



**Transcript: "Who We Are: The Mission of the U.S. Department of Justice Office of the Inspector General"**

You may not have heard of us, but you know who we are.

We promote integrity, efficiency, and accountability within the Department of Justice. We oversee all Department of Justice programs and employees, including the Federal Bureau of Prisons, the FBI, the DEA, and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

We have fought for justice for victims of sexual assault by DOJ personnel. Our reports and findings have identified ways improve conditions of confinement for federal inmates.

For the assurance that your taxpayer dollars are being used appropriately. That federal agents who have caused harm are held accountable. That the American people can trust the Department of Justice to uphold the rule of law.

We may work in the Department of Justice, but there are safeguards under the law to ensure our independence. This allows us to be objective in our findings and to root out waste, fraud, abuse and misconduct committed by those meant to protect us.

Our work changes lives for the better.

We seek out truth.

We uphold integrity. We assure accountability. We are the Department of Justice, Office of the Inspector General.

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