

# Casa Colonial Beach & Spa Resort

PUERTO PLATA, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

**T**he Spa: The state-of-the-art 12,400 square foot spa designed by Sarah Garcia, a renowned Dominican architect and the hotel's designer, features 10 tranquil therapy rooms and three outdoor oceanfront treatment gazebos set over a tropical pond with soothing waterfalls. The indoor treatment rooms include two private couples suites with Jacuzzis and terraces facing the ocean.

When designing the spa, Garcia studied the ancient practice of Feng Shui. The name "Bagua" comes from a concept of Feng Shui. The Bagua is traditionally represented in the shape of an octagon where each facet of the octagon is called a "gua" represents one of life's aspects, including Prosperity, Family, Career Path, etc. The Bagua Spa at Casa Colonial was designed according to the guidelines of the Bagua to create a serene sanctuary where guests can find harmony and clarity.

**Indigenous Therapies:** The Bagua Spa, set amidst the golden beaches and lush mountain ranges of the Dominican Republic's glittering Amber Coast, features unique therapies that incorporate tropical plant extracts indigenous

to the area. The Dominican Republic's natural medicinal and healing elements including Royal Bee Jelly, Honey and Ocean Water characterize the Bagua Spa experience.

**Bagua Lite package:** The Bagua Lite package is designed to pamper and equip guests with all the tools for a healthier lifestyle, all while indulging in a luxurious getaway. The three night package offers guests a combination of morning walks on golden-sand beaches, daily exercise routines and deep cleansing hydrating facials and massages to release tension and unwind. Adding to this healthy experience, guests can feast on light spa cuisine paired with a blend of fresh tropical fruit and vegetable juices with fresh herbal tisans, influenced by ancient Dominican traditional recipes. The cost of the "Bagua Lite" package is \$1,504 per person based on double occupancy valid through December 26, 2008 and exclusive of taxes and service charges. **Booking Special:** Book a stay at Casa Colonial and mention Island Magazine at the time of booking to receive a \$100 resort credit per room.

## Details

**ACCOMMODATIONS:** 50 suites

**RATES:** \$286/night

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### SIGNATURE TREATMENT:

Bagua Classic Massage. A rhythmic and relaxing massage that soothes muscular aches and pains and is tailored to an individual's muscle tone.

