

## Individual Readiness Questions

### LIVE WHERE YOU WORK

After reviewing the pre-session content, answer the questions below. Print out this sheet with your answers to use in a team activity.

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1. According to Hancock and colleagues, initial and continuing choice to live and practice in a small-town is determined by four major pathways. They are:
  - a. access to technology, transportation, quality of life, small neighborhoods
  - b. familiarity, sense of place, community involvement, and self-actualization
  - c. education, recreation, healthcare, and economy
  - d. resilience, recreation, culture, and history
2. According to Hancock and colleagues, which of the following factors is not known to be important for recruitment of rural physicians?
  - a. community service orientation
  - b. rural residency experience
  - c. loan repayment program participation
  - d. rural upbringing
  - e. owning one's own practice
3. According to Hancock and colleagues, which of the following factors is not known to be important for retention of rural physicians?
  - a. rural-focused medical school track
  - b. sociocultural integration
  - c. employment opportunities for spouse
  - d. financial sustainability of practice
  - e. reasonable workload and call schedule
4. According to Funk, for physicians, small towns offer opportunities to fuse professional opportunity with great \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. work/life balance
  - b. culture
  - c. history
  - d. friendly neighbors

5. According to Thomas, in the US, hospitals in poor neighborhoods were mostly started by religious organizations and \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. health corporations
  - b. military
  - c. social reformers
  - d. international organizations
  
6. According to McGrail and colleagues, rural physicians are more likely to leave small town practice for which of the following reasons?
  - a. Increased salary in the city
  - b. Higher median household income in the rural community
  - c. Rural upbringing
  - d. Higher unemployment rate
  - e. More than adequate numbers of physicians and competition
  
7. Economic aspects appear to have only a minor role in mobility decisions of primary care physicians compared with geographic aspects of population size and hospital access.
  - a. True
  - b. False