

Slow Cooked Chicken Keema

INGREDIENTS

- 2 tsp butter
 1 onion, finely chopped
 1 garlic clove; minced
 1 tsp fresh ginger; minced
 1 pound ground chicken
 1 tsp kosher salt
 20 oz crushed tomatoes
- 4 TBS cilantro; chopped
 1 jalapeno; seeded and chopped
 3⁄4 tsp ground coriander
 3⁄4 tsp ground cumin
 3⁄4 tsp chili powder
 3⁄4 tsp ground turmeric
 3⁄4 tsp garam masala
- ¾ tsp ground cinnamon
 ¼ cup carrots; diced
 ¼ cup zucchini; diced
 ¼ cup mushrooms; sliced
 ¼ cup peas
 1-2 cups fresh spinach
 juice of 1 lime

DIRECTIONS

In a large nonstick skillet, melt butter over medium heat. Add the onion and cook, stirring, until golden, 6 to 8 minutes. Add the garlic and ginger and cook until fragrant, 2 minutes. Add the ground chicken and salt and cook, breaking up the meat with a wooden spoon as it cooks, 5 to 6 minutes. Transfer to a slow cooker and add tomatoes, 2 TBS of the cilantro, the jalapeno, coriander, cumin, chili powder, turmeric, garam masala, and cinnamon. Stir well. Add all vegetables except spinach. Cover and cook on high 2 hours or on low for 3 hours. Add the spinach during the last 30 minutes of cooking time. Before serving add the remaining 2 tablespoons cilantro, and lime juice. Makes approximately 4 servings; 125 calories each.