# **Creamy Broccoli Cheddar Soup**

Total Cook Time: 30 minutes Cook from Frozen Meals are 3-4 servings

\*For 6-8 servings, cook 2 meals in the same pot and use the cooking instructions in the parentheses

### Prepare with (aka ingredients needed to prepare meal):

- 3 cups (6 cups)\* chicken broth
- 1 cup (2 cups)\* milk may also use half and half or heavy cream
- Optional toppings and garnishes: croutons, shredded cheddar cheese, bacon

### **Instant Pot Cooking Directions:**

- 1. Locate the side bag with cheese and set aside to thaw.
- 2. Open meal and pop food into the pressure cooker pot. Add 3 cups (6 cups)\* of chicken broth.
- 3. Secure the lid and turn pressure release knob to a sealed position. Cook at high pressure for 8 minutes.
- 4. When pressure cooking is complete, use a quick release.
- 5. Open the bag with cheese and add to the soup.
- 6. Using an immersion blender or table top blender, blend until smooth. If a chunkier texture is preferred, take out a few scoops of broccoli and set aside before you blend. (BE CAREFUL, IT WILL BE HOT).
- 7. Stir in 1 cup (2 cups)\* heavy cream, half and half, or milk.
- 8. Serve hot with desired toppings. Season with salt and pepper to taste.

## Slow Cooker Cooking Directions:

1. Add frozen meal to slow cooker. Add the said amount of liquid above. Cover and cook on LOW for 4-5 hours or HIGH for 2-3 hours, or until the vegetables are soft and will blend easily. Continue with steps 5-8.

### Leftover Suggestions:

- Broccoli Cheddar Mac & Cheese Stir into cooked pasta with a little extra cheese.
- Baked Potato Topping Spoon over a baked potato with bacon bits and chives.

#### Notes:

• Stir in 1/8 teaspoon of nutmeg for a hint of warmth and subtle sweetness that makes this soup extra comforting

Nutrition	Amount/serving	% Daily Value*	Amount/serving %	Daily Value*	
	Total Fat 18g	23%	Total Carbohydrate 9g	3%	* The % Daily Value (DV) tells you how
Facts	Saturated Fat 10g	50%	Dietary Fiber 3g	11%	much a nutrient in a serving of food
4 servings per container	Trans Fat 0g		Total Sugars 2g		contributes to a daily diet. 2,000
Serving size 1 cup (168g)	Cholesterol 60mg	20%	Includes 0g Added Sugars	0%	calories a day is used for general
Calories per serving 250	Sodium 970mg	42%	Protein 17g		nutrition advice.
	Vitamin D 0mcg 0% • Calcium 460mg 35% • Iron 1.1mg 6% • Potassium 250mg 6% Vitamin A 540mcg 60% • Vitamin C 50mg 60%				

INGREDIENTS: BROCCOLI, CHEDDAR CHEESE (PASTEURIZED MILK, CHEESE CULTURE, SALT, ENZYMES, ANNATTO [COLOR]), ONION, CARROTS, ZUCCHINI, SALT, SPICE

CONTAINS: MILK