower and cut into florets. Add to stockpot and cook covered for 15 minutes.
- 4. Drain and rinse chickpeas. Add stock, chickpeas and currants. Cook covered until fork easily pierces the vegetables, about 10-15 minutes, stirring occasionally.
- 5. Wash kale, remove stems and large veins and cut into 2-inch pieces.
- 6. Add kale to stockpot and gently mix. Let sit about 5 minutes. Stir in the vinegar and salt and pepper to taste.

