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In this standard, annex ZA is normative and annexes AA and ZB are informative.
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Annex ZA (normative)

Normative references to international publications
with their corresponding European publications

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

NOTE: When an international publication has been modified by common modifications, indicated by (mod), the relevant EN/HD applies.

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			A13	1996
IEC 60601-1-1	1992	1. Collateral standard: Safety requirements for medical electrical systems	EN 60601-1-1	1993
A1	1995		A1	1996
IEC 60601-1-2	1993	2. Collateral standard: Electromagnetic compatibility - Requirements and tests	EN 60601-1-2	1993
IEC 60825-1	1993	Safety of laser products	EN 60825-1	1994
		Part 1: Equipment classification, requirements and user's guide	+ corr. February	1995
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Annex ZB (informative)**Other international publications mentioned in this standard
with the references of the relevant European publications**

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MEDICAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT –

**Part 2-40: Particular requirements for the safety
of electromyographs and evoked response equipment**

FOREWORD

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Full information on the voting for the approval of this standard can be found in the report on voting indicated in the above table.

Annex AA is for information only.

In this Particular Standard the following print types are used:

- requirements, compliance with which can be tested, and definitions: in roman type;
- notes, explanations, advice, introductions, general statements, exceptions and references: in smaller roman type;
- *test specifications: in italic type;*
- TERMS USED THROUGHOUT THE PARTICULAR STANDARD WHICH HAVE BEEN DEFINED IN CLAUSE 2 AND IN IEC 60601-1: SMALL CAPITALS.

INTRODUCTION

This Particular Standard amends and supplements IEC 60601-1 (second edition, 1988): *Medical electrical equipment – Part 1: General requirements for safety*, as amended by its amendment 1 (1991) and amendment 2 (1995), hereinafter referred to as the General Standard (see 1.3).

The requirements are followed by specifications for the relevant tests.

Following the decision taken by subcommittee 62D at the meeting in Washington in 1979, a "General guidance and rationale" section giving some explanatory notes, where appropriate, about the more important requirements is included in annex AA.

Clauses or subclauses for which there are explanatory notes in annex AA are marked with an asterisk (*).

It is considered that a knowledge of the reasons for these requirements will not only facilitate the proper application of the Standard but will, in due course, expedite any revision necessitated by changes in clinical practice or as a result of developments in technology. However, this annex does not form part of the requirements of this Standard.

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