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Supplemental Table S1: The caloric value and macronutrient distribution across each eating occasion of daily menu for each treatment

Diet Plan								
Meal/snack	Food groups	daily eating occasion Carbohydrates (%)	Proteins (%)	Fats (%)	Total energy (kcal)			
Breakfast	 Grain foods (one serving) Dairy group (one and a half servings) Fruit (two servings) Butter (one dessertspoon) 	78.63	5.81	15.56	301.09(15%)			
Snack	- Fruit (one serving)	91.62	6.70	1.68	42.96(2.14%)			
Lunch	- Dark-green vegetables (free) - Red, orange or other vegetables (two servings) - Beans, peas, and lentils vegetables (one serving) - Grain foods (one and a half servings) - Meat, poultry, and eggs (one serving) - Fruit (one and a half servings) - Extra-virgin olive oil (one tablespoon)	58.67	25.02	16.31	707.06(35.23%)			
Snack	- Grain foods (one serving) - Dairy group (one servings)	39.58	27.66	75.36	186.01(9,27%)			
Dinner	- Dark-green vegetables (freely) - Red, orange or other vegetables (two servings) - Grain foods (one and a half servings) - Meat, poultry, and eggs (one serving) - Fruit (one serving) - Extra-virgin olive oil (one tablespoon)	36.53	41.41	22.06	614.50(30.62%)			
Evening snack	- Fruit (two servings)	24.30	2.70	-	108 (5.38%)			
Total		54.14	25.62	21.86	2006.47 (100%)			

Diet Plan Three daily eating occasion								
Meal/snack	Food groups	Carbohydrates (%)	Proteins (%)	Fats (%)	Total energy (kcal)			
Breakfast	 Grain foods (one and a half servings) Dairy group (one and a half servings) Fruit (three servings) Butter (one dessertspoon) 	69.88	15.71	31.51	463.49(23.10%)			
Lunch	- Dark-green vegetables (freely) - Red, orange or other vegetables (three servings) - Beans, peas, and lentils vegetables (one serving) - Grain foods (one and a half servings) - Meat, poultry, and eggs (one serving) - Fruit (two servings) - Extra-virgin olive oil (one tablespoon)	55.09	24.97	19.93	736.17(36.70%)			
Dinner	- Dark-green vegetables (freely) - Red, orange or other vegetables (three servings) - Grain foods (one and a half servings) - Meat, poultry, and eggs (one serving) - Fruit (two serving) - Extra-virgin olive oil (one tablespoon)	37.89	34.76	27.35	757.50(37,76%)			
Total		50.68	25.92	24.93	2005.63 (100%)			