TREATMENT WITH A LOW FODMAP DIET

FODMAP are carbohydrates found in some foods, which cannot be digested and absorbed well.

People with irritable bowel syndrome are susceptible to the effects of FODMAP. When consumed in large amounts, they may cause symptoms such as diarrhea, constipation, gas pains and cramps.

The FODMAP, lactose and gluten intake are restricted in this medical diet program to reduce the symptoms.

| | Fructose | Oligosaccharide | Polyol | Lactose |
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| Fruits | Apple, Pear, Peach, Date, Raisin, Watermelon, Mango, Strawberry | | Apple, Pear, Peach, Avocado, Coconut, Apricot, Plum, Cherry, Watermelon | |
| Vegetables | | Onion, Garlic, Asparagus, Artichoke, Broccoli, Peas, Chicory, Brussels Sprouts, Cabbage, Leek, Okra, Beet | Yellow squash, cauliflower, mushroom | |
| Milk and Dairy Products | | | | Milk, Ice cream, Chocolate Cream, Cheese |
| Cereals and pulses | | Wheat, Rye, Barley | Chickpea, Lentil, Red Beans, Beans | |
| Desserts and Sweeteners | Jam, Molasses, Honey, Corn Syrup, Packed Fruit Juices | | Sorbitol, Mannitol, Xylitol, Isomalt | |

RECOMMENDATIONS:

You can safely consume red meat, fish, chicken, turkey, eggs and cheese (except cream cheese).

Daily consumption limit:

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Eggs >>> ...... pc(s)/day
Cheese>>>..... slice(s)/day
Meat/ Fish/ Chicken >>> in the size of ..... meatball/day
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You can consume lactose-free milk and yoghurt. All dairy foods contain lactose. You can prepare such food using lactose-free milk.

Daily consumption limit:

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Lactose-free milk/yoghurt >>>.....water glass(es)/day
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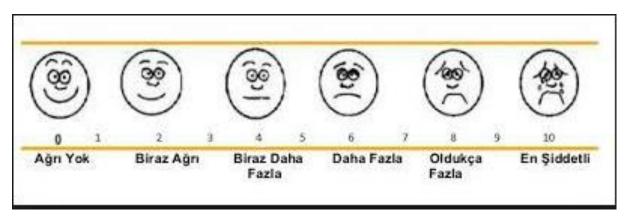
Do not consume bread, pasta, bulgur, cake, pastry, bakery desserts, biscuits, crackers, boza (a kind of fermented drink) vb. Do not consume food made with wheat, barley or rye flour. Choose "gluten-free" products. You can use gluten-free flour, cornflour, rice flour and chickpea flour. You can consume rice and quinoa.

You can consume all fruits and vegetables that are not listed on the previous page.

Daily consumption limit:

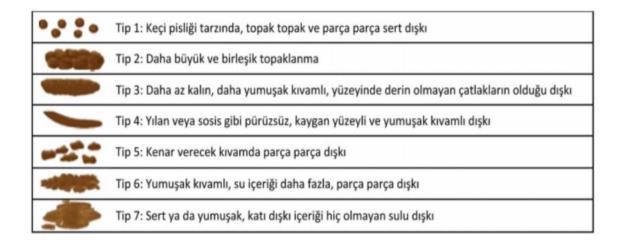
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Fruits>>> ...... portion/day
Vegetable >>> ...... portion/day
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ANNEX-2 VISUAL ANALOGUE PAIN SCALE



No pain Mild Moderate Severe Very Severe Worst Pain

ANNEX-3 BRISTOL STOOL SCALE



- Type 1: Separate hard lumps, like nuts (difficult to pass and can be black)
- Type 2: Sausage-shaped, but lumpy
- Type 3: Like a sausage but with cracks on its surface (can be black)
- Type 4: Like a sausage or snake, smooth and soft (average stool)
- Type 5: Soft blobs with clear cut edges
- Type 6: Fluffy pieces with ragged edges, a mushy stool (diarrhea)
- Type 7: Watery, no solid pieces, entirely liquid (diarrhea)

ANNEX-4 IBS SCALE OF SEVERITY

1) How severe is your pain? 0 100 25 50 75 Mild Moderate Very Severe No pain Severe 2) If in pain, how severe is your abdominal pain? 25 50 75 100 No pain Mild Moderate Severe Very Severe 3) How severe is your abdominal distention (bloating)? 0 25 50 75 100 Moderate No distention Mild Severe Very Severe 4) How satisfied are you with your bowel habits? 33 66 100 Quite happy Very unhappy Very happy Unhappy 5) How does IBS affect your daily life? 0 33 66 100 Not at all A little Quite a lot Constantly