African American

COOKING TIPS

HEALTHY EATING TIPS

Eat a variety of foods low in salt, fat, and sugar Eat lean meats, fish, and poultry Eat grains, fresh vegetables, and fruit



MEAT, FISH, POULTRY

- Bake or broil instead of fry
- Eat chicken without skin
- Trim meats / pour off fat
- Prepare fat-free gravies

COLLARD, MUSTARD, TURNIP GREENS BLACK-EYED PEAS, PINTO BEANS, NAVY BEANS

- Season with skinless smoked turkey/chicken, lean ham, turkey ham, Canadian bacon
- Increase onion, garlic, peppers, vinegar and herb seasonings for flavor





CORNBREAD, STUFFING, SWEET POTATOES

- Use little butter, shortening, or oil
- Add lowfat chicken broth to stuffings instead of meat drippings
- Season sweet potatoes and yams with nutmeg, cinnamon, and vanilla — use little butter and sugar