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### Building Back Business: Digital Media Strategies in the New Normal

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### The six peer groups for our first phase of the CHTA Roundtables are:

- 1. Hospitality Owners and Managing Directors Sept. 18
- 2. Hospitality General Managers Sept. 25
- 3. Hospitality and Tourism Allied Members and Suppliers Oct. 9
- 4. Hospitality Human Resources Leaders Oct. 23
- 5. Tourism Business Leaders (e.g. attractions, restaurants, other tourism providers) Oct. 30
- 6. Hospitality and Tourism Stakeholders in Spanish-speaking destinations Nov. 6



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Marketing Tools to Build Customer Trust







As a Safe Travels Ambassador, CHTA is authorized to issue this globally recognized stamp to Caribbean businesses

Exclusive to CHTA members, including listings in websites and resources to travel advisors and consumers Recognition from CARPHA – Caribbean Travellers Health Assurance Stamp



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Rebuilding the Caribbean Focus on Modern Customer Service Thursday, September 24, 2020 2:00 – 3:15PM ET

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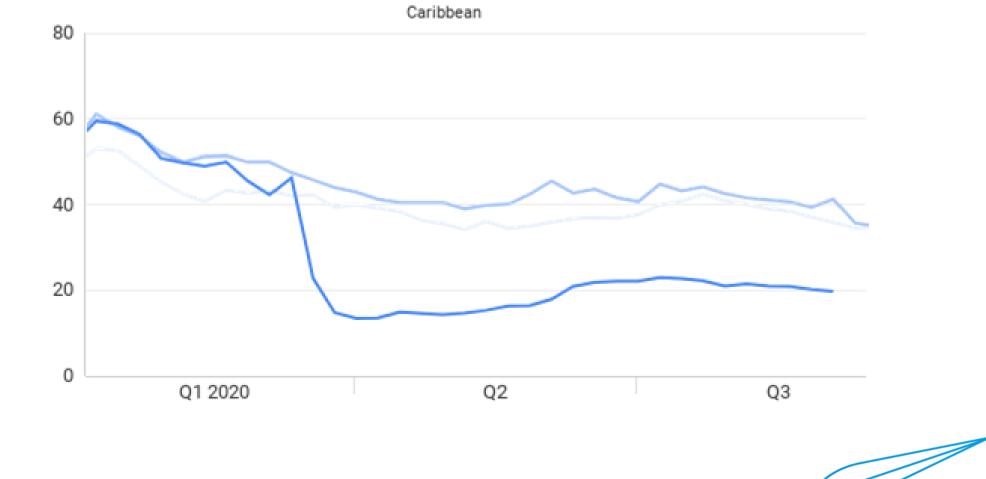
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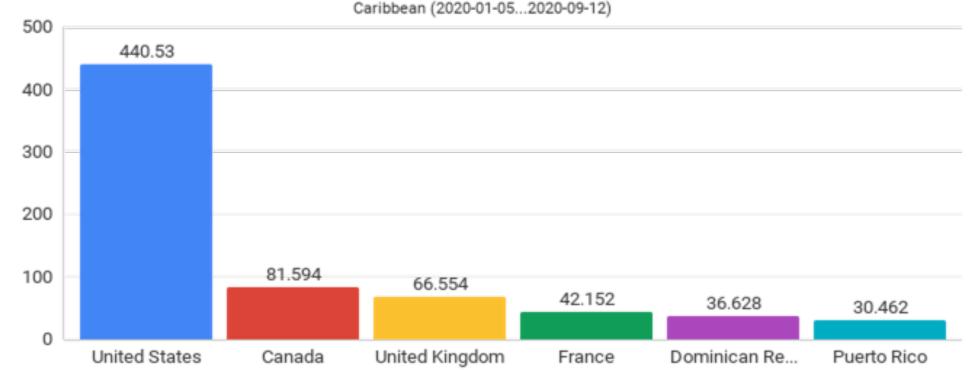
# Travel queries for the Caribbean have recovered slightly from -68% to - 50% YoY



