# diettogo

# **Mail Order Heating Instructions**

## **Preparing for Your Order to Arrive:**

- Empty your refrigerator to prepare for the arrival of your meals.
- Keep only condiments that are appropriate for your particular meal plan.
- We recommend that you consume all your Diet-to-Go meals within one week.

### When Your Order Arrives:

- Unpack and organize your meals based on your chosen meal plan. You can see the menu weeks by clicking here.
- Your meals may arrive thawed, which is acceptable as long as they are still cold.
- Put the first 3 days of meals in your refrigerator and the last 4 days of meals in the freezer.
- On the 3rd day, take the rest of the meals from the freezer and put them in the refrigerator.
- For Low-Fat menus, the "Side Items" box contains shelf-stable side items, such as fruit and condiments, and should be refrigerated after opening.
- For Low-Carb menus, All meals are self-contained and do not include a "Side Items" box.

NOTE: To avoid injury, do not directly touch any remaining dry ice in the cooler.

## **Heating Instructions:**

Remove the plastic vacuum-sealed bags before heating entrees in the oven or microwave. The black containers are both microwave and oven-safe.

PLEASE NOTE: Microwaves and conventional ovens vary in temperature, so adjust our heating times accordingly.

#### Microwave

When microwaving, cover with wax paper or plastic wrap, leaving one corner vented. Microwave on High for 2-3 minutes, or until the entrée is hot. Remove from the microwave and let stand for 1 minute before eating.

#### **Conventional Oven**

When heating in a conventional oven, cover with aluminum foil. Cooking times vary, but most items will reheat in 15-25 minutes at 300°.

# Tips:

- Some breakfasts and lunches are designed to be served cold, although many items may be heated.
- Our menu was designed by Registered Dietitians for optimum daily nutritional balance. However, if you prefer, meals may be consumed in any order.
- We recommend that you drink 6-8 glasses of water daily.
- Our meals are fresh-frozen, which ensures the best quality, safest, freshest-tasting product - unlike commercially frozen meals. Our state-of-the-art equipment vacuum packs each container to ensure both quality and shelf life of each entrée.