Medical electrical equipment - Part 2-29: Particular requirements for the basic safety and essential performance of radiotherapy simulators

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Appareils électromédicaux -
Partie 2-29: Exigences particulières
pour la sécurité de base
et les performances essentielles
des simulateurs de radiothérapie
(CEI 60601-2-29:2008)

Medizinische elektrische Geräte -
Teil 2-29: Besondere Festlegungen
für die Sicherheit einschließlich
der wesentlichen Leistungsmerkmale
von Strahlentherapiesimulatoren
(IEC 60601-2-29:2008)

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Foreword

The text of document 62C/423/CDV, future edition 3 of IEC 60601-2-29, prepared by SC 62C, Equipment for radiotherapy, nuclear medicine and radiation dosimetry, of IEC TC 62, Electrical equipment in medical practice, was submitted to the IEC-CENELEC parallel Unique Acceptance Procedure and was approved by CENELEC as EN 60601-2-29 on 2008-11-01.

This European Standard supersedes EN 60601-2-29:1999.

EN 60601-2-29:2008 constitutes a technical revision, which brings EN 60601-2-29 in line with EN 60601-1:2006 and its collateral standards.

The following dates were fixed:

– latest date by which the EN has to be implemented at national level by publication of an identical national standard or by endorsement	(dop)	2009-08-01
– latest date by which the national standards conflicting with the EN have to be withdrawn	(dow)	2011-11-01

This European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association and covers essential requirements of EC Directive 93/42/EEC. See Annex ZZ.

In this standard, the following print types are used:

– Requirements and definitions: roman type.

– *Test specifications: italic type.*

– Informative material appearing outside of tables, such as notes, examples and references: in smaller type. Normative text of tables is also in a smaller type.

– TERMS DEFINED IN CLAUSE 3 OF THE GENERAL STANDARD, IN THIS PARTICULAR STANDARD OR AS NOTED: SMALL CAPITALS.

In referring to the structure of this standard, the term

– “clause” means one of the seventeen numbered divisions within the table of contents, inclusive of all subdivisions (e.g. Clause 7 includes Subclauses 7.1, 7.2, etc.);

– “subclause” means a numbered subdivision of a clause (e.g. 7.1, 7.2 and 7.2.1 are all subclauses of Clause 7).

References to clauses within this standard are preceded by the term “Clause” followed by the clause number. References to subclauses within this particular standard are by number only.

In this standard, the conjunctive “or” is used as an “inclusive or” so a statement is true if any combination of the conditions is true.

The verbal forms used in this standard conform to usage described in Annex H of the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2. For the purposes of this standard, the auxiliary verb:

– “shall” means that compliance with a requirement or a test is mandatory for compliance with this standard;

– “should” means that compliance with a requirement or a test is recommended but is not mandatory for compliance with this standard;

– “may” is used to describe a permissible way to achieve compliance with a requirement or test.

An asterisk (*) as the first character of a title or at the beginning of a paragraph or table title indicates that there is guidance or rationale related to that item in Annex AA.

Annexes ZA and ZZ have been added by CENELEC.

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Endorsement notice

The text of the International Standard IEC 60601-2-29:2008 was approved by CENELEC as a European Standard without any modification.

In the official version, for Bibliography, the following notes have to be added for the standards indicated:

IEC 60601-1-3	NOTE	Harmonized as EN 60601-1-3:2008 (not modified).
IEC 60601-1-8	NOTE	Harmonized as EN 60601-1-8:2007 (not modified).
IEC 60601-2-1	NOTE	Harmonized as EN 60601-2-1:1998 (not modified).

Annex ZA
(normative)

Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

Addition *to Annex ZA of EN 60601-1:2006:*

Publication	Year	Title	EN/HD	Year
IEC/TR 60788	2004	Medical electrical equipment - Glossary of defined terms	-	-
IEC 61217	-[1)]	Radiotherapy equipment - Coordinates, movements and scales	EN 61217	1996[2)]

[1)] Undated reference.

[2)] Valid edition at date of issue.

Annex ZZ
(informative)

Coverage of Essential Requirements of EC Directives

This European Standard has been prepared under a mandate given to CENELEC by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association and within its scope the standard covers all relevant essential requirements as given in Annex I of the EC Directive 93/42/EEC.

Compliance with this standard provides one means of conformity with the specified essential requirements of the Directive concerned.

WARNING: Other requirements and other EC Directives may be applicable to the products falling within the scope of this standard.

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INTRODUCTION

This particular standard establishes requirements to be complied with by MANUFACTURERS in the design and construction of RADIOTHERAPY SIMULATORS; it does not attempt to define their optimum performance requirements. Its purpose is to identify those features of design that are regarded, at the present time, as essential for the safe operation of such ME EQUIPMENT. It places limits on the degradation of ME EQUIPMENT performance beyond which it can be presumed that a fault condition exists, for example a component failure, and where an INTERLOCK then operates to prevent continued operation of the ME EQUIPMENT.

MEDICAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT –

Part 2-29: Particular requirements for the basic safety and essential performance of radiotherapy simulators

201.1 Scope, object and related standards

Clause 1 of the general standard[1)] applies, except as follows:

201.1.1 Scope

Replacement:

This International Standard applies to the BASIC SAFETY and ESSENTIAL PERFORMANCE of RADIOTHERAPY SIMULATORS, hereafter referred to as ME EQUIPMENT.

If a clause or subclause is specifically intended to be applicable to ME EQUIPMENT only, or to ME SYSTEMS only, the title and content of that clause or subclause will say so. If that is not the case, the clause or subclause applies both to ME EQUIPMENT and to ME SYSTEMS, as relevant.

HAZARDS inherent in the intended physiological function of ME EQUIPMENT or ME SYSTEMS within the scope of this standard are not covered by specific requirements in this standard except in 7.2.13 and 8.4.1 of the general standard.

NOTE See also 4.2 of the general standard.

201.1.2 Object

Replacement:

The object of this particular standard is to establish particular BASIC SAFETY and ESSENTIAL PERFORMANCE requirements for RADIOTHERAPY SIMULATORS [as defined in 201.3.204].

201.1.3 *Collateral standards

Addition:

This particular standard refers to those applicable collateral standards that are listed in Clause 2 of the general standard and Clause 2 of this particular standard.

The following collateral standard does not apply:

– IEC 60601-1-10.

201.1.4 Particular standards

Replacement:

In the IEC 60601 series, particular standards may modify, replace or delete requirements contained in the general standard and collateral standards as appropriate for the particular

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1) The general standard is IEC 60601-1:2005, *Medical electrical equipment – Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance*