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The 10 Best New Resorts in the U.S.

The 2023 It List.

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It was a phenomenal year for hotel openings stateside, with properties ranging from a reimagined beach escape on Long Island, to a luxurious wine country stay in northern California. As travelers continue to flock to places outside of major cities, these are the 10 new domestic resorts our editors most recommend.

03 | The Madrona – Healdsburg, California

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This oak-shrouded property originally served as a cattle ranch, with a 1881 Victorian residence as its centerpiece. Co-owners Cory Schisler, a Los Angeles hotelier, and Jay Jeffers, a San Francisco interior designer, restored the mansion and created a lush tableau with a mix of heirloom pieces (inherited from the estate's six previous owners) and contemporary art from San Francisco's [Dolby Chadwick Gallery](#). The vibe honors the Aesthetic Movement, an era of beauty for beauty's sake, which was popular in Healdsburg in the late 1800s. There are 24 rooms and bungalows, plus plenty of places for lounging, like on one of the porches or in Hannah's Bar, which is outfitted in pink plaid. As a whimsical nod to the surrounding woodland, depictions of fleeting foxes and rascally rabbits add creature comfort to furnishings like a Victorian-era William Morris Co. sofa. Rooms have chambray drapes, custom floral rugs, and ceilings covered in pinstripe grasscloth, giving this grand old dame a new look. And because it's wine country, you know the food and drink will be exceptional. Try the wood-fired vegetable pie for lunch, and indulge in duck bolognese gnocchi for dinner. [themadronahotel.com](#); *doubles from \$493*. — Leilani Marie Labong

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