

California

SUSPECTED SERIOUS INJURY CONVERSION

INJURY CODE	CONVERSION	DEFINITIONS / INSTRUCTIONS / NOTES	SOURCE	LOCATION
Suspected Serious Injury	2003 - Present		Collision Investigation Manual 2003	
Severe Injury	A	Severe Injury: An injury other than a fatal injury which results in broken bones, dislocated or distorted limbs, severe lacerations, or unconsciousness at or when taken from the collision scene. It does not include minor laceration.	aa. Injury	definitions found on PDF pg27-28.

PEDESTRIAN AND PEDALCYCLIST (NON-MOTORIZED) CONVERSION

PERSON TYPE	CODE	DEFINITIONS / INSTRUCTIONS / NOTES	SOURCE	LOCATION
Pedestrian	2003-Present		CA Traffic Collision Report 2007, CA Collision Investigation Manual 2003	
Pedestrian	Check box*	A pedestrian is any person who is afoot or who is using a means of conveyance propelled by human power other than a bicycle. (Refer to the definition of a pedestrian in Chapter 2.) (1) This includes a person in a fenced yard, however, excludes a person inside a building (coded as "other").(2) A person boarding or falling from a motor vehicle in-transport is considered a passenger and is classified as though he/she is a part of the conveyance	24. Involved Party Category (Mark "X" in the box which best describes)	definition found on Manual Pg3-18 (PDF pg66) .
Ped	Check box*		8. Injured Was (Mark "X" in the appropriate box)	
Pedalcyclist	2003-Present			
Bicyclist	Check box*	Mark this box if the party was riding a bicycle. (Refer to the definition of a bicycle in Chapter 2.) (1) A collision involving a bicycle vs. any object, including a parked vehicle, a pedestrian, or another bicycle, is a vehicle collision only if it occurred on a highway. (2) A solo bicycle collision occurring on a highway is a vehicle collision	24. Involved Party Category (PAR Checkbox)	definition found on Manual Pg3-19 (PDF pg67) .
Bicyclist	Check box*		8. Injured Was (Mark "X" in the appropriate box)	

* Police Accident Report includes a check box for Pedestrian/Bicyclist - please refer to the State's Data Dictionary for corresponding database value