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### **Part 2-39: Particular requirements for basic safety and essential performance of peritoneal dialysis equipment**

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- c) improvement of the essential performance requirements clause/subclauses;
- d) new requirements for the interruption of the power supply.

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## INTRODUCTION

The minimum safety requirements specified in this particular standard are considered to provide for a practical degree of safety in the operation of PERITONEAL DIALYSIS ME EQUIPMENT.



## MEDICAL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT –

### Part 2-39: Particular requirements for basic safety and essential performance of peritoneal dialysis equipment

#### 201.1 Scope, object and related standards

Clause 1 of the general standard<sup>1</sup> applies, except as follows:

##### 201.1.1 Scope

*Replacement:*

This part of IEC 60601 applies to the BASIC SAFETY and ESSENTIAL PERFORMANCE of PERITONEAL DIALYSIS ME EQUIPMENT as defined in 201.3.208, hereafter referred to as PD EQUIPMENT. It applies to PD EQUIPMENT intended for use either by medical staff or under the supervision of medical experts, including PD EQUIPMENT operated by the PATIENT, regardless of whether the PD EQUIPMENT is used in a hospital or domestic environment.

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NOTE See also 4.2 of the general standard.

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These particular requirements do not apply to the DIALYSING SOLUTION, or the DIALYSING SOLUTION CIRCUIT.

##### 201.1.2 Object

*Replacement:*

The object of this particular standard is to establish particular BASIC SAFETY and ESSENTIAL PERFORMANCE requirements for PD EQUIPMENT as defined in 201.3.208.

##### 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 201.2 of this particular standard.

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<sup>1</sup> The general standard is IEC 60601-1:2005 and IEC 60601-1:2005/AMD1:2012, *Medical electrical equipment – Part 1: General requirements for basic safety and essential performance*.

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