

Curried Pumpkin Soup







Prep time: **10 min**

Cook time: **30 min**



Yield: **8 Servings**



Serving
Size:
3/4 Cup

Ingredients

½ pound fresh mushrooms, sliced

½ cup chopped onion

2 tablespoons margarine

2 tablespoons all-purpose flour

1 teaspoon curry powder

3 cups vegetable broth (see notes)

1 can (15 ounces) solid-pack pumpkin

1 can (12 ounces) evaporated milk

1 tablespoon honey

½ teaspoon salt

¼ teaspoon pepper

 $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon ground nutmeg

fresh or frozen chives (optional)

Directions

- 1. In 4 quart (or larger) saucepan, sauté the mushrooms and onion in margarine until tender. Stir in the flour and curry powder until blended. Gradually add the broth.
- 2. Bring to a boil; cook and stir for 2 minutes or until thickened.
- 3. Add the pumpkin, milk, honey, salt, pepper, and nutmeg; heat through.
- 4. Garnish with chives if desired.
- 5. Refrigerate leftovers within 2 hours.

Notes

- Broth can be canned or made using bouillon. For each cup of broth use 1 cup very hot water and 1 teaspoon or 1 cube bouillon.
- Try substituting cooked winter squash or cooked pumpkin for canned pumpkin. Mash and measure out 2 cups for soup.
- Honey is not recommended for children under 1 year old.