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Foreword

The text of ISO 8637:2010, including Amendment 1 2013-04-01 has been prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 150 “Implants for surgery” of the International Organisation for Standardization (ISO) and has been taken over as EN ISO 8637:2014 by Technical Committee CEN/TC 205 “Non-active medical devices” the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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Foreword

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This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 8637:2004), which has been technically revised.

Introduction

This International Standard is concerned with devices intended for haemodialysis, haemodiafiltration, haemofiltration and haemoconcentration in humans. The requirements specified in this International Standard will help to ensure safety and satisfactory function.

It was not found practicable to specify materials of construction. This International Standard therefore requires only that materials have been tested and that the methods and results are made available upon request. There is no intention to specify, or to set limits on, the performance characteristics of the devices because such restrictions are unnecessary for the qualified user and would limit the alternatives available when choosing a device for a specific application.

The dimensions of the blood ports and the dialysis fluid or filtrate ports have been specified to ensure compatibility of the device with the extracorporeal blood circuit specified in ISO 8638. The design and dimensions have been selected in order to minimize the risk of leakage of blood and the ingress of air.

This International Standard reflects the consensus of physicians, manufacturers and other interested parties for devices that are approved for clinical use. Conformance with this International Standard is voluntary and it does not supersede any national regulation.

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1 Scope

This International Standard specifies requirements for haemodialysers, haemodiafilters, haemofilters and haemoconcentrators, hereinafter collectively referred to as “the device”, for use in humans.

This International Standard is not applicable to:

- extracorporeal blood circuits;
- plasmafilters;
- haemoperfusion devices;
- vascular access devices;
- blood pumps;
- pressure monitors for the extracorporeal blood circuit;
- air detection devices;
- systems to prepare, maintain or monitor dialysis fluid;
- systems used to perform haemodialysis, haemodiafiltration, haemofiltration or haemoconcentration;
- reprocessing procedures and equipment.

NOTE Requirements for the extracorporeal blood circuit for haemodialysers, haemodiafilters and haemofilters are specified in ISO 8638.

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 594-2, *Conical fittings with 6 % (Luer) taper for syringes, needles and certain other medical equipment — Part 2: Lock fittings*

ISO 10993-1, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 1: Evaluation and testing within a risk management process*

ISO 10993-4, *Biological evaluation of medical devices — Part 4: Selection of tests for interactions with blood*

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