## **Heart Failure Program**



## Reading a Food Label For Sodium Content

- It is important to review serving size.
- The serving size for *this item* is one cup.
- **NOTE:** There are two servings per container.
- Therefore, if you eat the entire container you are eating <u>double</u> the amount of sodium.
- Limit your sodium to 2000 mg per day or less.
- **NOTE:** The amount of sodium for one cup of this item is **660mg.** This is nearly one third of your daily allowance.

Nutrit Serving Size 1 cup (	228g)	Fac	cts
Amount Per Serving			
Calories 280		Calories fr	om Fat 120
		% Da	aily Value*
Total Fat 13q			209
Saturated Fat 5g			259
Trans Fat 2g			
Cholesterol 2mg			109
Sodium 660mg			289
<b>Total Carbohydrate</b>	31g		109
Dietary Fiber 3g			09
Sugars 5g			
Protein 5g			
Vitamin A 4%	•	Vitamin C 2%	
Calcium 15%	•	Iron 4%	
Percent Daily Values are bas be higher or lower depending	ed on a 2,000-cal g on your calorie n	orie diet. Your da leeds.	ily values may
	Calories:	2,000	2,500
Total Fat	Less than	65q	80q
Sat Fat	Less than	20g	25g
Cholesterol	Less than	300mg	300mg
Sodium	Less than	2,400mg	2,400mg
Total Carbohydrate		300g	375g
Fiber		25g	30g
Calories per gram: Fat 9	Carbohydrate	4 •	Protein 4

- Look at the percent of Daily Value, this number should be 7% or less.
- At 28% per serving, this item is high in sodium.