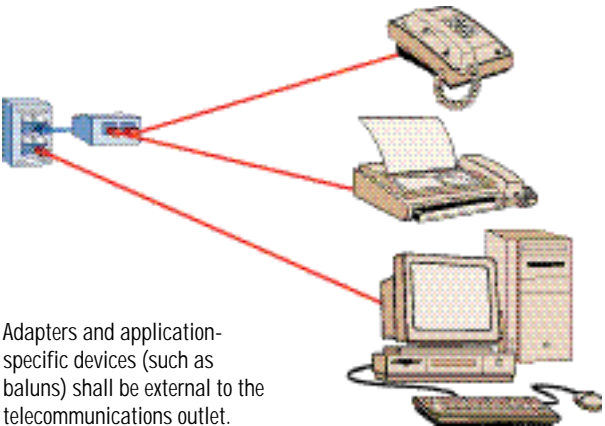


Work Area

The telecommunications outlet serves as the work area interface to the cabling system.



Some specifications related to work area cabling include:

- Equipment cords are assumed to have the same performance as patch cords of the same type and category.
- When used, adapters are assumed to be compatible with the transmission capabilities of the equipment to which they connect.
- Horizontal cable lengths are specified with the assumption that a maximum cable length of 3m (10 ft.) is used for equipment cords in the work area.

Note: For establishing maximum horizontal channel distances, a combined maximum length of 10m (33 ft.) is allowed for patch cables (or jumpers) and for equipment cables in the work area and the telecommunications closet.