

GANSEVOORT  
DOMINICAN  
REPUBLIC

*Playa Imbert*



## A Slice of Paradise

For a slice of paradise, try the newest address in luxury in the Dominican Republic – Gansevoort Playa Imbert. This tranquil retreat threw open its doors in December to travellers wanting to soak up some magic along its teal blue waters sprinkled with deep-sea coral. This resort has a private beach where you can roam and let the soft, golden sands tease your feet. Bliss.

What the resort offers in terms of accommodation is second to none. Take your pick from the 48 suites comprising one and two-bedroom lofts; three-bedroom apartments with private plunge pools and spacious terraces and just tuck yourself into the slickly designed rooms. If sweeping views of a dramatic seascape is what you crave, the Playa Imbert's collection of four-bedroom penthouses with a private rooftop Jacuzzi will have you dancing for joy.

Playa Imbert sure knows how to indulge its guests. At the heart of the resort is a dramatic, three-tiered cascading infinity pool that overlooks the crescent-shaped beach below. We hear a second, adults-only pool will open up this spring.

Let's talk about food: the Baia Lounge tickles your tastebuds with its gourmet Mediterranean specialties and Asian-inspired fare – all flawlessly executed by Executive Chef Giancarlo Fiori. Chef Fiori's credits, we learn, include the Peninsula House and El Bulli restaurant in San Sebastian Spain. Besides, the La Cantina Wine + Cigar Cellar offers an impressive array of handpicked wines. You are bound to find something you'll love to sip with the flavourful food. Delicious reasons to dine in at the lounge every night?





## TO DO

Spend the day discovering the benefits of meditation or sort out your sore muscles at the resort's gorgeous day spa (opens in May) and its Hammam-style sauna. Perhaps, you could soak up some tranquillity in the yoga garden to get recharged; you'll be easily forgiven for not wanting to leave the resort. And if you'd like to get closer to the action, there is surfing, kiteboarding, golf and horseback riding centres just a short drive away. Take a walk through the over 400 acres of protected wilderness reserve and if you are the adventurous kind, go scuba diving in the company of colourful fishes amidst shipwrecks. Should you find any treasure or trinkets in the ocean bed, be sure not to tell Jack Sparrow.

## GETTING THERE:

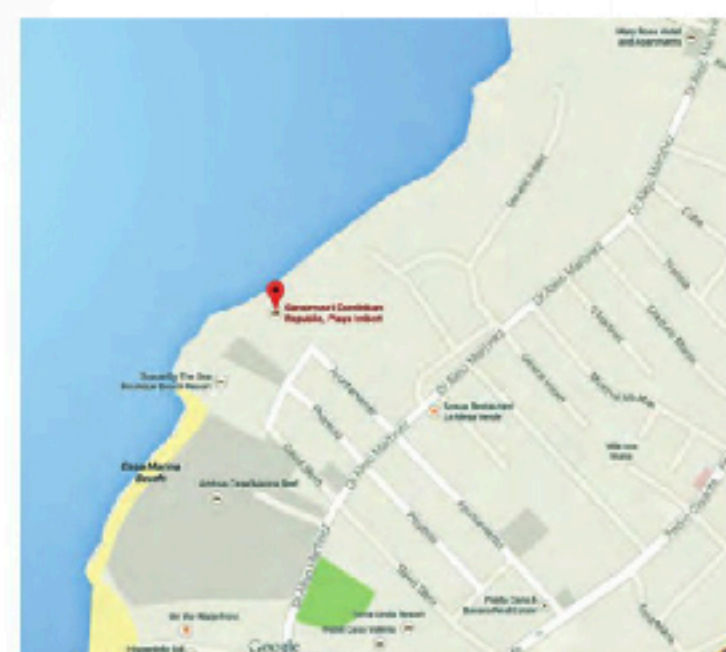
Gansevoort Playa Imbert is located just 15 minutes from Puerto Plata Airport. The rates include round trip transfers from and to the airport. (\*check about transfers while making the reservation).

## BOOK IT:

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## HIGHLIGHT

Attention pet owners! Take your furry friends to Gansevoort Playa Imbert; They too deserve a vaca-break. Did we mention the hotel promises to love your pets as much as you do? Yes, pets are very much welcome at Playa Imbert.



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