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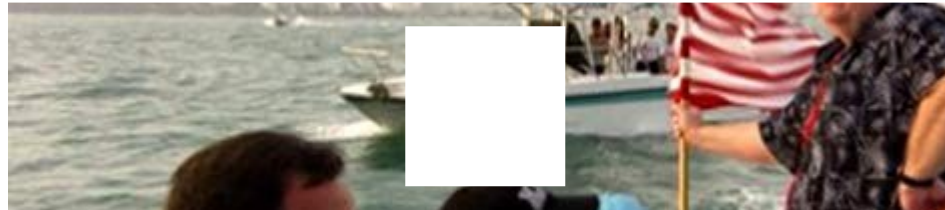
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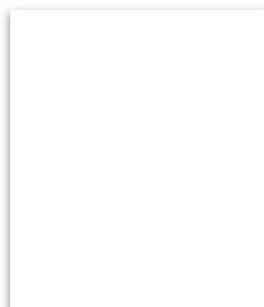
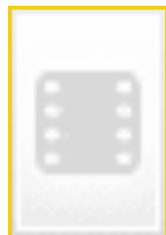
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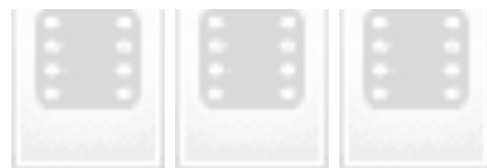
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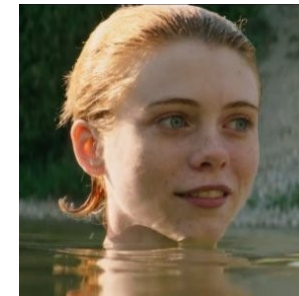
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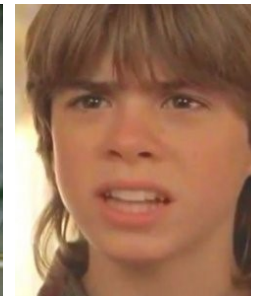
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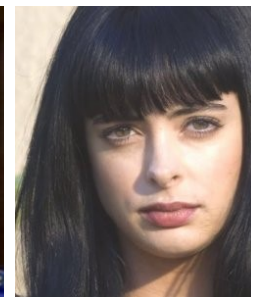
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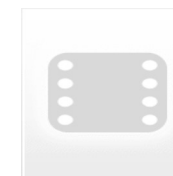


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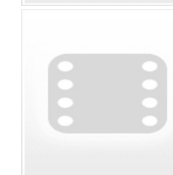
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Language: [English](#) | [French](#) | [Spanish](#) | [Russian](#)

Release Date: 3 July 2007 (USA) [See more »](#)

Also Known As: SiCKO [See more »](#)

Filming Locations: [Ontario, Canada](#) [See more »](#)

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Budget: \$9,000,000 (estimated)

Opening Weekend USA: \$68,969, 24 June 2007

Gross USA: \$24,540,079

Cumulative Worldwide Gross: \$36,163,768

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Production Co: [Dog Eat Dog Films](#), [The Weinstein Company](#) [See more »](#)

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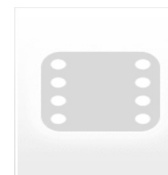
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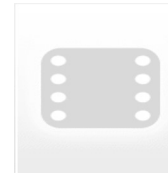
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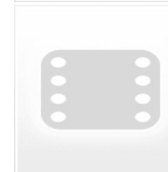
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