



# SO SICK

Is Lyme disease a feminist issue?

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on chronic illness, misdiagnosis, and  
healthcare in a climate crisis



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"THERE WEREN'T A LOT OF PEOPLE LIKE  
MYSELF — A WOMAN OF COLOR, A WOMAN  
OF MUSLIM CULTURE, AN IRANIAN — WHO  
HAD TOLD THIS STORY."

- POROCHISTA KHAKPOUR, SICK

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