



Verkada Alarms

A Force Multiplier for Police

With high rates of false alarms and challenging staff shortages, Verkada Alarms acts as a force-multiplier for law enforcement, helping them better prioritise resources. Verkada's AI-enabled video monitoring solution detects suspicious behaviour early, screens out false alarms, and provides the police with the context they need to make informed response decisions.

“Verkada ties security together for us in one complete package that’s easy to use and manage. We have a modern cloud-based solution and smart analytics to protect our citizens, and the guard rails in place to protect their privacy.”

Jerry Morris,
Communications Manager,
Information Technology Agency City of Los Angeles

How it works



Verkada detects suspicious activity early

Using advanced AI, Verkada cameras identify potentially suspicious behaviour, like a person getting too close to a closed business or loitering near a vehicle. This activity will automatically be escalated, so you don't have to rely on someone constantly watching live camera feeds.



Professional monitoring agents verify the threat

If suspicious activity is detected, you can choose to have our team of certified professional monitoring agents review the footage to screen out false alarms, and only notify your team if there appears to be a real threat.



Take immediate action

Monitoring agents can contact local dispatchers or directly notify police staff. Your team will receive a mobile link to relevant camera footage, so they can see exactly what's going on and make a fast, informed response decision. In time-sensitive situations, monitoring agents can also try to scare off the intruder by talking down to them through a powerful horn speaker.

Key benefits



Prioritise resource more efficiently

Improved visibility and built-in threat verification helps law enforcement better prioritise resources, so they can respond to the incidents that need them most.



Agents take action when your team can't be there

If police can't immediately respond to a threat, monitoring agents can remotely take action, including talking down through a powerful speaker to scare off the intruder.



Give your team critical context before they arrive

When an alarm is triggered, your team will receive an SMS with links to view live and historical camera footage, so they can be better prepared before they arrive on-site.



Operate on a network you trust

Verkada's architecture requires no on-prem servers. Simply plug the cameras into a power source and let them operate on a secure, approved network.



Easily manage multiple locations

Police can view camera feeds, review alarm incidents, and manage settings across all locations - all from a single, easy-to-use dashboard.