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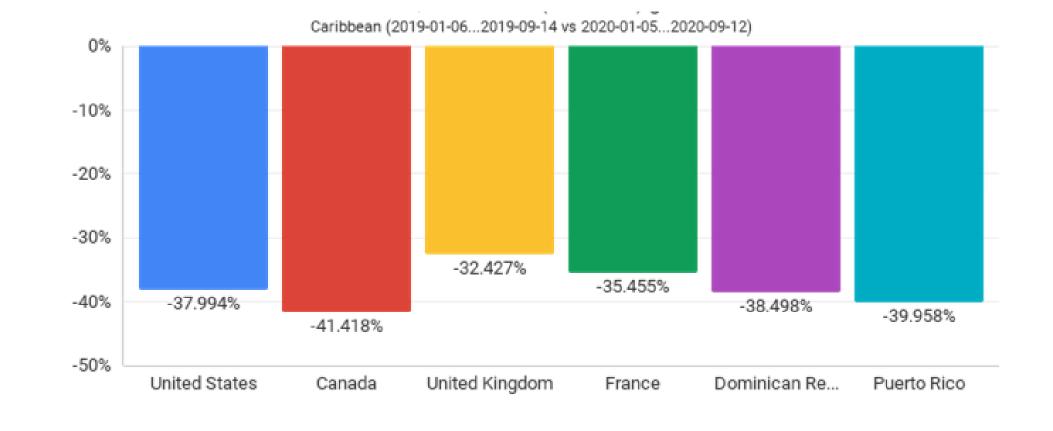
### Top source markets for the Caribbean in 2020



Caribbean (2020-01-05...2020-09-12)

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### Top Caribbean source markets YoY query volume in 2020

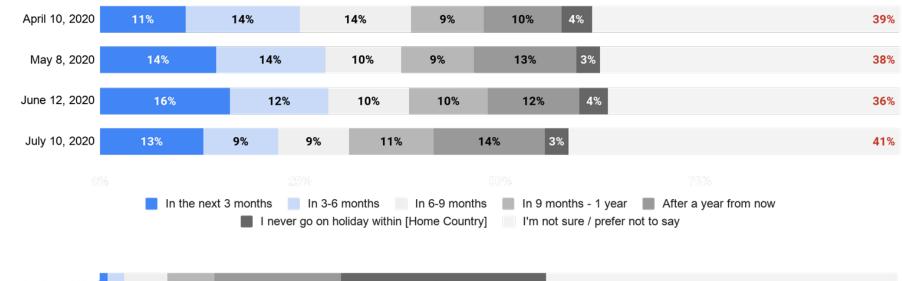


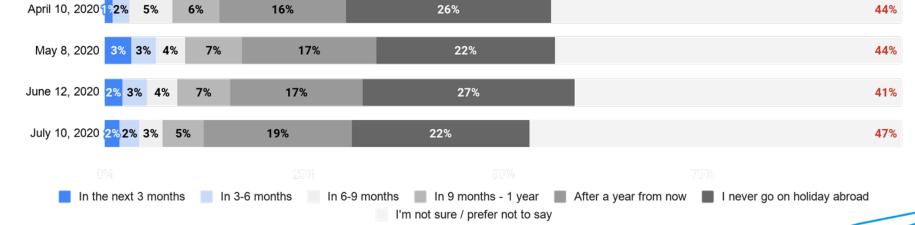
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# USA: When are you next planning to travel for a vacation?



