

(8) Patient entrance reference point

In this system, the following point is specified as the patient entrance reference point.

The distance between the X-ray focus and the patient entrance reference point is regarded as the average focus-to-skin distance.

- Patient entrance reference point : A point 15 cm from the isocenter towards the X-ray tube on the central axis of the X-ray beam.

NOTE: For the reference air kerma rate, the influence of backscatter radiation is not included in accordance with the measurement method described in IEC 60601-2-43. The reference value may vary depending on the settings.

