

# **OVERVIEW**

Your Maldivian dreams come true at The Standard's first island escape. Nestled in the Raa Atoll on Huruvalhi island, a short sea plane ride away from Male, our oasis offers a unique blend of relaxation and social life, perfect for a romantic escape or a getaway with everyone you know. Whether an overwater villa floating in our lagoon or settled on a pristine sandy beach front, each of the 115 villas feature their own private lounge deck and plunge pool. You'll never go hungry with six unique dining options ranging from a beach front BBQ Shak and the Maldivian restaurant, serving-up freshly caught seafood and sourcing ingredient directly from our personal island farm with real "Aunties" cooking you their traditional recipes. Your daytimes are filled with snorkeling our naturally protected house reef, or dive deeper on a boat excursion through the local waters. Physical activity not your thing? Relax in our indoor hydrotherapy oasis, The Standard Spa, complete with a communal hammam, aroma steam room, daily yoga and nine private treatment rooms to leave your body refreshed. No Standard stay is complete without a night to remember; whether dancing to tribal beats at a beach bonfire or at our nightclub with glass bottom dance floor, the only thing that could end the fun is the sunrise. Rinse and repeat.

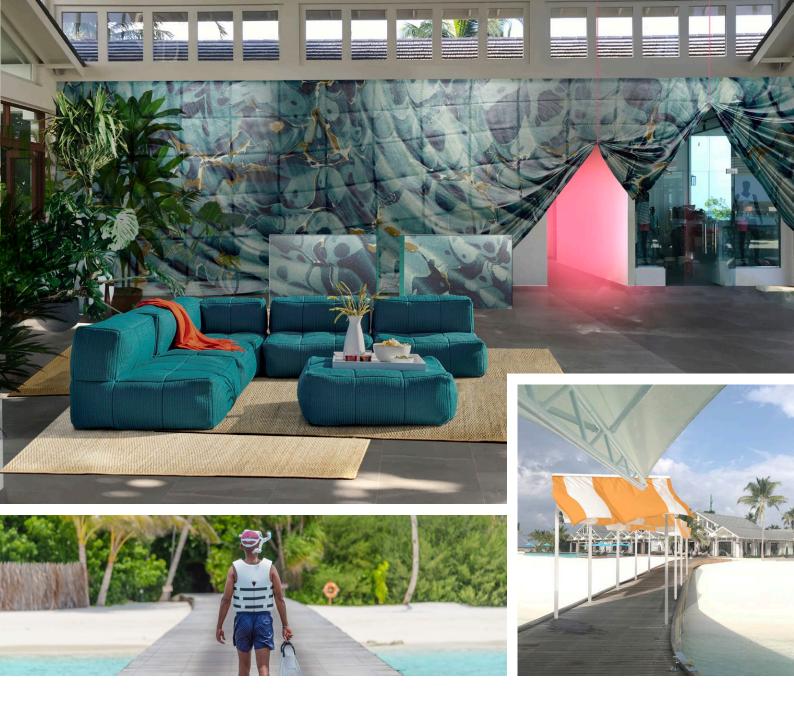




# **LOCATION**

The Standard, Huruvalhi Maldives is located in Raa Atoll on Huruvalhi island. Your transfer from Velana International Airport is a breathtaking 35-minute seaplane ride, or combined 20-minute domestic flight to Dharavandhoo and 35-minute speedboat ride to the resort, either of which we will be happy to arrange.





### **THE LOBBY**

Greeted by the swaying panels of flowing draperies is an airy, intimate, lobby open 24-hours a day for all your island needs.

#### **WI-FI FRIENDLY**

Free wireless connection is provided in your guest room and public areas.

# THE SHOP AT THE STANDARD

Designed with a sense of discovery in mind, shop our curated selection of must-haves from cult beauty & wellness products, cheeky wares, and island essentials that you'll only find here.

## THE DOCTOR IS IN

A Physician is in-residence on the island to attend to your basic health care needs.

