ASPARAGUS FRITTATA WITH HAM & SWISS

Gluten Free, Low Carb / Diabetes Friendly

Serves: 1/2 of frittata

Nutrition (per serving)

Calories: 250 Total Carbohydrate: 7
Total Fat: 12 g Dietary Fiber: 3 g
Saturated Fat: 4 g Protein: 29 g

Sodium: 613 mg

Ingredients

10 oz. asparagus, stem ends snapped off, cut into $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pieces (1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups)

2 large eggs

2 large egg whites or 1/3 cup liquid egg whites

2 tsp Dijon mustard

Freshly ground pepper to taste

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup shredded or diced reduced-fat, part-skim Swiss or Jarlsburg cheese (2 oz.)

½ cup diced deli ham (2 oz.)

1 tsp olive or canola oil



Directions

- 1. Steam or boil asparagus until just tender, 2-3 minutes. Rinse under cold water to stop further cooking and drain well. (see "quick tip" below)
- 2. Whisk eggs, egg whites, mustard, salt, and pepper in a medium bowl until blended. Stir in cheese, ham, and asparagus.
- 3. Preheat broiler. Brush oil over a 10-inch skillet with sloping sides; heat over medium-low heat. Pour in egg mixture. Cook, lifting edges with a heatproof silicone spatula and tilting skillet to allow uncooked egg to flow underneath from time to time, until the bottom is light golden, 2-4 minutes.
- 4. Place skillet under broiler and cook until the top is lightly browned, firm to touch and set, 3-5 minutes. Rotate skillet as necessary for even browning. Slide frittata onto a plate and cut into wedges. (Any leftovers can be covered and refrigerated, then heated in the microwave)