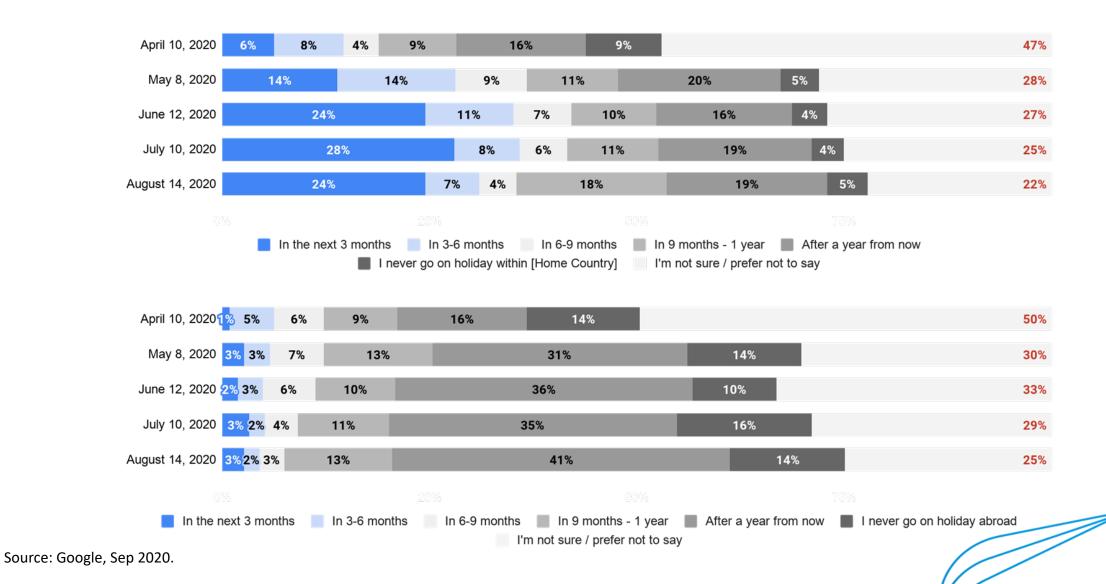


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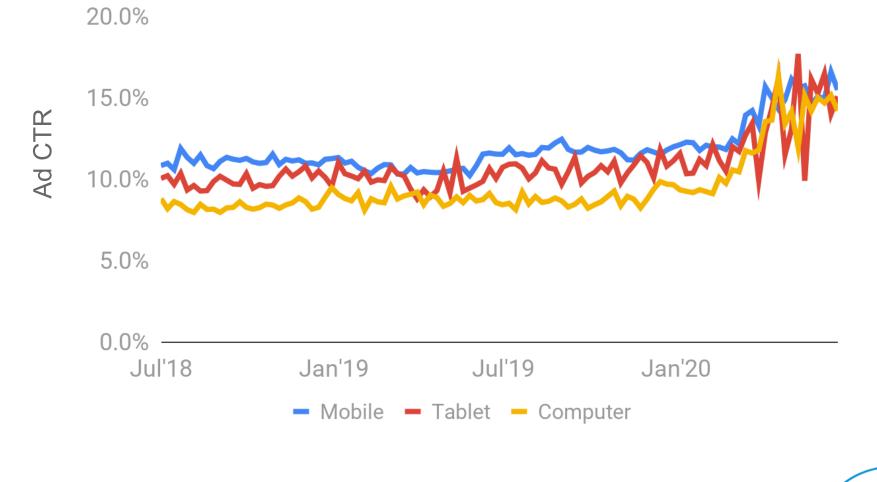
## Canada: When are you next planning to travel for a vacation?



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### Click Through Rates for Barbados Ads grew 50% in Q2

