PRODUCTION PLAN

Terminal

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TIMELINE: 4 Weeks

Idea:

Make a game about being in a laid back happy colorful go lucky platformer that cuts out into a doctor's room, where someone is lying on a bed, unable to move, and people are watching them from the doorway.

They are a terminal person with severe brain cancer, unable to move, who is stuck in a bed and is going to die. Inside their brain is a happy go lucky fantasyland where they can move, jump, collect coins, and be free. The freer they are in the platformer, the more trapped they are in the "real world." Also, the doctor is a giant spider who opens them up and crawls inside them to operate properly.

Deliverables:

platformer:

- Player controller with animations, able to stand, look around excitedly, run, jump, and vault onto platforms.
- Rock platforms.
- Grass of different colors.
- Flowers of different colors.
- Coins with juicy particle fx.
- Tiny spider enemy.
- Happy go-lucky music.
- Nice sounds, boings for jumping, and a nice juicy sound for collecting coins.

hospital:

- Sparse hospital room with an open doorway.
- Family models; maybe wife, child, and doctor.
- Doctor has normal doctor and SPIDER DOCTOR
- Spider doctor might be scope; but they are a giant spider.

SCOPE:

- Would want to do 1st person level where the player is lying down in a hospital bed with their wife by their side (with a covid mask so you don't have to animate mouth movements), and the doctor is coming in to do surgery on you

when a giant pair of spider legs creepily and slowly emerge from behind the doorway. Your wife is telling you "it's rude not to look at the doctor!" And the doctor is gentle and joking, saying "haha that's okay, I'm sure I might be last person you want to see right now!" You can look away, but you will still see giant spider legs in the corner of the room. Your only abilities are to look around and to close your eyes. The doctor will then ask your spouse to leave, and perform open heart surgery on you without anesthesia by cutting you open and then crawling into you to get "a closer look at the problem." Then it cuts to the platformer, and you run around in a happy-daisical land, but you know it's a lie because of what is happening in the real world. Also, as you are running around and platforming, you can still hear what sounds like crunchy spider legs crawling on top of each other in the background.

- This would be a lot to achieve, and I'm not sure if it would be possible, however what you would really need would be:
 - Giant spider/doctor model
 - Wife model (could be reused)
 - Animations of spider coming in, talking to you, and opening you up.
 - These would be scripted animations, which would make them faster to create. Would still take probably a week for all the spider animations.
 - Sound effects of giant spider walking, as well as cutting you open and crawling around in flesh/crunchy bone.
 - No music, thankfully, but need some white noise.
 - Also need the hospital environment; probably just a bed, an IV, and a chair for your spouse to sit in. Then, the door frame and the empty hallway.
 - So, theoretically, it could be done.
- Also, could have some dialogue sfx:
- 1. For the narrator in the platforming game:

"Wow! **So** many coins."

"What's that? Look at that! Even more coins!"

"Wow! Good job collecting all of those coins."

Just nonstop compliment you for collecting coins, are fucking obsessed with collecting coins.

- 2. For the doctor/spouse in the hospital:
 - a. Spouse:

"Honey! You know it's rude not to look at the doctor!"

"Please, look at the doctor, sweetie! He's not going to hurt you."

"Honey, what's wrong? Is everything ok?"

"Please, fix him, doctor."

b. Doctor:

"Hey there sport! How va doing there champ."

"Well now, I'm used to these sorts of things. You know, I wouldn't want to be stuck looking at this mug myself."

"Now buddy, we're gonna have to take a closer look at ya if you don't mind."

"I'm gonna need to get a closer look at this tumor."
"I need to be inside you. For medical reasons, of course."

Basically, could be trigger warnings of abuse or rape (I mean, someone crawling inside of you against your will can definitely trigger some stuff), as well as death and molestation, spiders, and terminal illnesses. Just, the whole shebang honestly.