

Veggie Optional Spice 45 Minutes

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Allergens Hey home cooks! Please refer to the website or app for the as-prepared recipe nutritional information. Ingredients are packaged in a facility that also handles egg, fish, crustacean, shellfish, milk, mustard, peanuts, sesame, soy, sulphites, tree nuts and wheat.

Ingredient quantities 56 g | 113 g

🛟 Add

Chicken Breast

Tenders\*

### Pantry items | Unsalted butter, oil, salt, pepper

Cooking utensils | Medium non-stick pan, measuring spoons, slotted spoon, medium pot, measuring cups, paper towels



### Prep

• Before starting, wash and dry all produce.

Heat Guide for Step 4:
Mild: ½ tsp (½ tsp)
Spicy: ½ tsp (1 tsp)
Extra-spicy: 1 tsp (2 tsp)

#### 🕂 Add | Chicken Breast Tenders

• Trim stems from button and cremini mushrooms, then thinly slice caps. Keep caps and stems separate.

- Cut or tear **oyster mushrooms** lengthwise into ½-inch slices.
- Pick sage leaves from stems. Keep leaves and stems separate.
- Peel, then mince or grate **garlic**.



## Cook veggies

- Reheat the pan with sage oil (from step 2) over medium-high.
- When the pan is hot, add onions and remaining mushrooms. Cook, stirring occasionally, until softened, 5-6 min.
- Add garlic salt and ¼ tsp (½ tsp) chili flakes. (NOTE: Reference heat guide.)
- Season with pepper, then stir to combine.



# Fry sage leaves

- Line a plate with paper towels. Set aside.
- Heat a medium non-stick pan (large pan for 4 ppl) over medium-high heat.
- When the pan is hot, add **2 tbsp** (4 tbsp) **oil**, then **sage leaves**. Fry until crisp, 1 min. (**TIP**: We love to use olive oil for frying sage!)
- Using a slotted spoon, transfer **fried sage** to the paper towel-lined plate. Season with **salt** while hot. Set aside.
- Reserve **sage oil** in the pan.



## Make broth

- Meanwhile, combine 4 ½ cups (5 ½ cups) warm water, broth concentrate, sage stems and mushroom stems in a medium pot.
- Cover and bring to a boil over high heat.
- Once boiling, reduce heat to medium-low, still covered.



# 1 | Cook chicken

#### 🕂 Add | Chicken Breast Tenders

If you've opted to add **chicken breast tenders**, pat dry with paper towels. Season with **salt** and **pepper**. Heat a large non-stick pan over medium-high heat. When hot, add **1/2 tbsp** (1 tbsp) **oil**, then **chicken breast tenders**. Sear until golden-brown and cooked through, 3-4 min per side.<sup>\*\*</sup> Remove from heat, then cover to keep warm.

## 6 | Finish and serve

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Arrange chicken on top of plated risotto.



## Make risotto

- Add **rice** and **garlic** to the pan with **veggies**. Cook, stirring often, until fragrant, 1-2 min.
- Add cooking wine. Cook, stirring often, until wine is absorbed, 1-2 min.
- Add 1 cup broth from the medium pot. (NOTE: Leave sage and mushroom stems behind in the pot.)
- Reduce heat to medium. Cook, stirring often, until **broth** is absorbed by **rice**.
- Continue to add **broth**, **1 cup at a time**, stirring often, until **broth** is absorbed, texture is creamy and **rice** is tender, 25-30 min.



# Finish and serve

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- When the final addition of **broth** has been added to **risotto**, add **spinach**, **half the Parmesan** and **2 tbsp** (4 tbsp) **butter**.
- Cook, stirring often, until spinach wilts and broth is almost completely absorbed, 1-3 min.
- Remove from heat, then season with **salt** and **pepper**, to taste.
- Divide **risotto** between plates.
- Sprinkle remaining Parmesan and fried sage over top.
- Sprinkle with **any remaining chili flakes**, if desired.



- Both will disappear 3 minutes after opening.
- \*\* Cook to a minimum internal temperature of 74°C/165°F, as size may vary.

• Vacuum-pack guarantees maximum freshness but can lead to small colour changes and a stronger scent.