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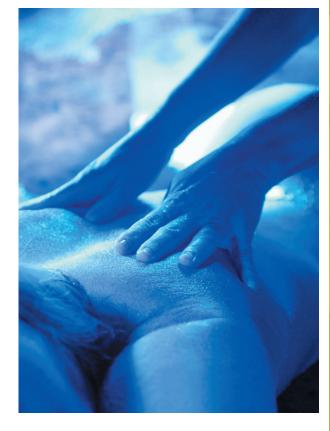
# Let's Get Physical

Apparently simply spa-ing just isn't going to cut it anymore. As more and more spa-goers flock to destination spas, they're looking for something beyond pampering services; they're looking to keep their health in check through the use of more modern preventative medicine techniques like mammograms and DNA tests. Today's modern spas enable you to have a bone density test, colonoscopy, dental exam, herbal body wrap, and don't forget the healthy cooking class—all under one roof! Here are a few of the best head-to-toe mind/body tune-up resorts in the country:

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