

CHECKLIST 7.1 | Stereotypes

As you read the following list, check any of the assumptions and beliefs you have held about other cultural, ethnic, professional, or geographic groups. Also check any you have heard, though not thought yourself. Think about the group they are associated with. Finally, identify an individual who disproves the stereotype.

| | Group | Disprove |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. Are smart and work hard | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Are very good at sports | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3. Tend to keep to themselves | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Are usually good dancers | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Are lazy, don't work hard, and aren't reliable | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Usually become rich by cheating others | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7. Are sneaky and not trustworthy | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 8. Are uninsured and don't have driver's licenses | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 9. Are dirty and smell bad | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 10. Are uneducated and not very intelligent | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 11. Are associated with organized crime | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 12. Think they are better than others | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 13. Don't want to become American | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 14. Are aggressive and pushy | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 15. Talk and think only about making money | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 16. Are happy-go-lucky and easygoing | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 17. Laugh and smile a lot | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 18. Don't want to learn English | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 19. Have illegitimate children | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 20. Can't hold their liquor and drink too much | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 21. Do well in school and get advanced degrees | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 22. Make good gardeners | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 23. Make the neighborhood go downhill | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 24. Are bigoted, prejudiced, and biased | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 25. Are miserly and ungenerous | | |