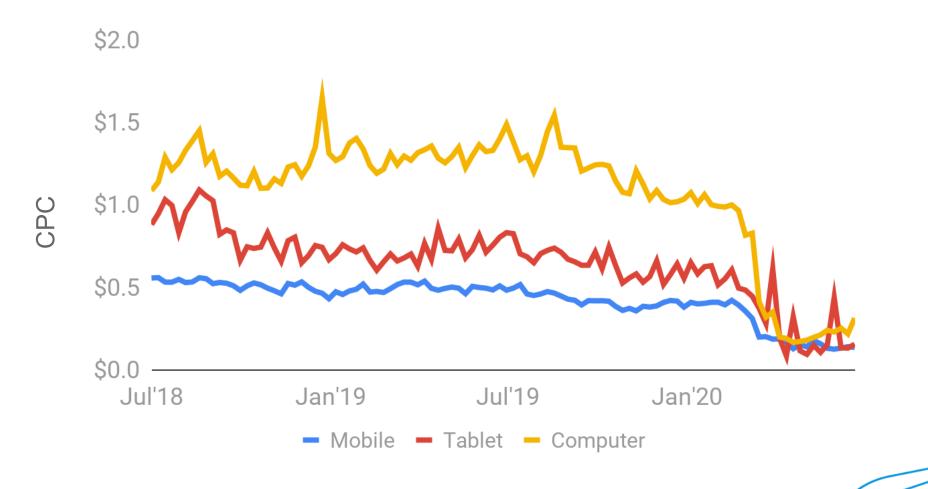


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CPCs for Barbados Ads were -78% in Q2



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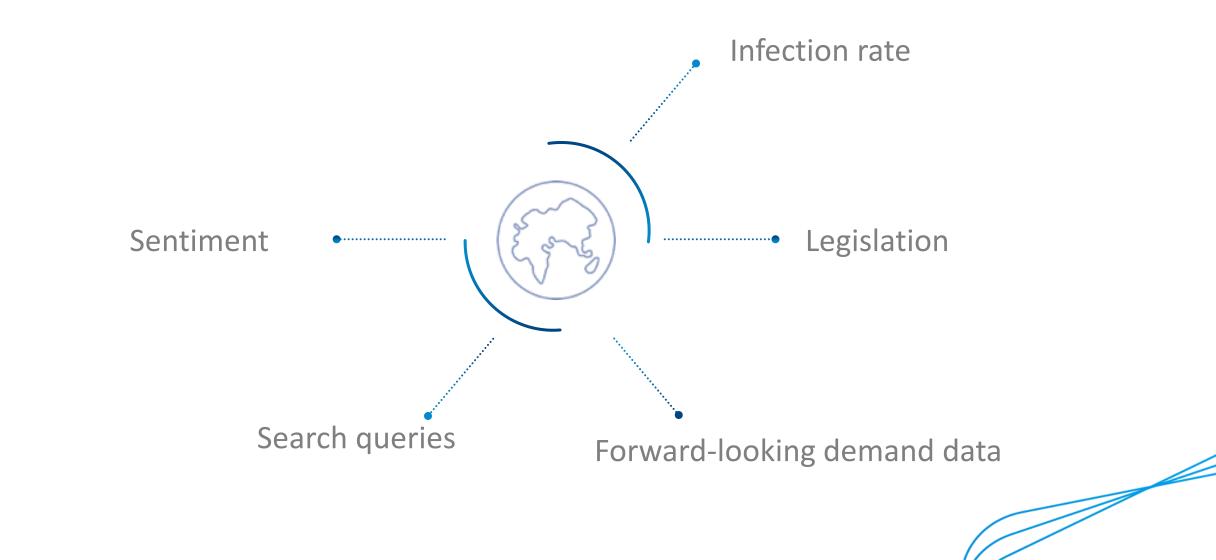
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Source: Google, Sep 2020.

