

*"This scathingly funny, powerful program exposes the folly of our American obsession with economic growth and consumerism and its consequences for our families, our environment and our values. The diagnosis is on target, and so are the prescriptions. You owe it to your grandchildren to see Affluenza and to encourage your friends to see it."*

**- David Brower**

*Chair, Earth Island Institute  
Founder, Friends of the Earth*

Visit the Affluenza Web site at PBS Online ([www.pbs.org/affluenza](http://www.pbs.org/affluenza)) after August 15 for a Viewer's Guide and other resources to beat the Affluenza bug. To purchase video copies, contact Bullfrog Films at 1-800-543-FROG. *Affluenza* is a production of KCTS/Seattle and Oregon Public Broadcasting and is made possible by a grant from The Pew Charitable Trusts.

# Medical Alert!

An outbreak of Affluenza has been reported in our community!

## Affluenza

*Do YOU have it?*

Af•flu•en•za (ăf'loo'ēn'zə) n. 1. The bloated, sluggish and unfulfilled feeling resulting from trying to buy all the latest stuff and keep up with the Joneses. 2. An unsustainable addiction to consumption and economic growth without regard for the consequences to our families, communities or the environment.

### *Symptoms:*

Shopping fever, a rash of debt, overwork, chronic stress, fractured families and resource exhaustion caused by never-ending pursuit of the "American Dream".

### *What's the cure?*



Watch the PBS special, *Affluenza*  
Monday, September 15 at 9pm (8pm central)

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