"Beyond Health Care Reform: Effectively Addressing Social Disparities in Health"

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Dr. David R. Williams is a Professor of African and African American Studies and of Sociology at Harvard University. Dr. Williams is a leading scholar in examining social influences on health and has examined the trends and determinants of socioeconomic and racial differences in health. His research also addresses the ways in which racism can affect health and the effects of religious involvement on health. He is an elected member of the Institute of Medicine and of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. His research has been featured or he has been quoted in the national print media including the New York Times, Newsweek, Time, the Wall Street Journal, the Washington Post, Jet and USA Today. He was also a scientific advisor to the award-winning PBS film series, Unnatural Causes: Is Inequality Making us Sick?

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