

REPORTS OF MISSING ADULTS IN CALIFORNIA

REPORT TYPE	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
LOST Any person who has strayed away or whose whereabouts are unknown.	305	337	285	350	324
CATASTROPHE Any person who is missing after a catastrophe (e.g., plane crash, boating accident, fire, flood, etc.).	26	24	41	41	78
STRANGER ABDUCTION Any witnesses abduction of an adult by a stranger / non-family member.	31	27	31	15	28
SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES Any adult missing under suspicious circumstances that may indicate a stranger abduction.	502	475	491	513	544
UNKNOWN CIRCUMSTANCES Any adult who disappears under circumstances unknown.	3,539	3,262	3,146	3,073	3,125
VOLUNTARY MISSING Any missing adult who has left on his / her own free will.	32,257	33,706	34,886	35,722	35,981
DEPENDENT ADULT Any adult who has physical or mental limitation that restricts his or her ability to carry out normal activities (e.g., Alzheimer).	2,194	2,188	1,943	2,003	2,030
TOTALS	38,854	40,019	40,823	41,717	42,110

GENDER OF MISSING ADULT	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Male	22,793	23,511	23,958	24,649	24,874
Female	16,061	16,508	16,865	17,068	17,236