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This recipe was created by our RealSupport™ nutritionist especially for our members. Remember, please talk to your health care provider to determine if this recipe or any other food is appropriate for you.

MEDITERRANEAN CHICKPEA FLATBREADS

Prep time: 5 minutes

Cook time: 15 minutes

Ready in: 20 minutes

Ingredients

For tzatziki sauce:

- ½ seedless cucumber, peeled and finely chopped
- 1 teaspoon kosher salt, plus more to taste
- 2 cups plain low-fat, dairy-free OR lactose-free Greek yogurt
- 3 cloves garlic, grated
- ⅓ cup olive oil
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon fresh dill, minced

For flatbreads:

- 1 can chickpeas, rinsed and drained
- ½ tablespoon olive oil
- 1 teaspoon ground cumin
- 1 teaspoon ground coriander
- 1 teaspoon paprika
- ½ teaspoon kosher salt
- 4 white flour pitas
- 2 cups shredded lettuce
- ½ seedless cucumber, peeled and chopped into ½-inch pieces
- Fresh parsley, finely chopped
- Fresh cilantro, finely chopped

Steps

1. Combine all ingredients for tzatziki sauce in medium bowl. Cover and refrigerate until ready to serve.
2. Preheat oven to 400°F. Toss chickpeas with olive oil, cumin, coriander, paprika, and salt. Spread chickpeas in single layer on rimmed baking sheet and bake until crispy, 12-15 minutes, tossing halfway through.
3. While chickpeas bake, toast pitas on separate baking sheet until warmed through, about 2 minutes.
4. To assemble flatbreads, spread tzatziki sauce over pitas. Top with shredded lettuce, cucumber, crispy chickpeas, parsley, and cilantro.

*Includes Sandostatin® (octreotide acetate) Immediate-Release Injection and Sandostatin® LAR Depot (octreotide acetate) for injectable suspension for all approved indications.

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Sandostatin® LAR Depot (octreotide acetate) for injectable suspension is indicated for patients in whom initial treatment with immediate-release Sandostatin® (octreotide acetate) Injection has been shown to be effective and tolerated for

- Long-term treatment of the severe diarrhea and flushing episodes associated with metastatic carcinoid tumors
- Long-term treatment of the profuse watery diarrhea associated with VIP-secreting tumors

In patients with carcinoid syndrome and VIPomas, the effect of Sandostatin Injection and Sandostatin LAR Depot on tumor size, rate of growth, and development of metastases has not been determined.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Warnings and Precautions: Treatment with Sandostatin LAR Depot may affect gallbladder function, with postmarketing reports of gallstones resulting in complications (inflammation of the gallbladder, bile duct, and pancreas, and requiring surgical removal of the gallbladder); sugar metabolism; thyroid and heart function; and nutritional absorption, which may require monitoring by your doctor. Call your doctor if you experience signs or symptoms of gallstones or any of their complications.

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Common Side Effects: Most patients experience side effects at some time. Some common side effects you may experience include back pain, fatigue, headache, abdominal pain, nausea, and dizziness.

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