



**IEC 60601-2-23 Edition (1999)**  
**TESTING AND MEASURING EQUIPMENT/ALLOWED SUBCONTRACTING**

R=Required by Lab

S=May be subcontracted

Clause	Measurement/testing	Testing / measuring equipment / material needed	Subcontracting
42	Excessive temperature	- Suitable foam block test device	R
51.5	Non-linearity and hysteresis	- Suitable oxygen concentration meter	R
		- Suitable carbon dioxide concentration meter	R
		- Gas mix chamber	R
		- Gas flow meter	R
		- Calibration test gases (bottles)	R

Note: The presence of equipment alone does not indicate a satisfactory situation. Assessors must evaluate the equipment design, calibration, uncertainty and documentation to ensure compliance with the directions of the standard. The requirements of ISO Guide 25 regarding validation are applicable, as the tests of this standard are not standardised tests.