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ISO 10993-1	1997	Biological evaluation of medical devices - Part 1: Evaluation and testing	EN ISO 10993-1	1997
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ISO 10993-6	1994	Biological evaluation of medical devices - Part 6: Tests for local effects after implantation	EN 30993-6	1994
ISO 14630	1997	Non-active surgical implants - General requirements	EN ISO 14630	1997
ISO 14971	2000	Medical devices - Application of risk management to medical devices	EN ISO 14971	2000

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# Ophthalmic implants — Ocular endotamponades

## 1 Scope

This International Standard applies to ocular endotamponades (OEs), a group of non-solid implants used in ophthalmology to flatten and position a detached retina onto the choroid, or to tamponade the retina.

With regard to the safety and efficacy of OEs, this International Standard specifies requirements for their intended performance, design attributes, pre-clinical and clinical evaluation, sterilization, product packaging, product labelling and the information supplied by the manufacturer.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 10993-1:1997, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 1: Evaluation and testing*

ISO 10993-2:1992, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 2: Animal welfare requirements*

ISO 10993-6:1994, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 6: Tests for local effects after implantation*

ISO 11607:1997, *Packaging for terminally sterilized medical devices*

ISO 13408-1:1998, *Aseptic processing of health care products — Part 1: General requirements*

ISO 14155-1:—<sup>1)</sup>, *Clinical investigation of medical devices for human subjects — Part 1: General requirements*

ISO 14155-2:—<sup>1)</sup>, *Clinical investigation of medical devices for human subjects — Part 2: Clinical investigation plans*

ISO 14630:1997, *Non-active surgical implants — General requirements*

ISO 14971:2000, *Medical devices — Application of risk management to medical devices*

ISO/TR 15223:2000, *Medical devices — Symbols to be used with medical device labels, labelling and information to be supplied*

EN 868-1:1997, *Packaging materials and systems for medical devices which are to be sterilized — Part 1: General requirements and test methods*

EN 1041:1998, *Information supplied by the manufacturer with medical devices*

USP 24 <85> Jan/2000, *United States Pharmacopoeia <85> Bacterial endotoxins test*

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