# **ACCOMMODATIONS**

#### 115 VILLAS WITH PRIVATE POOLS

**OVERWATER VILLAS** 

**BEACH VILLAS** 

**Lagoon Overwater** 

32

**Lagoon Beach** 

7

Ocean Overwater

**52** 

**Ocean Beach** 

17

2 Bedroom Lagoon Overwater

3

2 Bedroom Lagoon Beach

2

**The Standard Residence** 

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2 Bedroom Ocean Beach

1



# **ALL VILLAS FEATURE**

King size bed in each room • Air conditioning • Infinity plunge pool • Sun loungers with private decks

Direct access to lagoon, ocean or beach • Overstocked Mini-bar • Soaking bathtub & shower with disco ball

Flat screen TV • Custom Bath Amenities • Free Wi-Fi • In-room Bluetooth speaker • In-room Snorkeling Equipment

#### **COMPLIMENTARY IN-ROOM ACTIVITY WALL INCLUDES:**

# **VILLA CATEGORIES**

## **OVERWATER VILLAS**



#### **LAGOON OVERWATER VILLA**

Those looking for the iconic, overwater experiences (yes, like the ones you've seen on Instagram) will be right at home in the Lagoon Overwater Villa. With crystal clear, shallow water beneath your private deck (with a private plunge pool, too), direct access to our expansive lagoon, a fully stocked mini bar, and comfy bathrobes to hang out in all day, this villa is exactly what dreams are made of. At 110 square meters, this villa comes with a king-sized bed, daybed and all the Standard amenities, of course.

#### **OCEAN OVERWATER VILLA**

If snorkeling is your thing (or sunbathing and soaking in views is more your thing), the Ocean Overwater Villa is ideal.

Situated just a few meters away from the house reef, this villa has some of the finest uninterrupted ocean views around. It's 110 square meters of pure luxury, with a king-sized bed, daybed, a private deck with plunge pool, a rain shower, partial open-air bathroom (can you smell that ocean breeze?) and a fully stocked mini bar.

#### 2 BEDROOM LAGOON OVERWATER VILLA

Just warning you now, you're probably never going to want to leave once you've checked in to our 221 square meter 2 Bedroom Lagoon Overwater Villa. Perfect for friends or families traveling together (sleeps up to six people), these two villas are connected by a shared private deck and large plunge pool so you have plenty of space for togetherness and plenty of space for when you need a break, too. Each villa has a king-sized bed, daybed, a partially open-air bathroom with a separate shower, and transparent floor panels so you can see what is going on underneath at all times.

#### THE STANDARD RESIDENCE

221 square meter flagship villa with the best access to uninterrupted ocean view and our house reef. Your neighbors are the abundant rays, baby sharks and fish friends that call this atoll home. This villa welcomes you with a glass floor entryway, living room with bar counter and dining room table; private deck with 4 sun loungers, oversized infinity plunge pool and a perfect sleeping hammock, or whoever claims it first. Perfect for large families or groups of friends seeking a private yet social environment that feels like home.





## **BEACH VILLAS**

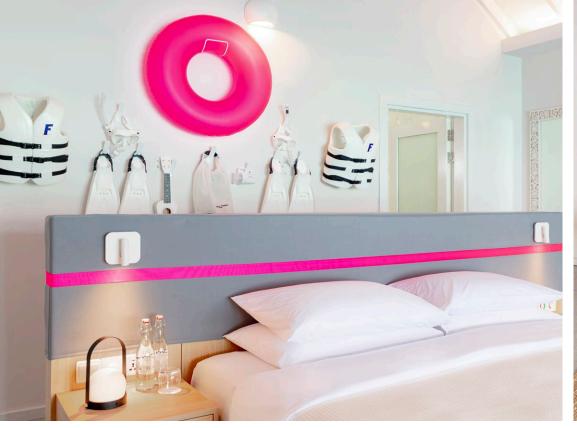


#### **OCEAN BEACH VILLA**

Paradise is calling your name. Enjoy endless white sand beaches and starry nights with one of our 137-square meter Ocean Beach Villas. Take a swim to the house reef, or retreat in your private plunge pool with a good book (or maybe a lover). Expect a king-sized bed (plus one separate daybed) with luxurious linens, and naturally, you'll get all the Standard amenities like a fully stocked minibar with delicious snacks, nightly turndown service and fluffy pillows, just to name a few.

#### **LAGOON BEACH VILLA**

The 137 square meter, coveted Lagoon Beach Villa features stellar views of our white sand beach. You might find yourself trying out one of the resort's many water sports activities, or you could simply chill out in your villa because everything you need is right there, including a king-sized bed (as well as a separate daybed), a private deck with sun loungers and a plunge pool, an open-air bathroom with a giant bathtub, double vanity sinks, bath accessories, and more.