Evaluating your market's conditions and recovery status

### What data can we look at to identify action needed



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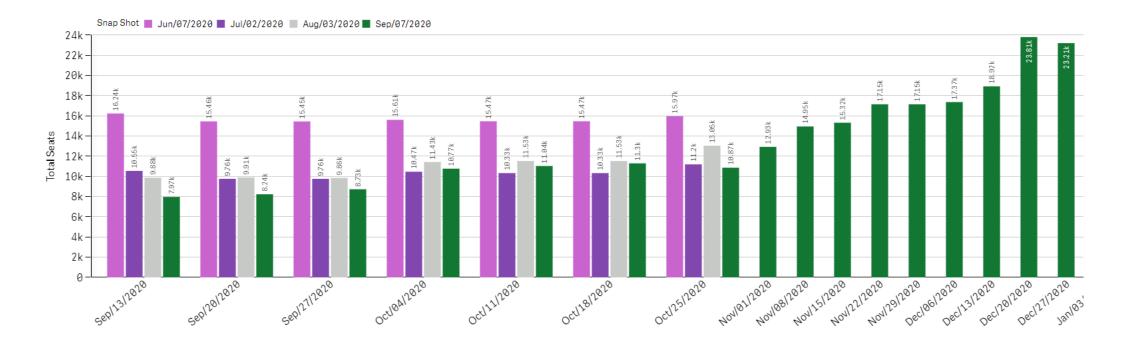
### Data and experience-driven methodology

We've developed best practices for digital media to aid in recovery:

- Amadeus Recovery Insights Dashboard
  Google Demand Dashboard
- Real-world case studies
- \_ Recovery media simulation studies
- Demand360<sup>®</sup>
- iHotelier<sup>®</sup> CRS
- \_Rate360<sup>®</sup>



Amadeus Airline data Total Seats for Daily Capacity for the Travel Week Market: Dominican Republic



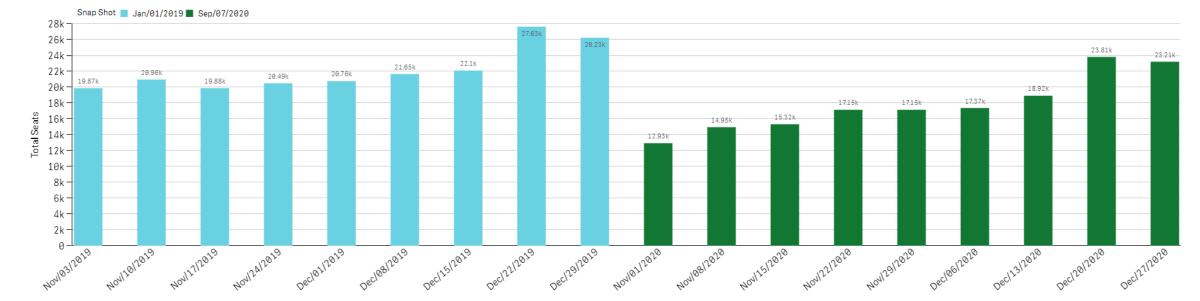
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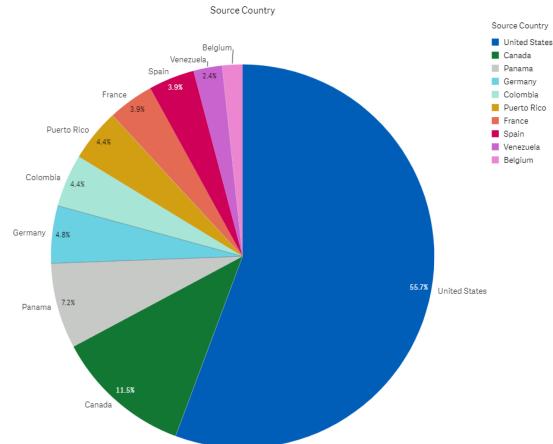
#### **Reservation Trends**

Market: Dominican Republic



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#### Top 10 Sourcing Country, Total Seats for Market Selected

