



lyf Chinatown Singapore Opens 3 July 2026: Heritage, Social Living And 90 Units In Chinatown

Description

Singapore's Chinatown is about to welcome a new social living destination. **lyf Chinatown Singapore**, the latest property from The Ascott Limited's lyf brand, is set to open its doors on **3 July 2026**, with bookings available from **15 May 2026**.

The 90-unit property marks the fifth lyf-branded property in Singapore, and brings the brand's signature community-first ethos into the heart of Chinatown – an area steeped in heritage and closely tied to the history of the Chulia community.



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Where Heritage Meets Social Living

lyf is designed for modern travellers who value connection as much as convenience. Unlike traditional hotel stays, lyf properties centre around shared spaces that encourage interaction and the Chinatown location takes that philosophy a step further by embedding the brand into one of Singapore's most culturally significant neighbourhoods.

The development has been thoughtfully designed to honour the area's rich cultural and heritage significance. The Chinatown district carries a long history tied to the Chulia community, and the property aims to connect guests with the stories, textures, and traditions of the neighbourhood it calls home.



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Communal Spaces Designed for Connection

lyf properties are built around a set of branded social zones that go beyond the typical hotel amenity checklist. Guests at lyf Chinatown Singapore can look forward to:

- **BOND** – a casual social lounge where travellers can unwind, chat, and connect with fellow guests
- **COLLAB** – a co-working and co-living space that caters to digital nomads and work-from-anywhere travellers
- **BURN** – a well-equipped gym for those who like to keep up their fitness routine on the road
- **DIP** – a pool area for rest and recreation
- **Say Hi** – the brand’s welcoming reception concept, designed to feel less like a front desk and more like a warm hello



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The Rooms

The property's 90 units include the Nano Queen Plus configuration – a compact but thoughtfully designed room that makes smart use of space without compromising on comfort. True to the lyf brand, the rooms are intended as a place to rest and recharge, while the communal areas are where the real staying experience unfolds.



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The Chinatown Location

Sited in one of Singapore's most storied precincts, lyf Chinatown Singapore puts guests within easy reach of heritage shophouses, temples, clan associations, hawker centres, and some of the city's most atmospheric street scenes. Nearby attractions include the Sri Mariamman Temple, Thian Hock Keng Temple, and the Chinatown Heritage Centre – all of which speak to the neighbourhood's layered cultural identity.



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How to Book

Bookings for lyf Chinatown Singapore open on **15 May 2026**, ahead of the property's launch on **3 July 2026**. Reservations can be made via The Ascott Limited's website at discoverasr.com.



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