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### Bloodletting: Life, Death, and Healthcare

More than a decade ago, the Clinton administration attempted to reform health care in the U.S. by proposing a national system. Opponents tore the idea apart, and now the failed program is represented by nothing more than a prototype ID card displayed among other relics in the Smithsonian. Access to health care, however, is an even bigger issue today as more and more people struggle without insurance (even if employed), costs continue to skyrocket, and the refusal to explore a single-payer solution lives on. Filmmaker Lorna Green doesn't have insurance. Nor does her mother, a preschool teacher with asthma and high blood pressure who was forced to perform a "kitchen surgery" on her own hand. Nor does her brother, an unemployed forklift driver in need of extensive dental work. Her aunt died because of inadequate care. Looking for answers, Green traveled to Cuba with the U.S. Health Care Trade Delegation and explored the country's commitment to providing care to all. Despite scarce resources from the embargo, every Cuban, at least in the facilities Green visits, receives decent care. Weaving together interviews with American and Cuban doctors, nurses, and advocates, *Bloodletting* paints a grim picture of health care in the United States. The topic is especially timely in an election year, and the significant woes of Green's family only further the argument that this is truly a matter of life and death. (Caroline Palmer)

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We currently have no movie times for **Bloodletting: Life, Death, and Healthcare**.

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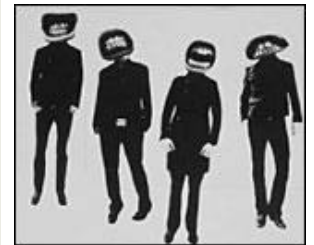
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