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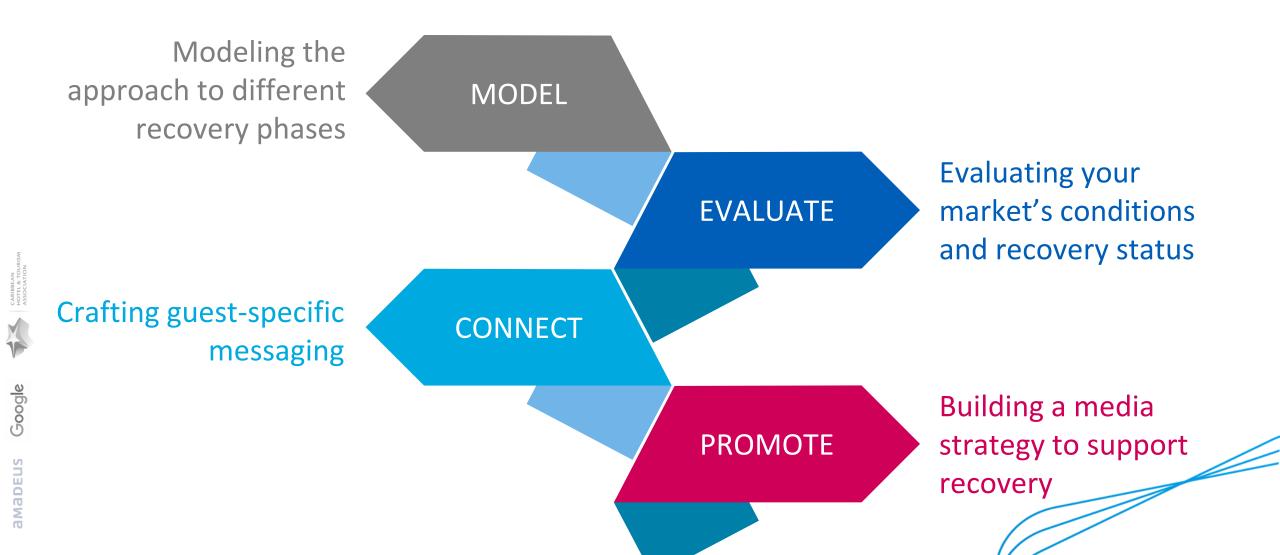
### Be careful making decisions based on historical data only

Search, booking and travel behavior has changed drastically compared to pre-COVID-19

