

# LMC Guide to Vegetarian Protein Sources

## It is important to include protein with every meal and snack.

#### **Nuts & Nut Butters**



brazil nuts 1g per 1/4 cup



peanuts 9g per 1/4 cup



walnuts 4g per ¼ cup



cashews 5g per 1/4 cup



almonds 7g per ¼ cup



almond butter 7g per 2 tbsp



peanut butter 6g per 2 tbsp

### **Beans & Legumes**

\*Beans & legumes also contain carbohydrate.

If you are eating more than 1 cup, remember to count the carbohydrate as well.



#### Seeds



sunflower seeds 6g per ¼ cup



flax seeds 2g per 1 tbsp



hemp seeds 4g per 1 tbsp



tahini 5g per 2 tbsp



#### **Other Sources**



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# **Dairy & Eggs**



ricotta cheese 4.5g per 1.5oz



goat cheese 7.5g per 1.5oz



cheddar 9.5g per 1.5oz



mozzarella 8.5g per 1.5oz



feta cheese 5.5g per 1.5oz



gouda 10g per 1.5oz



Swiss cheese 5g per 1 slice



processed cheese cheddar or mozzarella 3.5g per 1 slice



cottage cheese 5g per 1.5oz



provolone 7g per 1 slice



12g per 2 large 8g per 1 cup 8g per 1 cup



soy milk



milk

Greek yogurt (plain) 16.5g per 3/4 cup

# **Vegetarian Recipe Websites**

Fat Free Vegan - http://blog.fatfreevegan.com/

Oh She Glows - <a href="http://ohsheglows.com/">http://ohsheglows.com/</a>

Dietitian Debbie Dishes - http://dietitiandebbie.com/

Abby's Kitchen - https://www.abbeyskitchen.com/category/recipes/ (This site has both vegetarian and meat-based recipes)

The Foodie Dietitian - <a href="https://karalydon.com/recipes/">https://karalydon.com/recipes/</a>

Delish Knowledge - https://www.delishknowledge.com/recipes/

