Creamy Chicken-Rice Casserole

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Servings: 6

1 package long-grain and wild rice mix 3 to 4 cups cooked chicken, chopped 1 small onion, chopped 1 jar (2 ounce) diced pimientos, drained 1 package (16 ounce) frozen French-style green beans, thawed 1 jar (6 ounce) sliced mushrooms, drained 1 can (8 ounce) sliced water chestnuts, drained 1 can (10-3/4 ounce) cream of mushroom soup, undiluted 1 container (8 ounce) sour cream 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 teaspoon pepper 1 cup (4 ounce) Shredded

Swiss or Fontina cheese

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees.

Cook the rice according to package directions.

In a bowl, combine the rice, chicken, onion, pimiento, green beans, mushrooms, water chestnuts, soup, sour cream, salt and pepper. Mix well.

Spoon the mixture into a shallow three-quart baking dish. Top with the cheese.

Bake for 30 minutes or until bubbly around the edges.

The casserole may be frozen for up to one month. Simply thaw in the refrigerator for 24 hours, then let stand at room temperature before baking.

Per Serving (excluding unknown items): 235 Calories; 13g Fat (49.6% calories from fat); 24g Protein; 5g Carbohydrate; 1g Dietary Fiber; 77mg Cholesterol; 425mg Sodium. Exchanges: 0 Grain(Starch); 3 Lean Meat; 1/2 Vegetable; 0 Non-Fat Milk; 2 Fat.