SALMON-FUJI APPLE BURGERS

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Ingredients: Serves 2

½ cup apple cider

1 Fuji apple, peeled and coarsely grated

1 medium shallot or ½ small red onion, finely chopped

1 ½ tablespoons apple cider vinegar

½ tablespoon curry powder

Kosher salt and freshly ground pepper

Pinch of finely chopped cilantro, plus whole leaves for topping

¾ pound skinless salmon fillet, cut into 1-inch chunks

¼ cup panko breadcrumbs

1 tablespoon mayonnaise, plus more for the buns

2 potato buns, split and toasted

Potato chips, for serving (optional)

Directions:

- Combine the cider, apples, shallot, vinegar, curry powder, salt and pepper, to taste, in a saucepan and bring to a boil
- Cook until the liquid evaporates, about 8 minutes
- Let cool slightly
- Stir in chopped cilantro
- Pulse three quarters of the salmon in a food processor until finely ground
- Add the remaining salmon and pule until chopped
- Transfer to a bowl and stir in the panko and mayonnaise
- ❖ After the cider mixture has cooled, add to salmon mixture and form into 2 − ½ inch thick patties
- ❖ Melt the butter in a large nonstick skillet over medium-high heat
- ❖ Add the patties and cook until browned and cooked through, 2 3 minutes per side
- Butter the buns and sandwich with the salmon burgers, mayonnaise, apple relish and more cilantro
- Serve with chips