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Introduction

Dental scaler handpieces and scaler tips have been used in dental treatment procedures for many years.

As technical development has resulted in improved scaler handpieces and tips, this revised International Standard is necessary to ensure the level of safety and performance, both of the individual devices and in combination, is at an appropriate level.

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Dentistry — Powered scaler

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies requirements and test methods for air-powered and electrical-powered scaler handpieces and scaler tips, including piezo, ferrostrictive and magnetostrictive type ultrasonic scalers, operated as stand-alone items or connected to dental units, for use on patients. It also contains specifications on manufacturers' instructions, marking and packaging.

2 Normative references

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ISO 5349-1, *Mechanical vibration — Measurement and evaluation of human exposure to hand-transmitted vibration — Part 1: General requirements*

ISO 5349-2, *Mechanical vibration — Measurement and evaluation of human exposure to hand-transmitted vibration — Part 2: Practical guidance for measurement at the workplace*

ISO 7494-1, *Dentistry — Dental units — Part 1: General requirements and test methods*

ISO 9168, *Dentistry — Hose connectors for air driven dental handpieces*

ISO 9687, *Dental equipment — Graphical symbols for dental equipment*

ISO 10993-1, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 1: Evaluation and testing within a risk management process*

ISO 14457, *Dentistry — Handpieces and motors*

ISO 15223-1, *Medical devices — Symbols to be used with medical device labels, labelling and information to be supplied — Part 1: General requirements*

ISO 17664, *Sterilization of medical devices — Information to be provided by the manufacturer for the processing of resterilizable medical devices*

ISO 21531, *Graphical symbols for dental instruments*

IEC 60601-1, *Medical electrical equipment — Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance*

IEC 60601-1-2, *Medical electrical equipment — Part 1-2: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance — Collateral Standard: Electromagnetic disturbances — Requirements and tests*

IEC 61672-1, *Electroacoustics — Sound level meters — Part 1: Specifications*

IEC 62366-1, *Medical devices — Part 1: Application of usability engineering to medical devices*

IEC 80601-2-60:2012, *Medical electrical equipment — Part 2-60: Particular requirements for basic safety and essential performance of dental equipment*