#### 2 BEDROOM LAGOON BEACH VILLA

The dreamy, 2 Bedroom Lagoon Beach Villa gives groups a little bit everything. At 306 square meters, this is one of our largest rooms on the property features stellar views of our white sand beach. The two villas are joined by shared deck with large private plunge pool and each has a king-sized bed, one daybed, fancy linens and fluffy bathrobes, to name a few.

#### 2 BEDROOM OCEAN BEACH VILLA

The dreamy, 2 Bedroom Ocean Beach Villa gives groups a little bit everything. At 306 square meters, this is one of our largest rooms on the property features white sand beaches and starry nights. The two villas are joined by shared deck with large private plunge pool and each has a king-sized bed, one daybed, fancy linens and fluffy bathrobes, to name a few.



# **RESTAURANTS & BARS**

The Standard, Maldives Food & Beverage program is driven by authenticity, simplicity and quality. We celebrate regional food bounty by weaving special ingredients throughout all our menus, offering both local and global cuisines that respond to our stunning island. We invite our guests to discover new flavors with us, while also indulging in many of our "Global Standards" - dishes that are familiar and comforting to our diverse, sophisticated and well-traveled clientele.



Our authentic Maldivian Restaurant, **GUDUGUDA** is the first of its kind in the Maldives. Featuring a traditional celebratory Maldivian cuisine cooked by Maldivian "aunties" — the women who carry on the tradition of this remarkable cuisine, GUDUGUDA is the Dhivehi (the local Maldivian language) verb for relaxing and conversing while smoking a special shisha water pipe. This is an activity traditionally enjoyed by women in the Maldives, but we invite all our guests to relax and socialize in our adjoining lounge before or after their meal. Our menus are driven by locally caught, seafood-driven dishes, flavorful coconut milk curries with carefully selected complimentary fresh spices and herbs, fresh regional fruits and vegetables, delicate and aromatic rice dishes and perfectly cooked breads.



Breakfast, lunch and dinner at **KULA**, our all-day dining restaurant, is a bountiful and casual affair in our breezy and shaded dining room. Kula means "colors" in Dhivehi (the local Maldivian language) and a colorful menu is exactly what we feature — you can enjoy authentic Western, Mediterranean, and Asian cuisine, cooked by our diverse culinary team that hales from around the globe. They cook what they love — and we know you will too.









# **RESTAURANTS & BARS**



For a casual late afternoon picnic or dinner, you can swing by our **BBQ SHAK**, where fresh seafood and meats are grilled to perfection over coconut shell charcoal, and offered with a variety of house-made sauces, specially paired with each dish. This is a feet-in-the-sand spot — no pretense, great vibe, reggae music, and lots of great flavors. Our friendly servers take your order tableside, and from where you sit you can see our chefs grilling your selections made to order!



Head to **JOOS CAFÉ** for your daily smoothie, coffee or pastry ritual. Flanking our gorgeous pool, this is the perfect shady, breezy place to hang your hat. Grab a book from our library, or tune out the world to crank out a few last-minute emails before your go truly offline to relax. We offers savory and sweet breakfasts, and perfectly light but satisfying lunches with fresh salads, wraps and sandwiches. Served tableside, around our plush lounge chairs and tables, or even by the pool.





# **RESTAURANTS & BARS**



For an indulgent and playful moment, **TODIS BAR** is the spot for you. Located just off the pool deck, we serve luxurious and satisfying bar favorites that that are universally loved - fresh oysters, fried chicken sandwiches, and dry aged beef burgers and fries to name a few. Order at the bar or throughout the breezy, fun space. Or don't budge from your pool lounger and we'll bring it to you! For the kid in us all — head to one of the many table games we've scattered throughout the space for daytime diversions — 3D ping pong and board games abound. And for the adults in the room - make sure to order TODIS namesake cocktail, which is served in a half coconut shell and made from "toddy", a local specialty liquor made by fermenting fresh coconut water!



