A TASTE OF

LATIN AMERICAN HERITAGE

EVALUATION RESULTS

Based on pre- and post-survey data collected from 252 A Taste of Latin American Heritage participants in TX, NJ, MD, MA, OH, NY, and FL:



33%

report eating more fruits



32%

report eating more vegetarian meals



32%

report eating more herbs and spices



31%

report an increase in exercise



30%

report eating more vegetables



30%

report eating more nuts and seeds



30%

report eating more beans



31%

report eating more tubers



27%

report an increase in home cooking



99%

report that history and heritage are motivators

for eating well

Participant testimonials:

Meals are easy to prepare and they taste really great. The best part is that they are healthy."

"I love coming to this class."

"Me servio' muchisimo a nivelar mis comidas a ser firme mejor con mi misma y lo mas importante, conocer nuevas personas" [It helped me a lot to balance my meals to be better with myself and most importantly, to meet new people]

Across the full group, there were also **statistically significant improvements** in consumption of fruits, herbs, whole grains, and nuts as well as in exercise frequency.



