

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

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TO: All County Welfare Directors  
All County Administrative Officers

Letter No.: 86-32

SUBJECT: PAYMENT STATUS CODES FOR SSI/SSP RECIPIENTS

At a recent County Welfare Directors Association Medical Care Committee meeting, several counties requested a copy of the description of payment status codes that appear on the SDX portion (page 3) of the MEDS inquiry screen for SSI/SSP recipients. The MEDS manual only defines the first digit of this field.

For your information attached is a complete listing of all payment status codes. These codes will be included in the MEDS User Manual during the next update.

If you have any questions, please contact your MEDS liaison.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

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Attached

cc: Medi-Cal Liaisons  
Medi-Cal Program Consultants

Expiration Date: December 31, 1986

<i>Data Element</i>	<i>Codes</i>	<i>Description</i>
Payment Status Code		The first position of the payment status code indicates the status of SSI/SS payment/eligibility and the second and third positions indicate the reason for the status. The following descriptions, "C" through "T," apply to the first positions:
	"C"	Indicates recipient is eligible for SSI/SS payment
	"E"	Indicates eligibility for Federal and/or State benefit based on the eligibility computation but no payment is due based on the payment computation
	"H"	Indicates a case in hold status, final disposition pending
	"M"	Indicates case under manual control. Case is known as "force payment" although a payment may not be involved
	"N"	Indicates applicant is not eligible for SSI/SS payment or that a previously eligible recipient is no longer eligible
	"P"	Indicates suspension with the probability of reinstatement
	"S"	Indicates recipient may still be eligible for SSI/SS but payment is being withheld
	"T"	Indicates SSI/SS eligibility is terminated
	C01	CURRENT PAY
	E01	Eligible for Federal and/or State benefits based on eligibility computation, but no payment is due based on payment computation
	H10	LIVING ARRANGEMENT CHANGE IN PROCESS
	H20	MARITAL STATUS change in process
	H30	RESOURCE CHANGE in process
	H40	STUDENT STATUS change in process
	H50	HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD change in process
	H60	Hold pending receipt of date of death
	H70	Hold pending transmission of one-time payment data
	H80	EARLY INPUT

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	H90 <sup>1</sup>	SYSTEMS LIMITATION involved. DO must manually compute and input payment amounts
	M01	FORCE PAYMENT - Recipient may be in payment or nonpayment status. See SSI Gross Payable Amount field or State Supplement Gross Payable Amount field for eligibility amount. These fields will contain zeros if in nonpayment status
	N01	NONPAY Recipient's countable income exceeds title XVI payment amount and his/her State's payment standard
	N02	NONPAY Recipient is inmate of public institution
	N03	NONPAY Recipient is outside U.S.
	N04	NONPAY Recipient's nonexcludable resources exceed title XVI limitations
	N05	NONPAY Unable to determine if eligibility exists
	N06	NONPAY Recipient failed to file for other benefits
	N07	NONPAY Cessation of recipient's disability
	N08	NONPAY Cessation of recipient's blindness
	N09	NONPAY Recipient refused vocational rehabilitation without good cause
	N10	NONPAY Recipient refused treatment for drug addiction
	N11	NONPAY Recipient refused treatment for alcoholism
	N12	NONPAY Recipient voluntarily withdrew from program
	N13	NONPAY Not a citizen or eligible alien
	N14	NONPAY Aged claim denied for age
	N15 <sup>1</sup>	NONPAY Blind claim denied. Applicant not blind
	N16 <sup>1</sup>	NONPAY Disability claim denied. Applicant not disabled
	N17	NONPAY Failure to pursue claim by applicant
	N19	NONPAY Recipient has voluntarily terminated participation in the SSI program
	N20	NONPAY Recipient fails to furnish a required report
	N27	NONPAY Disability terminated due to Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA)
	N30	NONPAY Slight impairment—medical consideration alone, no visual impairment
	N31	NONPAY Capacity for Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA)—customary past work, no visual impairment
	N32	NONPAY Capacity for Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA)—other work, no visual impairment
	N33	NONPAY Engaging in SGA despite impairment, no visual impairment

<i>Data Element</i>	<i>Codes</i>	<i>Description</i>
	N34	NONPAY Impairment is no longer severe at time of adjudication and did not last 12 months, no visual impairment
	N35	NONPAY Impairment is severe at time of adjudication but not expected to last 12 months, no visual impairment
	N36	NONPAY Insufficient or no medical data furnished, no visual impairment
	N37	NONPAY Failure or refusal to submit to consultative examination, no visual impairment
	N38	NONPAY Applicant does not want to continue development of claim, no visual impairment
	N39	NONPAY Applicant willfully fails to follow prescribed treatment, no visual impairment
	N40	NONPAY Impairment(s) does not meet or equal listing (disabled child under age 18 only), no visual impairment
	N41	NONPAY Slight impairment—medical condition alone, visual impairment
	N42	NONPAY Capacity for SGA—customary past work, visual impairment
	N43	NONPAY Capacity for SGA—other work, visual impairment
	N44	NONPAY Engaging in SGA despite impairment, visual impairment
	N45	NONPAY Impairment no longer severe at time of adjudication and did not last 12 months, visual impairment
	N46	NONPAY Impairment is severe at time of adjudication but not expected to last 12 months, visual impairment
	N47	NONPAY Insufficient, or no medical evidence furnished, visual impairment
	N48	NONPAY Failure or refusal to submit to consultative examination, visual impairment
	N49	NONPAY Applicant does not want to continue development of claim, visual impairment
	N50	NONPAY Applicant willfully fails to follow prescribed treatment, visual impairment
	N51	NONPAY Impairment(s) does not meet or equal listing (disabled child under age 18 only), visual impairment
	N52	NONPAY Deleted from State rolls before 12/73 payment
	N53	NONPAY Deleted from State rolls after 12/73 payment
	N54	NONPAY DO unable to locate applicant
	P01	SUSPENDED Suspension of disability payments due to SGA, probability of reinstatement

<i>Data Element</i>	<i>Codes</i>	<i>Description</i>
	S04	SUSPENDED System is awaiting disability determination (system generated)
	S06	SUSPENDED Recipient's address unknown
	S07	SUSPENDED Returned check for other than death, address, payee change or death of payee
	S08	SUSPENDED Representative payee development pending
	S09	SUSPENDED Miscellaneous suspense code
	S10	Adjudicative Suspense (systems generated)
	S20	SUSPENDED Potential rollback case or no disability made prior to 7/73 (inactive)
	S21	SUSPENDED The recipient is presumptively disabled or blind and has received three months payments
	T01	TERMINATED Death of recipient
	T20	TERMINATED Received payment under two different numbers
	T22	TERMINATED Same definition as code T20 except that termination results from electronic screening
	T30	TERMINATED Manual termination (payment previously made). Change in record composition requires termination of existing record (see SI 02601.505)
	T31	TERMINATED System generated termination (payment previously made)
	T50	TERMINATED Manual termination (no previous payment made)
	T51	TERMINATED System generated termination (no previous payment made)