Listen to Jake and Carol talking about Jake's brother, George. Answer these True/False questions about Carol and Jake's conversation.

1. Jake doesn't believe his brother is really depressed.

   True

   False

2. Carol doesn't have experience of this type of issue.

   True

   False

3. Carol thinks therapy will help George.

   True

   False

4. Jake thinks his brother doesn't communicate very well.

   True

   False

5. Carol is optimistic about George starting a new relationship.

   True

   False

6. George spends a lot of his days just watching baseball on TV.

   True

   False

7. Carol expects her husband to do something to help his brother.

   True

   False

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Listen again to Jake and Carol talking about Jake's brother, George. Complete these sentences from the recording. All the sentences contain modal verbs. You might need up to THREE words for each space.

1. Carol: I'm worried about him. We_____something. He's been depressed for months.

2. Jake: Oh you know George. He's changeable like the weather. He_____next week.

3. Carol: Jake, he's your brother and _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ worried about him. Aren't you?

4. Jake: Yes, I am, but you know how independent he is. We can't help him if he doesn't want it_____?

5. Carol: Well, I feel guilty. He is family after all. We_____problems in the family or they will just get bigger. I know that from my own family.

6. Carol: No, you don't have to do that, but he_____things with other people that he knows.

7. Carol: Of course. You know, if you take George out, he_____somebody.

8. Carol: Well, he_____new in histerrible apartment, can he? Watching baseball 24 hours a day.

9. Carol: George should_____his ex-wife and remember he's still a young man.

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