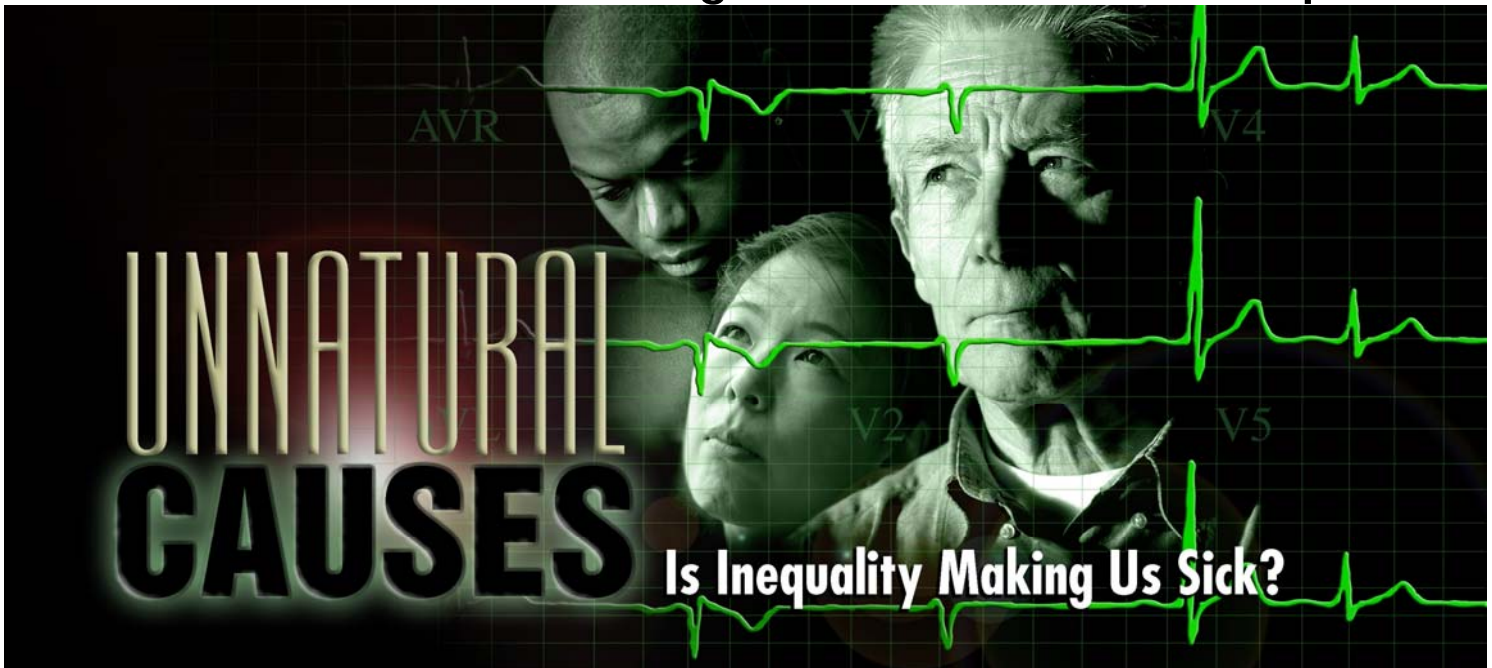


Pre-Broadcast Screening, Discussion, and Reception



Unnatural Causes, a PBS documentary, explores America's glaring socio-economic and racial inequities in health and searches for root causes.

Episode 1: In Sickness and In Wealth

What are the connections between healthy bodies and healthy bank accounts? Solutions, public health officials believe, lie not in more pills but in better social policies.

Episode 2: When the Bough Breaks

Why do African American infant mortality rates remain more than twice as high as white Americans? Researchers are circling in on a provocative hypothesis: the chronic stress of racism can become embedded in African American mothers' bodies and take a toll on their children even before they leave the womb.

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Monday, March 3, 2008
5-7 pm, Reception to Follow
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