At the pre-bid meeting organized to clarify the concerns of the vendors on April 1, 2016, clarifications were requested regarding the construction of the MRI building. The committee informed the vendors that the building should adhere to the norms specified by the American College of Radiology, which is followed worldwide. These are detailed in the publication by the Expert Panel on MR-Safety, titled “ACR Guidance Document on MR Safe Practices: 2013”, published in the Journal Of Magnetic Resonance Imaging 37:501–530 (2013).

This MR-safety document is available online at the American College of Radiology website: http://www.acr.org/quality-safety/radiology-safety/mr-safety

The committee also recommended forwarding this document to all three vendors for their reference.