## **Bariatric Food List**

Date
Gender
Height

## General guidelines

- Make protein the centerpiece of your meals to support muscle health and feel full longer.
- Opt for lean sources of protein such as chicken, turkey, fish, and lean cuts of beef.
- Select soft, cooked vegetables like spinach, broccoli, and zucchini for easier digestion.
- Consume fruits in moderation, focusing on soft options like applesauce, berries, and canned pears.
- Keep portions small to prevent overeating and discomfort.
- Steer clear of sugary foods and beverages that can cause dumping syndrome or weight regain.
- Drink water and low-calorie beverages throughout the day to stay hydrated.
- Consume nuts and seeds sparingly due to their high calorie content.
- Incorporate whole grains like oatmeal and quinoa in small amounts.

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Protein sources	Vegetables (cooked and soft)
<ul> <li>Lean meats (chicken, turkey, fish, lean beef)</li> <li>Eggs (scrambled, poached, or boiled)</li> <li>Tofu</li> <li>Greek yogurt</li> <li>Cottage cheese</li> <li>Protein shakes or powders (sugar-free and low-carb)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Spinach</li> <li>Broccoli</li> <li>Cauliflower</li> <li>Zucchini</li> <li>Carrots</li> <li>Bell peppers</li> <li>Green beans</li> </ul>
Fruits	Whole grains
<ul> <li>Applesauce (unsweetened)</li> <li>Berries (strawberries, blueberries, raspberries)</li> <li>Bananas</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oatmeal (steel-cut or rolled oats)</li> <li>Quinoa</li> <li>Brown rice</li> <li>Whole-grain pasta (in moderation)</li> </ul>

<ul><li>Melon (small portions)</li><li>Avocado (in moderation)</li></ul>	
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Dairy	Nuts and seeds (in limited amount)
Skim milk	Almonds
Low-fat cheese	Walnuts
Low-fat yogurt	Chia seeds
	<ul> <li>Flaxseeds (ground)</li> </ul>
Fluids	Avoid or limit
• Water (sip throughout the day)	<ul> <li>Sugary foods and beverages</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Herbal tea (non-caffeinated)</li> </ul>	High-fat foods
Broth (low-sodium)	Carbonated drinks
<ul> <li>Protein drinks (sugar-free)</li> </ul>	Fibrous or tough foods (raw
	vegetables, tough cuts of meat, etc.
Recommendations	
Additional notes	