

Competence Process Flowchart Text Alternative

When an individual's competence to stand trial has been raised, this leads to a competence exam.

If the individual is found competent to stand trial during the competence exam, the criminal process resumes.

If the person is instead found incompetent to stand trial, an order for restoration is issued. From this point, they may either be restored to competency or not. If they are restored, the criminal process resumes. If it is decided that they have not yet been restored, the criminal process stays on hold until competency to stand trial is found to be restored.