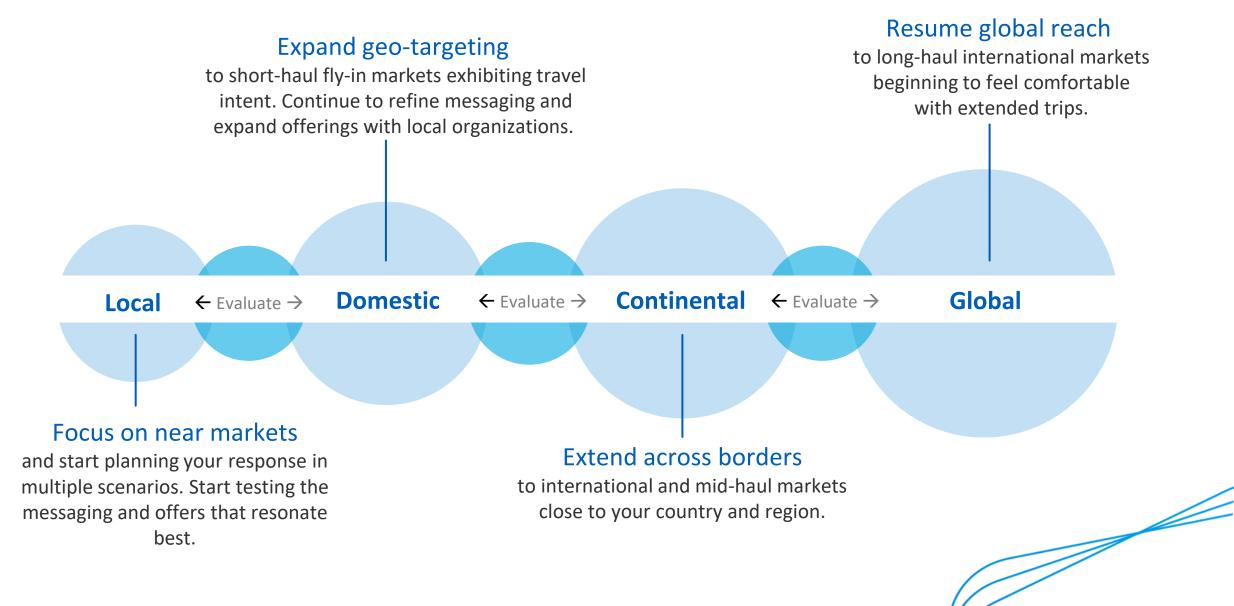


# Steps to take now

### High-level process to prepare for each new recovery phase

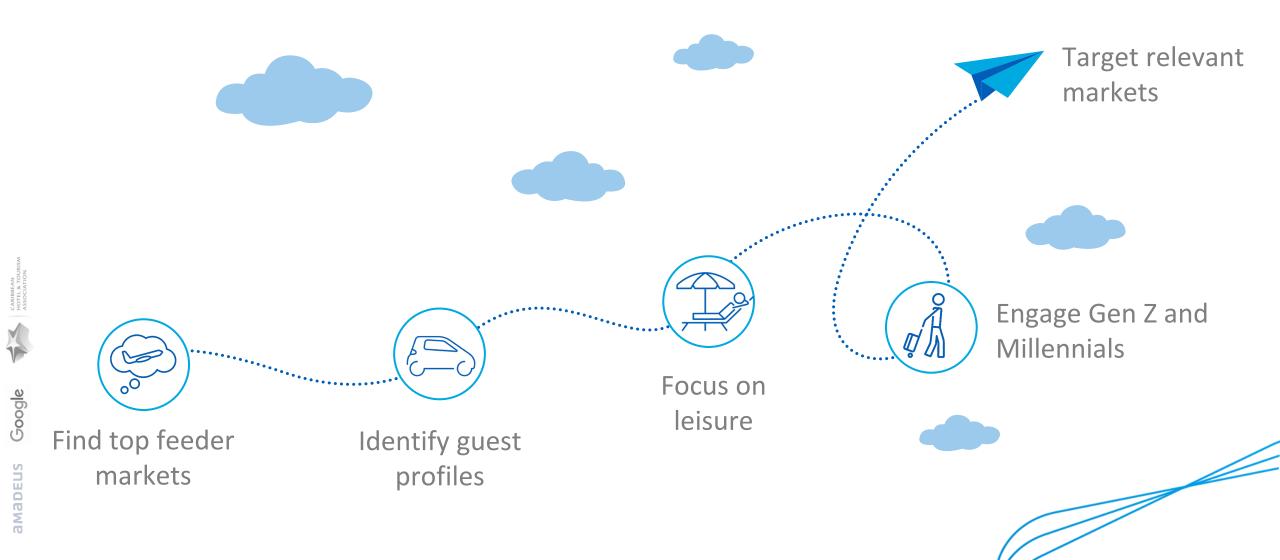


### Continue to adjust in each stage of recovery



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### Focus and spend on the markets you know will travel



## Consider how COVID-19 has affected the traveler's mindset

### COUPLES

• **Goal:** Break free from our quarantine routine and revitalize our relationship

• Pain points:

- Isolated together for weeks or months (in some cases with children)
- Haven't seen each other throughout the period of isolation
- Cancelled the trip planned for our anniversary.

### • Expectations:

- Spend quality time together with fun, intimate activities
- Relax without worrying too much about safety

### • What's holding us back:

- Budget concerns due to a salary reduction
- Worried available activities at the destination will be limited



## Collaborate with other teams to build successful offers

Idea/objective	Marketing/digital media	Revenue Management	Distribution	
<ul> <li>Generate short lead- time business with a flash sale</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Broad audience</li> <li>Value-focused message</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Attractive price</li> <li>Provide significant availability</li> <li>Control availability restrictions on key dates</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Determine whether promotion is available on direct bookings only or available on all channels</li> <li>Work with specific</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Drive bookings from most profitable audience</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Target affluent audience with travel intent</li> <li>Value-added packages for more expensive rooms</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Target need periods</li> <li>Consider short and long lead times</li> <li>Attractive price that shows value</li> </ul>	partners to support distribution	
<ul> <li>Build awareness with recovering key origin markets</li> </ul>	Target users with intent to visit destination	<ul><li>Normal rates</li><li>Normal inventory</li></ul>	_ Normal distribution	

