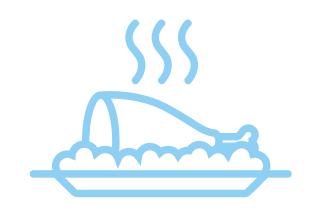


Australian Guide to Healthy Eating

MEAT/ALTERNATIVES



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WHAT IS THE RECOMMENDED NUMBER OF SERVES I SHOULD EAT PER DAY?

It is recommended **men** should consume between **2.5-3 serves** of meat/alternatives per day

It is recommended women should consume between 2-2.5 serves of meat/alternatives per day





WHAT IS CONSIDERED A 'SERVE' OF MEAT/ALTERNATIVES?

Standard Serve = 500-600kJ

65g cooked lean meats such as beef, lamb, veal, pork, goat or kangaroo (about 90-100g raw)

80g cooked lean poultry such as chicken or turkey (100g) raw

100g cooked fish fillet (about 115g raw) or one small can of fish

2 large (120g) eggs

1 cup (150g) cooked or canned legumes/beans such as lentils, chickpeas, or split peas (preferably with no added salt)

170g tofu

30g nuts, seeds, peanut, or almond butter or tahini or other nut or seed paste (no added salt)

WHAT IS CONSIDERED LEAN MEAT?

Lean meats are meats with a relatively **low fat content.** Skinless chicken and turkey and red meat, such as pork chops, with the fat trimmed off are examples of lean meat.

Lean meats are a good source of protein, have fewer calories and greater health benefits than non-lean meats.

HEALTHY SWAPS

PROCESSED/UNTRIMMED **FAT**





Bacon/ham/salami





Fresh cuts of turkey/chicken



Sausage/hot dog





Lean cut of meat e.g. steak



Fried chicken/fish





Grilled chicken/fish

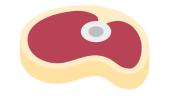




Chicken/pork with skin on



Chicken/pork with skin off







Untrimmed cuts of meat

Trimmed cuts of meat