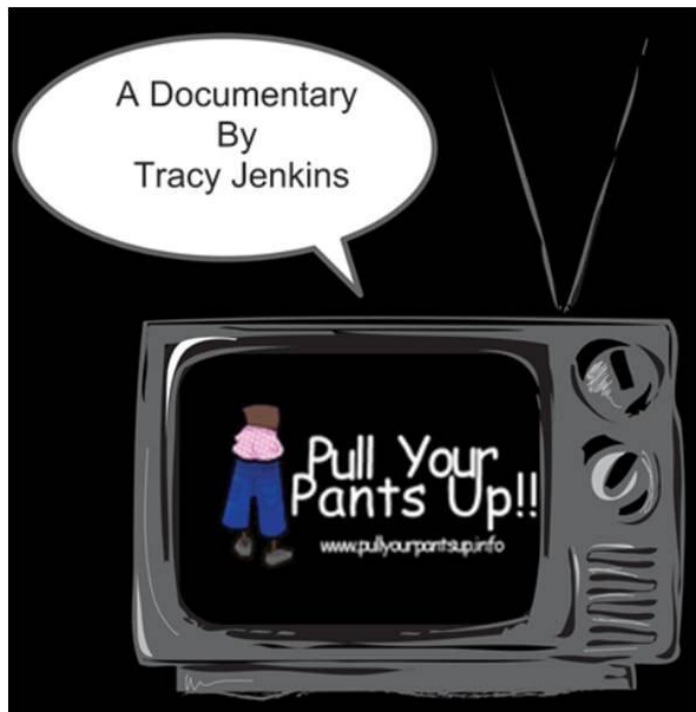


Pull Your Pants Up!!

Overview



Educator and humanitarian, Tracy Jenkins voices his views on the sagging pants issue, the style of dress defined by the Urban Dictionary as:

Hip-hop and gangster cultural fashion: Wearing one's pants below the level of the waist, sometimes below the level of the buttocks, with one's boxer shorts showing.

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Credits

Director: Tracy Jenkins

Writer: Tracy Jenkins

Producer: Tracy Jenkins

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Educator and humanitarian Tracy Jenkins articulates his views on sagging pants, the style of dress defined by the Urban Dictionary as: *Hip-hop and gangster cultural fashion: Wearing one's pants below the level of the waist, sometimes below the level of the buttocks, with one's boxer shorts showing.* Tracy communicates important reasons how this style of dress can be detrimental, ranging from potential health hazards and employment discrimination to how some in society identify the wearers of this fashion style. Through interviews with others who voice their opinions, Tracy strives to give viewers his Food for Thought awareness.



There are members of society who have seen this fashion in public and wanted to say something but feared the potential of retaliation . . . “Just looking instead, and shaking their heads.”

PULL YOUR PANTS UP!! stimulates thought and discussion on some deeper implications of this style of dress beyond fashion.

Part One of the Food for Thought Series:

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Specifications

Film Type: Documentary, Television

Runtime: 30 minutes

Country of Origin: United States

Film Language: English

Film Color: Color

First-time Filmmaker: Yes

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Screenings / Awards

San Francisco Black Film Festival
San Francisco, CA
June 2015

LA Black Film Festival
Hollywood, CA
November 2015

6th Annual Charlotte Black Film Festival
Charlotte, NC
April 2016

Oklahoma Urban Cinema Festival 2016
Oklahoma City, OK
April 2016

BLOW-UP · International Arthouse FILM FEST
Chicago, IL
September 2016

Orlando Urban Film Festival (OUFF)
Orlando, FL
November 2016
GRAND JURY PRIZE, Documentary Narrative

IMPACT DOC AWARDS
La Jolla, CA
February 2017

Pembroke Taparelli Arts and Film Festival (PTAFF)
Los Angeles, CA
November 2017

African American Film Marketplace and S.E. Manly Short Film Showcase
Los Angeles, CA
January 2018

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Director Biography



Tracy Jenkins was born in Gary, IN and moved to Emeryville, CA at an early age. Tracy comes from an education-grounded background, having two sisters and a brother who are also college graduates. While studying Sociology at San Jose State

University, his interest in film started when he worked in the Audio Visual Department setting up on campus film screenings and lectures. After graduating from San Jose State, Tracy worked at numerous Silicon Valley companies before becoming an educator in Oakland, CA in 2003. Tracy volunteered at several film festivals where he learned how to craft his first documentary film "Pull Your Pants Up!!"

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Production Photos



SHOULD LAW ENFORCEMENT ACT AS AN ACTUAL FASHION POLICE?

SHOULD THIS RESULT IN FINES, ARREST & JAIL?!?



The image contains a yellow folder labeled "EVIDENCE" with two photographs of men whose pants are pulled down. To the right is a pair of silver handcuffs.



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harmful side effects.

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A two-year study by the National American Medical Association, led Dr. Mark Oliver Mansbach, concluded that the continuous wearing of sagging pants severely impacts sexual performance.

"In our study we discovered that sagging pants wearers are 70% more likely to prematurely ejaculate during intercourse," says Mansbach. "75-82% of the men who wear saggy pants have some sort of sexual dysfunction which can be traced back to the constant mis-aligning of their hips and lower torso from the gait that's symptomatic of sagging pants."

As with any body part, a lack of blood flow means little to no oxygen from blood, no nutrients, and no cleansing of toxins. Long-term reduced blood circulation can result in bodily harm. For men, this means sexual performance issues and impaired urine flow. This situation can also lead to problems with the bladder, kidneys and prostate. It could even eventually have the effect of shriveling of the organs. For diabetics, this could mean gangrene and necessary amputation.

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