As the sun sets, we invite our guests to head to **BERU BAR**, our adults-only over-water-club, which is perched just feet above the ocean, featuring fantastic views, comfortable loungers and.....a glass floor bottomed floor! A sunset ritual is led by a Boduberu dummer (a local Maldivian percussionist), thanking the sun for its daily energy and to usher in the moon hours. We invite local DJs to spin irresistible Maldivian inspired-beats, drawing everyone to the dance floor to move with the waves and sea creatures illuminated below. And if all that talk and dancing makes you thirsty or hungry, we have you covered. Our craft cocktails feature luxurious fresh tropical juices and our bar snacks include crave-able treats like tamarin-coconut prawns and banana blossom fish and chips.

# WHAT TO DO

It only takes about two tries to pick up most of our water sports skills so be sure to book at least two sessions. Of course there's always jet skis, but why not step it up a bit with some wakeboarding or kite surfing? If you would like to get off the island for a bit, our snorkeling or dive excursions would be perfect for daytime activities. Better yet, dive right into the culture by checking out the other local islands neighboring our resort. The dive and water sports team can plan any trip you imagine, just let us know where you would like to go.







# **Fishing**

## Fish Like a Local

Learn to fish like a local on this nautical adventure, casting hoop lines off an atoll while enjoying a selection of cold beverages. No experience brings you closer to Maldivian culture than fishing, a vital economic and social island activity.

## **Big Game Fishing**

Enjoy leisurely downtime punctuated by short bursts of action as you troll for and battle big game fish in this deep waters fishing adventure. Leave the shelter of the inner atoll for deeper waters on this big game fishing expedition.

## **Turtle Expedition**

There are few more exciting and yet leisurely experiences than floating along side a green sea turtle as it gently dines on sea grasses. Take it slow, and go with the flow on an afternoon turtle expedition.

# **Snorkeling**

#### **Snorkel Safari**

After a short, 20-minute boat ride, choose a buddy, suit up in snorkeling gear, and jump into the pellucid aquamarine waters of the Maldives.

#### **House Reef Snorkel**

Meet in the lobby, walk to the jetty, and jump into one of the most spectacular underwater worlds imaginable.

## **Starlight Snorkel**

Experience an entirely different community of marine life that are active only at night, beneath a sky filled with more stars than you've ever seen.

#### Hanifaru Manta Snorkel

Swimming with giant mantas is the experience of a lifetime. Watch them glide through the water as various fish swim alongside and under them in harmonious symbiosis.





# Boats, Booze and Beyond

## **Lucky Dolphin Cruise**

Join a boozy boat cruise in search of dolphins, scanning the horizon for Spinners, who love to leap from the sea!

## **Local Island Hopping**

Take a boat to visit different island communities and learn about the Maldivian lifestyle, including coral architecture, fruit picking, a guided tour of Ibrahim Fulhu Museum, and a visit to a local, traditional doctor or school.

#### **Surf Safari**

Surf an empty line up of waves breaking on an isolated reef from a support boat with F&B: this Surf Safari is every surfers dream.

# Water Sports, Board Sports & Dive Experiences

## **Water Sports**

Waterskiing ● Wakeboarding ● Monoskiing ● Tubing ● Kayaking

Speedboat-driven water sports are fun for the whole family, especially tubing, while leisurely pursuits such as sunset kayaking in a standard kayak or glass-bottomed boat is always a pleasant outing. Looking for more excitement, jump on a jet ski and explore the open water around the resort (just watch out for turtles!)

## **Board Sports**

Stand Up Paddle Boarding • Windsurfing • Kitesurfing

Sheltered by reefs, the waters surrounding The Standard are a boardrider's dream. Enjoy the calm interior atoll location with a leisurely stand up paddle board cruise around the resort or if that's too tame, get high with a kite surfing class.

#### **Fun Dives & Courses**

Every trip to the Maldives must include some time underwater, mingling with some of the world's most diverse marine life. From introductory and children's PADI courses to specialty instruction, including digital underwater photography and fish identification classes, there's an aquatic experience for everyone. Suit up and slip into the peaceful and pellucid waters of the Maldives, including our pristine house reef, which is home to 98 types of coral that are home to over 220 species of marine life.











## **Kids**

#### Lil' Shark Kids Club

Parents relax and kids rejoice, the Lil' Shark Kids Club provides professional childcare services complete with their own paddling pool; for children 2 years and above. Children below 2 years can access kids club with adult supervision. Teen zone is available for older children to enjoy more grown-up games and recreational activities. Babysitting service is also available for children from 2 years and up.

