Chocolate protein balls



Ingredients

- 1 1/2 cups raw macadamias
- 1/2 cup raw cashews
- 2 tbs cacao powder
- 1 cup desiccated coconut plus extra
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract/essence
- 10 soft fresh medjool dates (stones removed)

Method

- 1. Pop the macadamias, cashews, coconut and cacao powder into a food processor and blitz until it looks like fine crumbs.
- 2. Add the vanilla and pulse until combined well.
- 3. With the motor running, add the dates one at a time until the mixture comes together like dough.
- 4. Roll the mix into small bite-size balls and refrigerate (it helps if your hands are slightly wet, so keep a bowl of cold water nearby to dip your hands in).
- 5. Keep protein balls in an airtight container in the fridge for up to 1 week.