

Air-Fryer Honey Hot Chicken Scotch Eggs It's mildly spicy but add more hot sauce for spirited heat

## Scotch Eggs:

egg, whisked
 Tablespoons all-purpose flour
 cup panko breadcrumbs, crushed
 ounces mild Italian or hot chicken sausage
 Tablespoon honey
 Tablespoon spicy chili crisp or favorite hot sauce
 cooked eggs, cooled and peeled
 Spray vegetable oil as needed

## **Chili Crisp Cream Sauce**

1/4 cup mayonnaise
1/4 cup plain Greek yogurt
1/2 Tablespoon and 1 teaspoon spicy chili crisp, divided
Salad:
4 to 6 cups mixed baby lettuce greens

**Garnish**: Drizzles of white balsamic vinegar or lemon juice Smoked paprika as desired

Preheat air fryer to 360 degrees F.

**Arrange dishes or shallow bowls:** Whisk the egg in shallow bowl; spoon flour in flat dish; then breadcrumbs in a third plate. Have an empty plate for the coated eggs available.

Add Seasoning to Chicken Sausage: In a medium sized bowl, combine sausage, honey, and chili crisp or hot sauce, mixing well. Divide the sausage mixture into 4 even portions.

**Covering Eggs with Chicken Sausage:** Lightly dust an egg with flour. Pat one portion of the sausage mixture into an oval-shaped patty on one hand. Place egg in center of sausage; gently mold the chicken sausage around the egg, completely covering the entire egg.

**Breading the Sausage Round:** Roll the sausage ball in flour, dip it into the whisked egg; then roll in breadcrumbs, completely covering the sausage. Place the Scotch egg on the extra plate. Repeat these steps with the remaining eggs.

**Air-Fry Scotch Eggs**: Place scotch eggs in air-fryer basket (do not overcrowd the basket. Cook eggs, turning over once, in preheated 360 degrees F air-fryer for 18 minutes or until golden brown. Remove eggs from air-fryer to separate plate.

**Prepare Chili Crisp Cream Sauce:** In a small bowl, combine mayonnaise, yogurt, chili crisp or hot sauce until smooth. Place in small serving bowl; dot the top with bits of chili crisp as desired.

**To Serve**: Plate lettuce greens on small plates; drizzle lightly with Balsamic vinegar or lemon juice; cut Scotch egg in half; sprinkle lightly with smoked paprika. Serve with Spicy Cream Sauce

**About the Recipe**: Add a popular flavor pop to the classic egg snack that is crisp coated with panko crumbs and cooked in an air-fryer. Serve these delicious Scotch eggs over mixed baby greens with a drizzle of sweet vinegar, a sprinkle of smoked paprika, and chili crisp cream sauce.