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Watch the video your teacher will play. Drag and drop the words to complete the sentences.

### Problem with Skinny Jeans

numbed	it seems	slim	trendy	tingly
ballooned	unaided	squatting	swelling	drip

Skinny jeans may be \_\_\_\_\_ and popular with both women and men, but \_\_\_\_\_ that they could damage your muscles and nerves.

The warning comes after 35-year-old woman from Australia had to be cut out of a pair of skinny jeans after her calves \_\_\_\_\_ in size, as she had spent hours \_\_\_\_\_ while moving house. Doctors believe that the woman had developed a condition called compartment syndrome made worse by her skinny jeans.

The syndrome is a painful and potentially serious condition caused by bleeding or \_\_\_\_\_ within an enclosed bundle of muscles. The woman was put on a \_\_\_\_\_ and was able to walk \_\_\_\_\_ after four days.

Cases where patients developed \_\_\_\_\_ thighs from wearing skinny jeans have also been reported, although experts add that the chance of this happening is still pretty \_\_\_\_\_ for most people.

Match the words on the left to the correct meaning.

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| slim      | to become larger  |
| numbed    | drugs in a plastic bag which doctors put into your blood stream               |
| trendy    | not able to feel as much as normally  |
| tingly    | without help  |
| swelling  | sit with one's knees bent and one's heels close to or touching one's buttocks |
| balloon   | enlargement of a part of the body   |
| unaided   | unlikely  |
| squatting | a slight stinging feeling, especially on your skin                            |
| drip      | very fashionable  |
| it seems  | it gives the impression of  |