NCOALink® and DPV Return Codes



These are general guidelines based on the defined meaning of each combination of return codes and BCC Software's decades of experience. Final decision on mailing to a specific return code is at the discretion of the mailer.

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ZIP+4 Return Codes	DPV Confirmation Codes	NCOA ^{Link} Return Codes	ANK ^{Link} Return Code	COA Match Flags	COA MOVE Type	Mail Deliverable	Delivery Point Barcoded (DPBC)	Summary
10-13, 17						No	No	May be undeliverable (poor address quality).
21,22						At mailer's discretion	No	Mail at your discretion. Address didn't match an address range in the ZIP + 4 database (21) or it matched multiple ranges (22)
23*		05, 14	77**			No		New address could not be provided. Addressee has moved.
	Y, S, D	19		Р		At mailer's discretion***	Yes	New address could not be provided. Addressee has moved. (Temporary move, NCOA ^{Link} FSP only)
		00			F, B, or I	At mailer's discretion		No Match - The input record could not be matched to a record in the master file. A new address could not be furnished. (LACS ^{Link})
26*		03		G			Yes - but	
27*	Y, S, D	02		K		No	addressee no	Recipient moved without providing a forwarding address to the USPS.
28*		01		F			longer there	
31, 32		04, 06-13, 15-18, 20	77**			At mailer's discretion	Yes	Difference between COA and your data prevent new address from being returned.
	Y, S, D	66				Yes	Yes	COA Canceled by Addressee
		00				Yes	Yes	Likely Deliverable
	N					No	No	Address is not likely deliverable.
33						No	No	Address is non-deliverable.
36					I	Yes	Yes	
37		A, 91, 92		M, S	F	Yes	Yes	New address information is provided.
38	Y				В	Yes	Yes	
39		00				Yes	Yes	LACSLink processing provided new address data, related to a local 911 system change.
98						No		Non-USPS ZIP Code. Address is not likely deliverable.
99						No		Unexpected result. Contact support.

DPV Return Codes							
	Indicates whether the address is a vacant property, it receives mail as a part of a drop, or it does not have an established delivery yet.	Y = Confirmed - Do not mail					
	USPS records indicate that although this may be a valid address, the residence or business is vacant.	Y = Confirmed - Do not mail					

*Could negatively impact MERLIN or Postal Automated Redirection System (PARS)

^{**77 -} NCOA^{Link} LSP - Move occurred greater than 18 months ago.

^{***23/19 -} NCOALinkFSP - Mail First-Class Mail pieces only. Contact the USPS about proper endorsements for other classes.