Food First in Care Homes: Fortified Drinks and Puddings Recipes

This leaflet was designed to provide residential home and care home catering staff with standardised recipes for high calorie and protein drinks and puddings. These recipes should be offered to those residents who struggle to eat enough to maintain a healthy weight (MUST≥1)

Fortified milk

A basic recipe for boosting the calorie and protein content of milk.

Fortified milk should be used instead of milk on breakfast cereals, porridge, hot drinks or just taken as a drink.

Ingredients	Directions
Four tablespoons (~60-70g) dried	1. Mix the powder with a small amount
skimmed milk powder	of milk to make a paste
1 pint of full fat milk	2. Whisk in the rest of the milk
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Nutritional content per pint of fortified milk - 595 kcal and 45g protein

Standard fortified milkshake

Ingredients for single portion 180 ml full fat milk 30g skimmed milk powder 20g vitamin enriched milkshake powder eg Nesquik/ Ovaltine/ Horlicks For 5 portions: 900ml full fat milk 150g skimmed milk powder 100g vitamin enriched milkshake pow- der eg Nesquik/ Ovaltine/ Horlicks	Directions Mix the skimmed milk powder and the milkshake powder together in a large glass. Gradually add the milk, stirring thoroughly. OR : add all ingredients to a blender and mix for a few seconds.
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Nutritional content per portion

1 portion= 220ml

305 kcal, 17g protein, 44 g carbohydrate, 7.5g fat. Cost: 40p per portion









Fruity fortified milkshake



Ingredients for single portion 50g strawberry yoghurt, 50g plain ice cream, 25g milk powder, 50g full cream milk, 1/₂ banana Ingredients for 5 portions 250g strawberry yoghurt 250g plain ice cream 125 milk powder 250g full cream milk 2 large bananas	Directions Add all ingredients to a blender and mix for up to 30 seconds
2 large parlarias	

Nutritional content per portion

265 kcal 16g protein 32g carbohydrate 17g fat

Fortified fruit juice

For those who do not like milk, or who have lactose or milk intolerance

900ml fruit juice 200ml undiluted squash/ cordial- do not use sugar free or diet squash

Try the following flavour combinations:

Cranberry juice and high juice blackcurrant squash or Apple juice and elderflower cordial.

Nutritional content 1 portion= 220ml

Cranberry juice and high juice blackcurrant squash

212 kcal, 8.4g protein 42.4g carbohydrate, 0g fat. Cost:80p per portion

Apple juice and elderflower cordial





Coconut and date shake

A plant- based fortified shake



Ingredients for single portion	Directions
60g smooth peanut butter,	Add all ingredients to a blender and
5 medjool dates,	mix for up to 1 minute. Please note , the
200ml coconut milk,	dates may not blend thoroughly and
50ml cold water/ a few ice cubes	small pieces may remain in the finished
Ingredients for 5 portions	shake.
300g smooth peanut butter	
25 medjool dates	
1L coconut milk	
250 ml cold water/ a trayful of ice cubes	

Nutritional content 1 portion= 300ml

458 kcal, 15g protein, 32g fat, 38g carbohydrate. Cost: £1.54 per portion

Fortified pudding

A smooth textured high protein and calorie pudding

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Ingredients for 1 portion	Directions
¹ / ₂ packet Angel delight (or similar in-	Add milk powder to Angel Delight pow-
stant pudding mix),	der, then gradually add milk, then stir in
3 tbsp skimmed milk powder,	cream. Leave to rest 5 minutes in refrig-
75ml double cream,	erator before serving. Will keep up to 24
75 ml whole milk	hours in refrigerator.
Ingredients for 5 portions	
2 ¹ ⁄ ₂ packets angel delight (or similar	
instant pudding mix)	
15 tbsp skimmed milk powder	
75ml double cream	
75 ml whole milk	

Nutritional Content 1 portion= approximately 250ml

*All prices based on Sainsbury's ingredient prices, correct as of August 2020.