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Take a Staycation Strategy

If you're looking to be more inventive this season, perhaps a **Colorado staycation or exploration** is in order. All of these ideas are a reasonable distance by car (and isn't the scenic drive part of the fun?) to keep you away from air travel chaos.

The **Broadmoor's Cloud Camp** brings its world-class hospitality to this all-inclusive mountain retreat on Cheyenne Mountain. The main lodge features luxurious rooms, and a lobby living room bookended by gigantic fireplaces. Or cozy up in one of the property's secluded forest cabins with treetop views. A variety of activities are included: mule rides, pickleball, yoga, lawn games or hot tub soaking. Arrive via The Broadmoor's shuttles to staff waving their welcome, or if you're feeling adventurous, summit the mountain via mule. Prepare to be delighted by the Broadmoor's signature service and cuisine at this elevated summer camp.
Rates start at $1,300 per room per night, open seasonally. • broadmoor.com/wilderness-retreats/cloud-camp

Live out your cowhand dreams at the **C Lazy U Ranch**, a luxury dude ranch near Granby. Whether it's a romantic getaway for two or fun for the whole family, you'll have an unforgettable experience amongst breathtaking Rocky Mountain views. Daily trail rides, groundwork lessons and riding clinics for children and adults are tailored to every skill level, from first-time riders to seasoned equestrians. Or choose from other activities scattered across the ranch's 8,500-acre slice of heaven, including swimming, archery, fly fishing, trap shooting, mountain biking and more. Stay in spacious cabins and dine on thoughtfully refined dishes inspired by authentic Western flavors.
Open throughout the year on select dates; rates average $6,400 for a family of four for three nights. • clazyu.com



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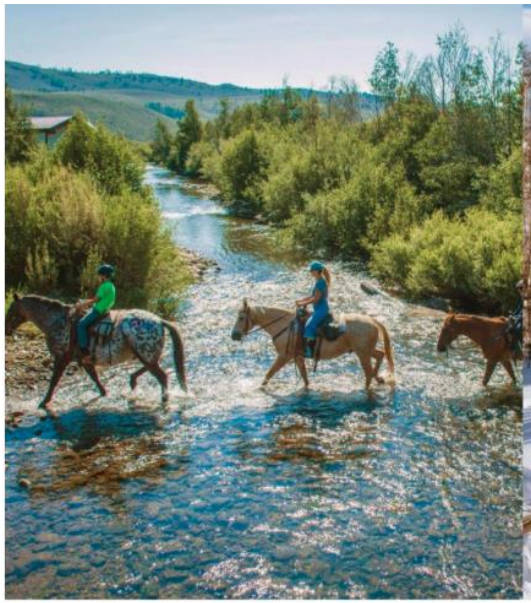
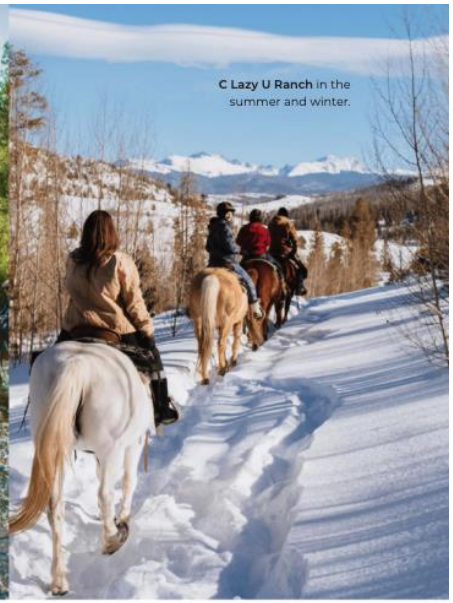
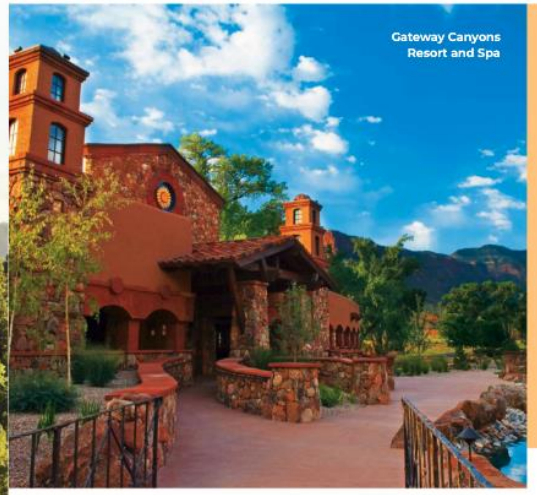




C Lazy U Ranch in the summer and winter.



Gateway Canyons Resort and Spa

Step into a breathtaking landscape of rugged red rock canyons in Western Colorado's Palisades. **Gateway Canyons Resort and Spa** is the perfect blend of wellness and adventure. Guests can unwind poolside and be pampered at Tierra Roja Spa; get outside for a hike; or ride horses or UTVs through a wild landscape studded with stunning rock formations and scenic mountain views. Dine on Southwestern-inspired cuisine at Paradox Grille, grab drinks or lunch at the poolside Cantina and savor your morning coffee at Kiva Cafe. Stay in luxurious rooms or suites in the Kiva or Kayenta lodges, or upgrade to your own personal casita.
Rates start at $400 per night per room. • gatewaycanyons.com