



Pre-structured Diet Plan - 1200

Lean Body - Overview & Content

This 1,200 calorie diet plan has two parts:

Part 1. A calorie specific plan for individuals who prefer to consume foods only – no shakes etc.

Part 2. A calorie specific lean body diet plan alternative to six meals with foods.

Part 1: Overview - Lean Body Diet Plan

- 12 week diet plan.
- Regimented - strict adherence to specified total daily caloric intake for maximal results.
- Specially designed with right mix of carbs, protein and fat for optimal body function.
- Obtain starting weight (body fat % will decrease when plan is strictly followed).
- Observe how your clothes fit over time, not just the size, to monitor results.

Part 1: Principles & Critical Components to Success:

- 6 small, frequent meals per day are recommended to support metabolism for optimal hormone balance and lean body development.
- Start early in the morning.
- Consume a mix of carbohydrates and protein at each meal (see Tables below).

Reader's Note:

Lower calorie diet plans often produce fast results, but may be harder to adhere to due to such restriction, meaning you may feel hungry. You can start with the least aggressive plan and then accelerate your lean body transformation by choosing a lower calorie Lean Body Diet Plan if, and only if, you are able to tolerate the calorie restriction. 1,000 calories per day is the lowest recommended because drastic weight loss diets with extreme caloric restriction may be detrimental to one's health and well-being on a clinical level. This diet is given freely with the understanding that the author is not engaged in rendering medical, health, or any other kind of person professional services. Users should consult their medical, health or other competent professional before adopting any suggestions in this plan. The author specifically disclaims all responsibility for any liability, loss or risk, personal or otherwise, which is incurred as a consequence, directly or indirectly, of the use and application of any of the contents of this meal plan.

Lean Body Diet Plan - 1200 total daily calorie intake (~200 cal per meal)

MEAL 1	Calories	Carbs (g)	Protein (g)	Fat (g)
4 egg whites	68	0	16	0
Slice fat free cheese	28	2	5	0
½ packet instant oatmeal	55	12	2	1
½ medium banana	45	10	1	0
Total	196	24	24	1

MEAL 2	Calories	Carbs (g)	Protein (g)	Fat (g)
2 oz. chicken breast	65	0	13.5	1.5
½ cup brown rice	84	17	4	0
¼ cup vegetables	12	2	1	0
1 tsp. extra virgin olive oil	42	0	0	4
Total	203	19	18.5	5.5

MEAL 3	Calories	Carbs (g)	Protein (g)	Fat (g)
3 thin slices deli turkey	60	0	12	2
1 piece 7-grain bread	90	15	3	1
1 slice tomato, lettuce	10	2	0	0
1 T. fat free mayo	12	3	0	0
½ cup strawberries	24	6	0	0
Total	196	26	15	3

MEAL 4	Calories	Carbs (g)	Protein (g)	Fat (g)
2 oz. top round steak	120	0	20	4
½ baked yam	60	14	1	0
½ cup steamed broccoli	24	4	2	0
Total	204	18	23	4

MEAL 5	Calories	Carbs (g)	Protein (g)	Fat (g)
½ can tuna fish (in water)	70	0	13	2
1 medium baked potato	110	26	2	0
½ T sour cream	16	0.5	1	1
¼ cup steamed spinach	8	1	0.5	0
Total	204	27.5	16.5	3

MEAL 6	Calories	Carbs (g)	Protein (g)	Fat (g)
1 6-inch tortilla	80	13	2	2
1.5 oz. grilled chicken breast	54	0	10	1
1 slice fat free cheese	28	2	5	0
2 T salsa	10	2	0	0
1 cup diced green peppers	28	7	0	0
Total	200	24	17	3

Here's a few other foods that can be incorporated/substituted:



Proteins	Carbohydrates
Chicken breast	Potatoes
Soy Protein patties – soy based meats	Sweet potatoes
Turkey breast	Yams
Ground turkey	Fruits – strawberry, melon, orange, apple
Salmon	Bread – (preferably whole wheat)
Swordfish	Any rice
Tuna	Pasta
Lean ham	Oatmeal
Egg whites or egg beaters	Barley
Low fat cottage cheese or skim milk	Beans
Whey protein, soy, rice protein powders	Vegetables

Part 2: Calorie Specific Lean Body Diet Plan Alternative To Six Meal Plan - 1200

As a complement to the Lean Body Six Meal Diet Plan, I have provided a practical example of how to obtain the same lean effects when meal preparation becomes impractical from a lifestyle or scheduling perspective. This example is not meant to be all inclusive. Its purpose is to help you become aware of how to create substitutions that add convenience and practicality when needed yet maintain the concept of eating six small "meals" throughout the day.

The meal alternative below is calorie aligned to the six-meal plan totaling 1200 calories per day or roughly 200 calories per meal.

Meal 1: 207 calories - Protein Shake (Blend 1 scoop of whey protein powder with 1/2 C of 1% milk and 1/2 of a medium banana).

Meal 2: 191 calories - Half turkey sandwich (One slice whole grain bread with three slices of turkey, 1/2 T ketchup, 1/2 T mayo, and 2 pieces of romaine lettuce).

Meal 3: 194 calories - Protein Shake (Blend 1 scoop of protein powder with 3/4 C vanilla soy milk, and 1/4 of a medium apple).

Meal 4: 198 calories - A mixed green salad with chicken and brown rice. (Small mixed green salad with egg hard-boiled egg, 3 oz grilled chicken breast and 1/4 C cooked brown rice).

Meal 5: 198 calories - Protein Shake (Blend 3/4 scoop of egg protein powder, with 1/4 C 1% milk plus 1/2 C water, with 3oz. non-fat plain yogurt).

Meal 6: 210 calories - Grilled chicken with mixed green salad and baked sweet potato. (small mixed green salad with egg white, 2 oz chicken breast, 1 medium sweet potato).

Note: Results from the Lean Body Diet can be further enhanced with an exercise program. If you are exercising, it is advised to exercise at least one and a half to two hours after a meal. Then to ensure healthy recovery of muscle tissue, it is recommended to consume the next meal within one hour after your workout.