## Boston Medical Center Nutrition Resource Center

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#### **Crab and Corn Chowder**

Serves 4

### Ingredients:

2 tablespoons oil

½ medium onion, diced

½ red bell pepper, diced

1 celery stalk, diced

1 tsp Old Bay seasoning

3 Tablespoons all-purpose flour

1 quart 1% reduced-fat milk

2 cups fat-free, less-sodium chicken broth

2 cup red bliss potatoes, skin on, diced (about 3 medium potatoes)

3-4 ears fresh corn, kernels cut from the cob **or** 2 (14.5-ounce) cans no-salt added whole-kernel corn, drained

8 ounces cooked lump crab meat **or** 2 (6-ounce) cans crab meat, drained ½ tsp pepper

1/4 cup green onion, chopped for garnish

#### Directions:

- 1. In a large soup pot, heat to medium-high heat. Add oil. Add onions, red pepper, celery and Old Bay seasoning; sauté 2 minutes or until tender, stirring frequently.
- 2. Add flour and cook 1 minute, stirring constantly. Stir in milk and chicken broth; bring to a boil, then reduce heat to a simmer.
- 3. Add potatoes, corn, crab meat, and pepper and simmer 10 minutes or until potatoes are tender.
- 4. Garnish with green onion.

# **Nutritional Information per 2 cup serving:**

Calories: 397 Carbohydrates: 39g
Total Fat: 9g Cholesterol: 55mg
Saturated Fat: 3g Dietary Fiber: 3g
Sodium: 367mg Protein: 24g