



# WEBINAR RESOURCE GUIDE

## *Community-driven strategies to address persistent poverty in rural areas*

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### Guest Resources

#### **Emily Burlison, senior manager of advocacy and research, Partners for Rural Transformation**

[Partners for Rural Transformation](#) works across geographies and cultures to influence policy and lead individual and community solutions to poverty.

[DreamBuild](#) is a solution to the sometimes-overwhelming process of building and financing a safe, affordable and quality-built home.

#### **Lisse Regehr, president and CEO, Thrive Allen County**

[Thrive Allen County](#) provides a model for rural revitalization to harness the strengths of local residents in building healthier, more vibrant communities.

### *Highlighted Guidance*

Check out the first webinar in this series, [Identifying the forces behind persistent poverty](#).

Poverty researcher H. Luke Shaefer shares strategies rooted in community expertise and cultural traditions to improve wealth and engagement in rural areas.

Learn more about the evidence behind [Community Development Financial Institutions](#).

Explore measures of poverty in your community:

- [Children in Poverty](#)
- [Income Inequality](#)
- [Living Wage](#)

Learn more from Partners for Rural Transformation:

- [Stories of rural America](#)
- [How community development financial institutions drive economic opportunity](#)



## Discussion Group Resource

[Funding rural futures: call to action](#) highlights four principles for equitable, flexible grantmaking.

## Healthy Places by Design (HPbD)

[Healthy Places by Design](#) facilitated the post-webinar discussion group. Its [Community Action Model](#) was developed with insights from more than a dozen years supporting successful community health initiatives and a deep understanding of the community change process.

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