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## MEDICAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT –

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## FOREWORD

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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 type;
- *test specifications: in italic type;*
- TERMS DEFINED IN CLAUSE 2 OF THE GENERAL STANDARD OR THIS PARTICULAR STANDARD: SMALL CAPITALS.

The committee has decided that this publication remains valid until 2007. At this date, in accordance with the committee's decision, the publication will be

- reconfirmed;
- withdrawn;
- replaced by a revised edition; or
- amended.

A bilingual version of this standard may be issued at a later date.

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## MEDICAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT –

### Part 2-39: Particular requirements for the safety of peritoneal dialysis equipment

#### SECTION ONE – GENERAL

The clauses and subclauses of this section of the General Standard apply except as follows:

#### 1 Scope and object

This clause of the General Standard applies except as follows:

##### 1.1 Scope

*Addition:*

This Particular Standard specifies the minimum safety requirements for PERITONEAL DIALYSIS EQUIPMENT as defined in 2.1.102, hereinafter referred to as EQUIPMENT. It applies to EQUIPMENT intended for use either by medical staff or under the supervision of medical experts, including EQUIPMENT operated by the PATIENT, regardless of whether the equipment is used in a hospital or domestic environment.

These particular requirements do not apply to the DIALYSING SOLUTION, the DIALYSING SOLUTION circuit, or to EQUIPMENT solely intended for use as continuous ambulatory PERITONEAL DIALYSIS EQUIPMENT.

##### 1.2 Object

*Replacement:*

The object of this Particular Standard is to establish particular requirements for the safety of EQUIPMENT as defined in 2.1.102.

##### 1.3 Particular Standards

*Addition:*

This Particular Standard amends and supplements a set of IEC publications consisting of IEC 60601-1:1988, *Medical electrical equipment – Part 1: General requirements for safety*, amendment 1 (1991), amendment 2 (1995); IEC 60601-1-1, amendment 1 (1995), IEC 60601-1-2 (1993) and IEC 60601-1-4 (1996).

For brevity, IEC 60601-1 is referred to in this Particular Standard either as the "General Standard" or as the "General Requirement(s)", and IEC 60601-1-1, 60601-1-2, and 60601-1-4 as the "Collateral Standards".

The term "this standard" covers the Particular Standard used together with the General Standard and any Collateral Standards.

The numbering of sections, clauses and subclauses of this standard corresponds to that of the General Standard. The changes to the text of the General Standard are specified by the use of the following words: