

Herb Crusted Chicken

Prep Time: 15 minutes Cook Time: 20 minutes Total Time: 35 minutes

Servings: 4 Serving Size: 1 (6-ounce) organic chicken breast

Ingredients:

4 (6-ounce) organic skinless, boneless chicken breasts

½ teaspoon sea salt

½ teaspoon ground black pepper

½ teaspoon garlic granules/garlic powder

½ teaspoon dried oregano

½ teaspoon sweet paprika

2 tablespoons Dijon mustard

2 large egg white, lightly beaten

½ cup almond meal

2 tablespoons finely chopped fresh parsley (sub 1 teaspoon dried)

1 ½ tablespoons organic ghee

4 lemon wedges

Directions:

- 1. Trim the fat off each chicken breast and slice each breast in half lengthwise. You want to slice the chicken so that you are making two THIN pieces of chicken.*
- 2. Place each breast between 2 sheets of heavy-duty plastic wrap; pound to 1/2 inch thickness using a meat mallet or rolling pin.
- **3.** Place almond meal, garlic powder, dried oregano, and sweet paprika in a shallow bowl/dish and mix to combine.
- 4. Combine Dijon and egg white in a separate shallow dish, whisking together well.
- 5. Working with one chicken breast at a time, dredge the chicken in egg mixture; allow excess to drip off, then dredge in almond meal mixture, turning to coat. Set aside on a separate plate. Repeat process for each chicken breast.
- **6.** Evenly sprinkle your breaded chicken with salt and pepper.
- 7. Heat ghee in a large non-stick skillet over medium-high heat. Add chicken breasts and cook for 4 minute, then flip and cook the other side for 2 minutes.
- 8. Turn the heat down to medium-low and place the lid on your pan, leave it a bit tilted. Cook the chicken an additional 2-4 minutes this way or until cooked all the way through. This chicken comes out juicy and tender on the inside and browned to perfection on the outside.
- 9. Turn off the heat, squeeze on some lemon juice, and sprinkle with parsley before serving.

Tips and Tricks:

This recipe makes for amazing leftovers – try adding leftover chicken to a salad or in a wrap for lunch the next day.

*I like to purchase chicken cutlets so that this step is already done for me \odot

Nutritional Information Per Serving:

Calories: 347.2 Fat: 16.3 g

Cholesterol: 151.9 mg Sodium: 254.8 mg Total Carbohydrate: 6.1 g Dietary Fiber: 1.9 g

Sugars: 0.7 g Protein: 43.2 g