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Baked Salmon with Simple Mango Salsa

Serves 12 / Serving size: 1 slice of salmon + 2 tablespoons mango salsa

Ingredients:

12, 4-ounce wild-caught salmon fillets (skinless)

1/2 teaspoon sea salt

1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper

2 tablespoons olive oil

Mango Salsa:

2 mangos (peeled and diced)

1/4 cup red onion (finely chopped)

1 jalapeno pepper (minced)

1/4 cup fresh cilantro leaves (chopped)

1/4 cup fresh lime juice (~2-4 limes)



Directions:

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F and line a baking sheet with parchment paper.
- 2. Season salmon with salt and pepper, and brush with oil. Place on baking sheet and bake for 8-10 minutes, or until salmon is cooked to an internal temperature of 145°F. Do not overcook.
- 3. Prepare salsa: Place diced mango, red onion, jalapeno and cilantro in medium bowl. Toss with lime juice.
- 4. Serve each piece of salmon with 2 tablespoons of salsa as "condiment."

Nutrition Tips:

- 1. Homemade fruit salsa is an excellent nutritious topping for any fish/chicken/tofu dish in place of commercial condiments which commonly have excess amounts of added sugar and sodium (salt).
- 2. Wild salmon is a great source of omega-3 fatty acids that support brain health and which may help both mood and anxiety.

Source:

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