## Cooking Eggs

## **How to Make Hard Cooked Eggs**

4 eggs

Cold water

- 1. Place eggs in a single layer in a medium saucepan. Add enough cold water to just cover the eggs. Bring to a rapid boil over high heat (water should have large, rapidly breaking bubbles).
- 2. Remove from heat, cover, and let stand for 15 minutes. Drain. Run cold water over the eggs or place them in ice water until cool enough to handle. Drain.
- 3. To peel eggs, gently tap each egg on the counter top. Roll the egg between the palms of your hands. Peel off the eggshell, starting at the large end.

## **How to Make Soft Cooked Eggs**

4 eggs

Cold water

- 1. Place eggs in a single layer in a medium saucepan. Add enough cold water to just cover the eggs. Bring to a rapid boil over high heat (water should have large, rapidly breaking bubbles).
- 2. Remove from heat, cover, and let stand for 3 to 4 minutes. Drain.
- 3. Run cold water over the eggs or place them in ice water until cool enough to handle. Drain.
- 4. Cut tops off the eggs and serve in egg cups, or cut eggs in half and use a spoon to scoop the eggs into serving dishes.

## How to Make Microwave Scrambled Eggs

- 1. Lightly oil (or use cooking spray) a microwave safe glass measure or coffee cup.
- 2. Add egg and milk or water; stir.
- 3. Cover and cook as follows:

# ot Eggs	Milk or Water	lime
1	1 Tablespoon	45 seconds -1½ minutes
2	2 Tablespoons	1½ - 2½ minutes
4	3 Tablespoons	$3\frac{1}{2}$ - 6 minutes

4. Let egg rest for 1-3 minutes.



