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# Travel Ideas to Help You Re-Emerge Into Society This Month

Just like billions of cicadas, vaccinated Americans are surfacing.

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**NOTE:** We know COVID-19 is continuing to impact your travel plans. As of April 2021, official guidance from the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention states that fully vaccinated people can travel at low risk, though safety precautions are still required. Should you need to travel, be sure to familiarize yourself with the CDC's [latest guidance](#) as well as local requirements/protocols/restrictions for both your destination and home city upon your return. Be safe out there.

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underground.

May has always been a month of transitions, when the pleasant chill of spring gives way to long, lazy summer nights, when school lets out and Memorial Day kickstarts the season of raucous boat parties and beach town boardwalks. Nature is also fully up and at 'em, including our very chatty cicada friends who have returned this year after 17 years

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Vaccinated Americans are also re-emerging this month as we figure out how to exist around other humans again. If you're ready to cautiously dip your toes back into the realm of restaurants, concerts, theaters, and travel, we've got some ideas for places to visit. But we're not fully out of the woods yet, so if you'd rather stay inside and stream a concert then hey, we've got you there, too. And if you're already mid-flight to [newly-opened Iceland](#) or [Croatia](#), just remember to be extra safe, and please send us a postcard.

## **Or stick around and check out an underrated domestic island**

If you're sticking stateside you can still find your Island in the Sun™. Perhaps even one that tourists haven't yet swarmed. Like the blissful beaches of [Tybee Island](#) off the coast of Georgia, just 20 minutes away from Savannah. Or the [Channel Islands](#) off of California, which have been called the "Galapagos of the North" for their natural beauty and diverse wildlife. Harness the Wild West in Utah's [Antelope Island State Park](#), which has no permanent human residents, but is home to bison, bighorn sheep, coyotes, bobcats, and pronghorn antelope. Or take a ferry across the harrowing strait known as "[Death's Door](#)" for a cozy cottage getaway on Wisconsin's Washington island. Meanwhile [Block Island](#) in Rhode Island is all New England charm, with the recently-renovated [Champlin's Marina & Resort](#) boasting a double-decker over-the-water bar. A bar. What's that like?