CHICKEN, CHORIZO & CHICKPEA STEW



RECIPE BY CLEAN PLATE

SERVES 4 (2 ADULTS AND 2 CHILDREN) OR 6 – 8 TODDLERS

INGREDIENTS Olive oil (or alternative) Tbsp 1 Chicken thighs (skinless and boneless), diced 6-8 each Turmeric tsp 1 each Lemon, juice only 1/2 Onion, peeled and chopped each 1 Garlic cloves, crushed 2 each each Chorizo sausage, cut in half lengthwise then sliced OR 1 tsp smoked paprika 1/2 Carrots, cut in half lengthwise then sliced (half-moon shape) 2 each each Bay leaf (optional) 1 can (400g) Chopped tomatoes 1 Water can (400g) Chickpeas, drained and rinsed 1 Cavolo nero, kale, silver beet or spinach, shredded cups 2 Salt and pepper

METHOD

- 1. Season chicken pieces with salt, pepper, turmeric, and lemon juice (if using). Reserve.
- 2. In a frying pan, heat olive oil and add onions. Fry for a couple of minutes and add the carrots, garlic and chorizo, continuing to cook until onions are soft.
- 3. Add the reserved chicken, and cook, stirring occasionally, until chicken pieces have changed from pink to white on the outside.
- 4. Add enough water to just cover the chicken. Season.
- 5. Bring to the boil, reduce the heat and cover with a lid. Simmer for 15 to 20 minutes, stirring occasionally, until chicken and vegies are cooked.
- 6. Add chickpeas and cavolo nero (or substitute) and cook for an extra 5 minutes, adding a little more water if needed.
- 7. Once time is up, check seasoning and serve.

