## **Turkey Lentil Meatballs** – makes ~28 meat balls http://www.eminencenutrition.com/turkey-lentil-meatballs

## Ingredients

- 1lb Ground turkey
- 1 can Cooked green lentils
- ½ cup Onion, chopped
- 2 Garlic cloves, minced
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup Bread crumbs
- 1 Egg, lightly beaten
- 1 tsp. Dried thyme
- 1 tsp. Dried oregano
- 1 tsp. Salt
- ½ tsp. Ground black pepper
- ~ 3 tbsp. Olive oil

## Directions:

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F (200°C).
- 2. Drain and rinse the lentils. Place them in a food processor and pulse them until they are a chunky mixture.
- 3. Combine all of the ingredients (except oil) in a large bowl and gently mix until combined.
- 4. Form into golf ball sized meatballs, about 1½ inches in diameter.
- 5. Heat a pan on medium-heat and add some oil. Let it warm for 30 seconds and then place the meatballs in the pan and fry until all the sides are brown.
- 6. Arrange meatballs on a parchment-lined baking sheet and bake for 15 minutes.
- 7. Enjoy 😊



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