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The Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton Receives 2022 AAA Inspector's Best Of Housekeeping Award

Top 25% of AAA Diamond hotels recognized with award for outstanding cleanliness and condition



Lobby of The Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton in Portland, Oregon

PORTLAND, Ore. – March 22, 2022 - [The Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton](#), an AAA Four Diamond hotel, has been recognized with the 2022 AAA Inspector's Best Of Housekeeping award, granted to hotels throughout the U.S., Canada, Mexico and the Caribbean that earn the highest possible cleanliness and condition scores.

A hotel's housekeeping and maintenance attributes are among the most important components analyzed during the on-site evaluation conducted by AAA's professionally trained inspectors. While every hotel must meet rigorous standards of cleanliness and

condition to qualify for the AAA Diamond Program, hotels awarded the [Inspector's Best Of Housekeeping designation](#) significantly surpass expectations, as measured during a comprehensive, on-site inspection. All areas must reflect this very high standard as AAA inspectors review for evidence of dirt, dust, pests, equipment performance and more.

“We are honored to be recognized by AAA for our commitment to housekeeping and maintenance,” said George Schweitzer, managing director. “At The Benson Portland, we are committed to exceeding guest expectations and providing superior travel experiences. This award acknowledges the hard work and dedication of our entire staff.”

The Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton is part of a select group of hotels in North America. Properties must demonstrate housekeeping excellence for two consecutive inspections and be free of AAA member complaints to meet the criteria for this award, which puts them in the top 25% of all 27,000 AAA Diamond designated hotels.

“AAA has found that cleanliness and physical condition are consistently among the most important components travelers consider when looking for a hotel – and we know that will be more important than ever as travelers get back to exploring the world in a post-COVID environment,” said Scott Hamerlee, director of the AAA Diamond Program. “In addition to passing AAA’s rigorous on-site inspection, The Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton has demonstrated a tremendous commitment to keeping its property in top condition for our members and their guests.”

About the AAA Diamond Program

For more than 80 years, AAA’s professional inspectors have conducted in-person property evaluations. AAA is the only entity using comprehensive, on-site professional hotel and restaurant evaluations guided by member priorities. AAA’s inventory includes some 58,000 Diamond hotels and restaurants across the United States, Canada, Mexico and the Caribbean. Travelers can find AAA Diamond hotels and restaurants and inspector insight in AAA’s trip planning products: [AAA Mobile app](#), [AAA Travel Guides](#), [TripTik Travel Planner](#) and the [AAA TourBook guides](#) available to members at AAA offices. For more information, visit AAA.com/Diamonds.

About AAA

AAA provides more than 60 million members with automotive, travel, insurance and financial services through its federation of 34 motor clubs and more than 1,000 branch offices across North America. Since 1902, the not-for-profit, fully tax-paying AAA has been a leader and advocate for safe mobility. Drivers can request roadside assistance, identify nearby gas prices, locate discounts, book a hotel or map a route via the [AAA Mobile app](#). To join, visit [AAA.com](#).

About The Benson Portland

Established in 1913, the historic Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton is the city's only premier hotel that unites the charm and civility of the old world with the elegance of contemporary design and mindful service. In homage to the hotel's namesake Simon Benson, guests are invited to experience legendary service, European design, 5-star dining and an acclaimed lobby bar. The award-winning hotel is centrally located in Downtown Portland and has long catered to celebrities, dignitaries, and nearly every U.S. president since William H. Taft. The Benson, Curio Collection by Hilton is currently ranked as number three on TripAdvisor out of the 165 hotels in Portland. Learn more about The Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton at [newsroom.hilton.com/curio](#), and follow The Benson Portland, Curio Collection by Hilton on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#).

ABOUT CURIO COLLECTION BY HILTON

[Curio Collection by Hilton](#) is a global portfolio of more than 115 one-of-a-kind hotels and resorts in nearly 30 countries and territories. Curio Collection properties offer guests authentic, curated experiences through distinctly local offerings and elevated amenities, while providing the benefits of Hilton and its award-winning guest loyalty program [Hilton Honors](#). Experience a positive stay at Curio Collection by Hilton by booking at [curiocollection.com](#) or through the industry-leading [Hilton Honors app](#). Hilton Honors members who book directly through preferred Hilton channels have access to instant benefits. Learn more about Curio Collection by Hilton at [newsroom.hilton.com/curio](#), and follow the brand on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#).

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