

BLACK BEAN AND QUINOA BURGER

COURTESY OF FIT

DIFFICULTY: MEDIUM

TOTAL TIME: 45 MINUTES <u>Active:</u> 30 Minutes

SERVES: 6-8 PEOPLE

INGREDIENTS

<u>Chipotle Mayo</u>

- 1 ½ cup mayo
- + 1 can Chipotle Chiles in adobo sauce

<u>Burgers</u>

- 2 cups cooked quinoa (recommended: cook in advance and let cool)
- 1 16oz can of black beans
- 1 cup chopped red onion
- 1 medium carrot grated
- 1/2 cup bread crumbs
- ½ cup chipotle mayo (or unflavored if you don't like spice)
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup shredded cheese
- 1 large egg
- ~ 36 grams of protein

INSTRUCTIONS

For Chipotle Mayo:

1. Add mayo, 2-3 chipotles (more if you like more spice) and 2 tablespoons of adobo sauce into a food processor and blend until smooth.

<u>For Burgers:</u>

- 1. Cook the quinoa and let it cool
- 2. Rinse the black beans in a strainer and shake to get all the water off
- 3. Add the black beans to a bowl and smash with a force or potato masher
- 4.dd quinoa, onion, grated carrot and bread crumbs. Mix well.
- 5. Add chipotle mayo, cheese and egg (beaten). Mix until well combined
- 6.Heat skillet to medium high and add $\frac{1}{2}$ tbsp of oil
- 7. Take a handful of the mixture and form into a patties, or use a patty shaper if you have one
- 8. Add the patties to the hot pan cooking 2-3 at a time until crispy and are held together.
- 9. Put on a bun (or salad) with your favorite burger toppings and sauce