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# Launch promotions with messaging that addresses guest concerns



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# Up your Google-Game

## 1. Align your ad investment with your business goals

Hotel A

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Hotel B

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Hotel C



\$10K invested \$200K revenues **20:1 ROI** \$190K net revenue \$100K invested \$1M revenues 10:1 ROI \$900K net revenue \$1M invested \$5M revenues 5:1 ROI **\$4M net revenue** 

### 2. Use first-party data to target previous customers

Companies that deliver relevant content across the purchase journey see revenue increases of up to **20%** and cost savings of up to **30%** 

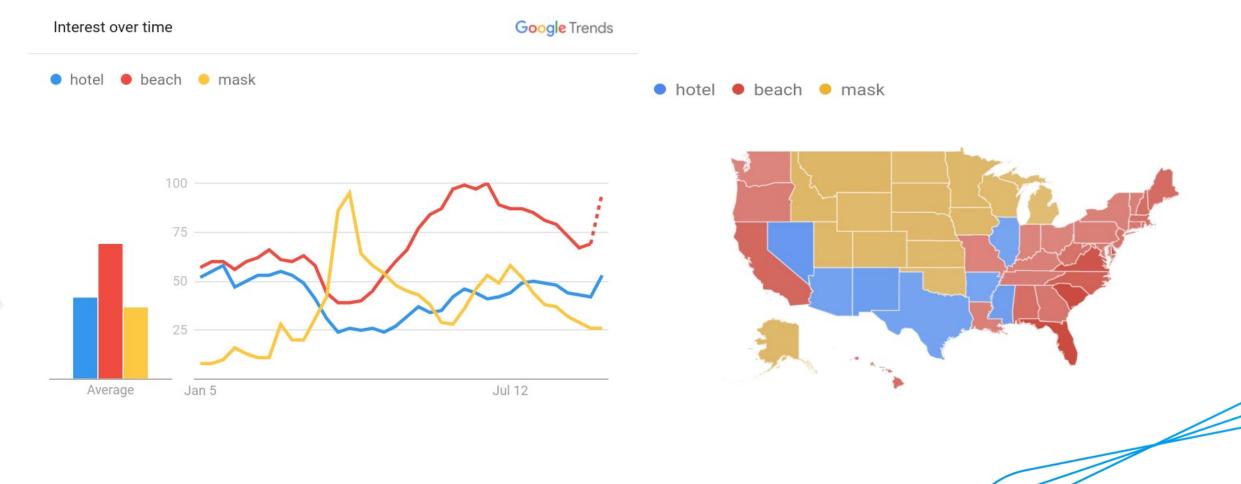
Boston Consulting Group, 2019



# 3. Adapt your messaging and creative to emphasize cleanliness, flexibility, empathy and deals

Answer	Flight	Hotel	Car	Cruise
25% discount on rate	31%	32%	39%	33%
Enhanced, hospital grade cleaning	20%	31%	24%	18%
No change / cancellation fees	27%	19%	18%	16%
Free sanitizer, wipes and masks in rooms	15%	12%	12%	20%
Double miles or rewards points on stay/rental/flight	7%	7%	8%	13%

## 4. Keep up with changing trends



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Source: Google, Sep 2020.

### 5. Automate your ads

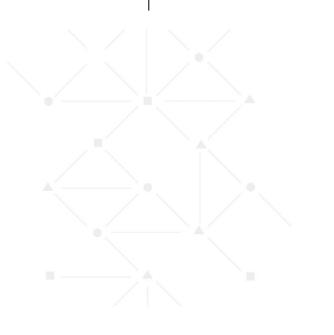
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