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ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE

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PROGRAM 12:30 TO 1:30 P.M.
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Andy Koffman, Coretta Scott King, and Suzanne Somers. What do these people have in common? They all sought alternative medical treatments. St. John's Wort, Bioidentical hormones, chelation therapy. Miracle cures or quackery? The answer to that question may depend on who you ask. Suzanne Somers argues that bioidentical hormones do work, although many in the medical community say they do not and that one should not accept medical advice from an ex sitcom star. Do alternative medical treatments really work or are they dangerous? Who regulates alternative treatments? Join us for an ethical discussion on the issue of alternative medicine.



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