



Building inclusive rural communities

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Questions

- ▶ Identify the main **outstanding needs** and **emerging opportunities** which require focus or attention.
- ▶ Propose **concrete actions / recommendations to update the Rural Action Plan** or contribute to further develop ideas proposed by Commission services, and **advance with the Rural Pact**.

Structure



Inspirational presentations (40 min)



Introduction to mini group discussions (10 min)

Mini break (10min)



Mini group discussions (50 min)



Report back (20 min)

Mini group discussions

- ▶ How can rural communities support the **integration of newcomers** and ensure a **sense of belonging**?
- ▶ How can rural communities **reduce isolation and improve long-term care**?
- ▶ How can we improve **opportunities and visibility for women** in rural communities?
- ▶ How can we **support vulnerable groups** into work in rural areas?

Harvest sheet (our collective outcome)

4 main parts to complete:

- ▶ Main obstacles and opportunities (3 Max)
- ▶ Think what is the successful result
- ▶ **IMPORTANT!: Concrete actions and policies needed in the Rural Action Plan to advance**
- ▶ What can the Rural Pact do



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Subtopic 1: How can rural communities support the integration of newcomers and ensure a sense of belonging?

Main obstacles and opportunities:
Identify main challenges to overcome or opportunities to address

Desired outcomes and progress:
What would success look like if the challenge were overcome or the opportunity realised?

1		→	
2		→	
3		→	

What concrete actions/policies are needed in the Rural Action Plan to advance on the topic?

Three concrete actions/policies needed to advance

What can the members of the Rural Pact do?
(Rural Pact members: Public authorities, civil society organisations, researchers, businesses, citizens)

1		→		□
2		→		□
3		→		□

Priority
1 = highest
3 = lowest



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