**44:03:01:08.08.  Equipment standards for computed tomography systems.** A computed tomography (CT) system must meet the specifications in 21 C.F.R. §§ 1020.30 and 1020.33, in effect on April 1, 2022. In addition, a CT system must meet the following standards:

(1)  The system must provide for two-way, oral communication between the patient and the operator at the control panel;

(2)  Leaded windows, mirrors, a closed-circuit television, or an equivalent must be located to permit the operator to continuously observe the patient during irradiation from the control panel; and

(3)  If the primary viewing system is by electronic means, an alternate viewing system, which may be electronic, must be available for use if the primary viewing system fails.

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