Adult Institution	Year Activated
San Quentin State Prison (SQ)	1852
Folsom State Prison (FOL)	1880
California Correctional Institution (CCI)	Original/Women's: 1933
	Reopened: 1954
California Institution for Men (CIM)	1941
Correctional Training Facility (CTF)	1946
California Institution for Women (CIW)	1952
Deuel Vocational Institution (DVI)*	1953
California's Men's Colony (CMC)	East: 1954
	West: 1961
California Medical Facility (CMF)	1955
California Rehabilitation Center (CRC)	1962
California Correctional Center (CCC)*	1963
Sierra Conservation Center (SCC)	1965
California State Prison, Solano (SOL)	1984
California State Prison, Sacramento (SAC)	1986
Avenal State Prison (ASP)	1987
Mule Creek State Prison (MCSP)	1987
R.J. Donovan Correctional Facility at Rock Mountain (RJD)	1987
California State Prison, Corcoran (COR)	1988
Chuckawalla Valley State Prison (CVSP)	1988
Pelican Bay State Prison (PBSP)	1989
Central California Women's Facility (CCWF)	1990
Wasco State Prison (WSP)	1991
Calipatria State Prison (CAL)	1992
California State Prison, Los Angeles County (LAC)	1993
North Kern State Prison (NKSP)	1993
Centinela State Prison (CEN)	1993
Ironwood State Prison (ISP)	1994
Pleasant Valley State Prison (PVSP)	1994
Valley State Prison (VSP)**	1995
High Desert State Prison (HDSP)	1995
Salinas Valley State Prison (SVSP)	1996
California Substance Abuse Treatment Facility (SATF)	1997
Kern Valley State Prison (KVSP)	2005
California Health Care Facility, Stockton (CHCF)	2013

^{*}Currently Deactivated

^{**}Originally activated as Valley State Prison for Women (VSPW), changed to men's prison in 2013.