



## Cheesy Chicken Enchiladas

with Mild Red Chili Sauce



30min



2 Servings

Tomato paste is made by simmering tomatoes for hours until it forms a thick, concentrated paste. Here, we use it to add a rich depth of flavor to a quick red chili sauce for these cheesy chicken enchiladas. The sauce coats flour tortillas, filled with melted cheddar cheese and ground chicken, with extra cheese layered on top for a bubbly golden topping.

## What we send

- garlic
- 1 yellow onion
- 1 green bell pepper
- 2 scallions
- ¼ oz fresh cilantro
- 2 oz shredded cheddar-jack blend <sup>7</sup>
- 10 oz pkg ground chicken
- 2 (¼ oz) taco seasoning
- 6 oz tomato paste
- 6 (6-inch) flour tortillas <sup>1,6</sup>

## What you need

- neutral oil
- kosher salt & ground pepper
- sugar

## Tools

- medium ovenproof skillet (preferably cast-iron)
- microwave

## Allergens

Wheat (1), Soy (6), Milk (7). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

## Nutrition per serving

Calories 870kcal, Fat 44g, Carbs 75g, Protein 51g



### 1. Prep veggies & cheese

Preheat oven to 450°F with a rack in the center. Finely chop **1 teaspoon garlic**. Halve and coarsely chop **all of the onion**. Halve **bell pepper**, remove stem and seeds, then cut into ½-inch pieces. Trim **scallions**, then thinly slice. Coarsely chop **cilantro leaves and stems**. Measure out **¾ cup shredded cheese** (save rest for own use).



### 4. Make red chili sauce

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in same skillet over medium. Add **3 tablespoons tomato paste** and **remaining taco seasoning and chopped garlic**. Cook, stirring, until fragrant, about 1 minute. Add **1¼ cups water** and **½ teaspoon sugar**, bring to a boil. Simmer until sauce is slightly reduced, 1-2 minutes. Pour **all but ¼ cup of the sauce** into a liquid measuring cup.



### 2. Cook chicken

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in a medium ovenproof skillet (preferably cast-iron) over medium-high until shimmering. Add **chicken** and cook, breaking up meat into smaller pieces, until lightly browned and cooked through, 4-5 minutes. Season to taste with **salt and pepper**.



### 5. Assemble enchiladas

Stir **½ cup of the cheese** and **half each of the cilantro and scallions** into **chicken filling**. Wrap **tortillas** in a kitchen towel and microwave to soften, 30-40 seconds. Place tortillas on a work surface. Spoon about **½ cup of the filling** onto each. Roll tightly (tortillas will be full) and place, seam side down, in skillet with **sauce**, tucking any extra filling into sides.



### 3. Cook veggies with chicken

To same skillet, add **peppers, onions, 1 tablespoon oil**, and **½ teaspoon of the chopped garlic**. Cover and cook over medium-high, stirring occasionally, until veggies are crisp-tender, 5-6 minutes. Stir in **half of the taco seasoning** and **2 tablespoons water**. Season to taste with **salt and pepper**. Transfer to a bowl to cool slightly.



### 6. Bake enchiladas & serve

Pour **¾ of the reserved sauce** over **enchiladas**. Bake on center oven rack until just bubbling, 12-15 minutes (watch closely). Remove from oven, then top **enchiladas** with **remaining sauce and cheese**. Bake on center oven rack until cheese is melted and browned in spots, 2-3 minutes (watch closely). Serve **enchiladas** with **remaining cilantro and scallions** sprinkled on top. Enjoy!