#### **INFLATABLE WATER PARK**

Playtime for adults and kids alike as you slip n' slide around on our 82 square metres of inflatable water park fun. (High season only)

# **Happenings**

## **Standard Pool Party**

Join one of our legendary pool parties at our beachside infinity pool.

## **Moonlight Cinema**

Enjoy a movie on the beach and beneath the stars at our weekly moonlight double-feature film night with moviethemed tipples and treats.

## **Coconut Fishing**

Coconut water is the nectar of the islands, and nothing tastes sweeter than a cocktail served in a coconut freshly "fished" from the tree

## **Palm Frond Weaving**

Watch and learn Maldivian palm frond weaving techniques and then weave your own palm frond basket, mat, mask, or hat!

#### **Traditional Boduberu**

The Boduberu team meets at Todi's Bar for a night of local tribal beats, chanting, and dancing.

## **Hammam Spa Mixer**

A party at the spa, with spa samples, sips and bites, as well as activities late into the night.



# THE STANDARD SPA

Whether for recovery or a reboot, The Standard Spa is a complete indoor hydrotherapy playground complete with a contemporary communal hammam, aroma cypress steam room and contrast shower experience. Chill out with a Do-It-Yourself Mud Experience for one or a massage for two while taking in The Spa's ocean views from our nine private treatment rooms, couples den, and yoga studio hosting daily classes. The Spa Deck and Tonic bar is the perfect place to kick-back post treatment or yoga session or maybe for a moonlit soirée. The Sun Lounge experience offers crystals and an apothecary for body and mind that includes skincare and lifestyle products.

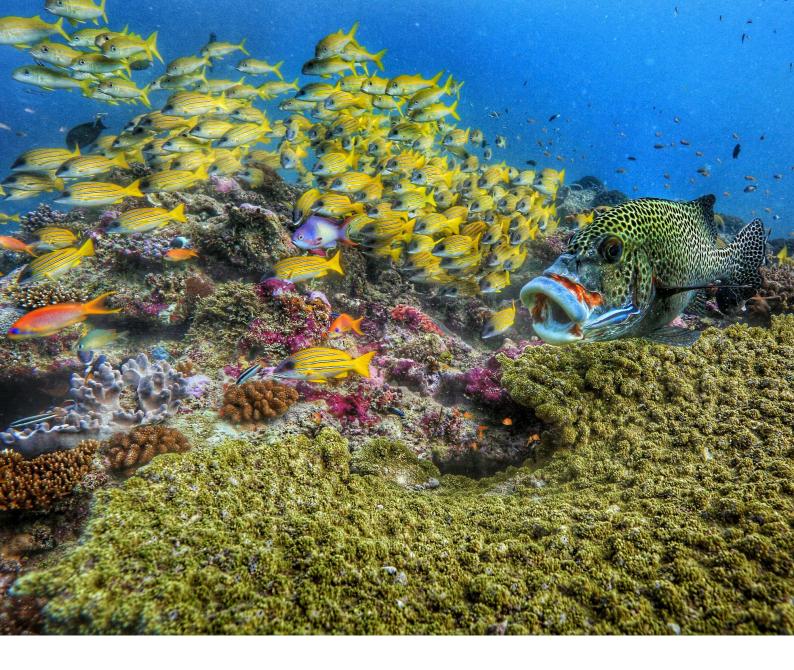
#### Our range of treatments includes:

Traditional Hammam Rituals • Do-It-Yourself Hammam Bar • Massages and Body Treatments

Facials and Nails • Hair Treatments and Beauty Rituals • Yoga • Meditation

Movement and Fitness • Sound Therapy • Crystal Healing • Astrological Readings





# **ECO CONSERVATION**

We are committed to the conservation of marine life and protection of the oceans that surround us. Preserving coral life, reducing plastic waste, and using products made from repurposed and recyclable materials all form a groundwork of our conservation approach to saving our ocean and marine life. Our mission is to reduce our carbon footprint by implementing several initiatives on resort. Most importantly by offering all our guests Complimentary glass bottled distilled water from our very own bottling plant on the Resort. Plastic Straws are like a swear word in our vocabulary. All our beverages are served with biodegradable eco-friendly straws. All our biodegradable waste products are reused and recycled as compost for our beautiful gardens and neighboring farm island.

