



**An essential safety and transparency tool:
Body-worn cameras**



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Body-worn cameras (BWC) are slowly becoming a necessity in law enforcement agencies of the present day. A sudden rise in several incidents has brought forward a greater need for better mechanisms to support the accountability of officers.

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New and advanced security devices are a necessity to create a safe world. Though not new, born-worn cameras are such advanced devices that help take surveillance to places beyond the reach of general surveillance. Worn on the body, these little cameras record the occurrences happening in front of the bearer much more closely and clearly than general surveillance. Body-worn cameras are well established in security-related areas like the Police department, the border defence forces, etc. They are useful in traffic control, riot control, bomb diffusing squads, anti-terrorism squads, VIP security teams, etc. Body-worn cameras are versatile devices worthy of attention and use beyond Police and Defense teams.

This segment of surveillance is inclined to constant innovation and technological changes due to the location of placement of these cameras, viz the human body. This makes bodycams an ideal option for addressing the needs of a wide range of industries, but they haven't seen enough growth beyond the security-related industry. So how and where can these cameras be used apart from the crime, forensic and investigative classes.

To identify and prevent inappropriate behavior: It is unfortunate and true that ground workers in almost every industry face aggressive and improper behavior from time to time. Using body cams can help root-level workers like bus drivers, hospitality staff, or sales workers to curb misconduct before it intensifies.

Training: Body-worn cameras can act as an effective mode of imparting training in any and every industry. For instance, chefs can demonstrate their style; labor supervisors can illustrate safety routines; surgeons can display safe practices, and so on.

Protection against liabilities: Food delivery and other delivery personnel/ agencies can find great relief by using bodycams to verify or prove the truth behind the claims of missing or damaged packages, identify inappropriate behavior, etc.

There is more to body-worn cameras than mentioned here. It is for us to explore them further and find newer better ways to use them professionally and on personal grounds too.



Wavesys Body worn camera are used by law enforcement and other organization around the world to improve interactions between officers and the public. It is intended to increase transparency and police accountability.

Other users include the military, firefighters, security and medical healthcare professionals.



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