Glossary of Legal Terms for Patient Commitments

The following table provides a list of commitment codes and a brief description of each code commonly used for California state hospitals and developmental centers.

Overall Commitment/ Census Group	Legal Class Text	Legal Code Section	Description
PC 2684	PC2684	PC2684	Prisoner from the Department of Corrections
PC 2684	PC2684A	PC 2684A	Prisoner from the Department of Corrections
PC 1370 IST	IST PC1370	PC 1370 or Title 18 USC 4244	Incompetent to Stand Trial (IST)
IST (Other)	MIST	PC 1370.01	Misdemeanant IST
IST (Other)	EIST	PC 1372(e)	Restored (IST) on Court Hold
IST (Other)	ROIST RO1370	PC 1610	Temporary Admission while waiting for Court Revocation of a PC 1370 (IST)
IST (Other)	DDIST	PC 1370.1	IST due to Developmental Disability and Mental Disorder
LPS	T.Cons	WIC 5353	Temporary Conservatorship
LPS	CONS	WIC 5358	Conservatorship
LPS	VOL	WIC 6000	Voluntary
LPS	DET	WIC 5150	72-Hour Detention
LPS	CERT	WIC 5250	14-Day Certification
LPS	SUIC	WIC 5260	Additional 14-Day Certification for Suicidal Persons
LPS	POST	WIC 5304(a)	180-Day Post Certification – ONLY (until 6/91 used for pending cases also, see 37)
LPS	ADD	WIC 5304(b)	Additional 180-Day Post Certification

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LPS	PC2974	PC 2974	Recommitment After Expiration of Prison Term (Must have concurrent W&I commitment)
LPS	A-CERT	WIC 5270.15	30-Day Certification
LPS	PCD	WIC 5303	Pending Court Decision on 180-Day Post Certification
LPS	MURCON	WIC 5008(h)(1(B)	Murphy's Conservatorship
LPS	DMR	WIC 6500, 6509	Dangerous Mentally Retarded Committed by Court
LPS	CAMR	WIC 4825, 6000(a)	Voluntary Adult Mentally Retarded Under Own Signature by Regional Center
LPS	VJCW	WIC 6552	Voluntary Juvenile Court Ward
LPS	DMRH	WIC 6506	Hold Pending Hearing on W&I 6509 Petition
MDO (PC 2962/2964a)	MDO PC2962	PC 2962	Parolee Referred from the Department of Corrections
MDO (PC 2962/2964a)	PC2964a	PC 2964(a)	Parolee Rehospitalized from Conrep after DMH hearing
MDO (PC 2972)	PC2972	PC 2972	Former Parolee Referred from Superior Court
MDO (PC 2972)	RO2972	PC 1610	Temporary Admission while waiting for Court Revocation of PC 2972
MDSO	MDSO	WIC 6316	Mentally Disordered Sex Offender – Observation
MDSO	MDSOI	WIC 6316	MDSOI Observation Indeterminate; MDSO Return by Court
MDSO	ROMDSO	PC 1610	Temporary Admission while waiting for Court Revocation of MDSO

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NGI (PC1026)	NGI PC1026	PC 1026	Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity
NGI (OTHER)	RONGI RO 1026	PC 1610	Temporary Admission while waiting for Court Revocation of a PC 1026 (NGI)
NGI (Other)	MNGI	WIC 702.3	Minor Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity
SVP (W&I 6604)	SVP	WIC 6604	Sexually Violent Predator
SVP (W&I 6602)	SVPP	WIC 6602	Sexually Violent Predator Probable Cause
SVP (OTHER)	SVPH	WIC 6601.3	Sexually Violent Predator Bureau of Prison Terms (BPT) Hold
SVP (OTHER)	SVPE	WIC 6600	Sexually Violent Predator Court Hold