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1 hot pepper, finely chopped (optional)
1 cup zucchini, cut into small cubes
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1 teaspoon sugar
4 eggs

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2. Add the vegetables, spices and sugar. Cook for about 15 minutes on low heat with the lid halfway on pan, stirring frequently.
3. Crack each egg on top of the hot tomato mixture in a separate place. Cover and continue cooking on low heat until the eggs are cooked to the desired firmness.

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