

## **Communities in Rural America: Current Realities and Emerging Strategies**

### **QUIZ**

**Please select the best answers to the following:**

1. Most people believe that residents of rural areas live there willingly, even though rural communities face many difficult challenges.

True or False

2. Classical sociologists believed that rural people lived in peaceful and cohesive communities.

True or False

3. A typology of rural communities should include:
  - a. a specific geographical area.
  - b. recent and reliable data about the area.
  - c. the potential to use data to analyze the area.
  - d. all of the above.
  - e. none of the above.

4. The population of most rural counties in the U.S. is increasing.

True or False

5. The population of most rural counties in the U.S. is getting older.

True or False

6. The population of most rural counties in the U.S. is getting more diverse.

True or False

7. The income of most people in rural counties is increasing.

True or False

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8. The belief that in an image of rural America as a haven for agriculture and low skilled manufacturing is no longer true.

True or False

9. Service sector jobs are increasing in rural America.

True or False

10. Non-farm jobs have increased by nearly 60 percent since 1990 in rural America.

True or False