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Foreword

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This European Standard applies to conical lock fittings with a 6 % (Luer) taper for use in medical equipment. EN 20594-1 addresses general requirements for taper fittings.

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