

Avocado Mac n' Cheese



PLATE SECTIONS FULFILLED:











Carbohydrates

Vegetables

Recipe yields 5 servings

INGREDIENTS

- 2 large avocados, halved and pitted
- ½ cup cilantro, roughly chopped
- ¼ cup flat-leaf parsley, roughly chopped
- 2 tbsp lime juice
- 1 tbsp onion, diced
- 1 garlic clove, roughly chopped
- 2 tbsp ghee (clarified butter)
- 3 tbsp unbleached flour
- 1 cup whole milk
- ½ cup unsweetened almond milk
- 1 ½ cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese
- ¾ lb. ruffles, rotini, elbow or other small pasta, cooked and drained according to package directions

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Spoon avocado into a mini-food processor. Add in cilantro, parsley, lime juice, onion, and garlic.
- 2. Process until smooth, and reserve.
- 3. In a medium saucepan, heat ghee over medium heat.
- 4. Stir in flour, and whisk until smooth.
- 5. Add the two types of milk, and stir until thickened.
- 6. Stir in avocado herb puree.
- 7. Add cheese by the handful, until fully melted.
- 8. Pour mixture over pasta, and serve.