Vithèque
La collection
de Vidéographe

RODENTIA



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DURATION
13:32

YEAR
2020

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE
French

CATEGORY
Experimental
Fiction

DESCRIPTION
My aunt is 60 years old. She is about to undergo a series of injections of cells taken from a heterocephalus -- an animal of great longevity that is immune to all cancers. Speaking to the camera, she describes a very peculiar ritual intended to preserve her body, and potentially induce a change.

Rodentia examines the fears and fantasies of the timeworn female body steered by the beauty industry and scientific promises.

SOUND
Stereo

SHOOTING FORMAT
HD

KEYWORDS
Animals, beauty, aging, women, body, transformation

THEMES
Identity
Science
Society