In order to avoid EM noise (EMC rules)

- Put cables along metal structures (even if painted)
 - Setup support
 - Platforms and stairs



- Cable trays with few openings (e.g. SCEM: 04.76.12.J)
- Avoid discontinuity in metal
- Best structures: like for pc's (look at connections to power boxes) or fully closed, like at LA2 (for fast tape station)

Separate cables

- HV and power in 1 tray
- Signal and control in another
- Put metal bars between different (types of) cables

- Don't roll cables you create antennas
 Put cables back and forth along metal nearby
- Connect elements with each other
 - Ideal: metal plates iron or stainless steel
 - Avoid connecting different metals together oxidation, e.g. Cu with Al
 - Copper wires are not best, but better than nothing
- Avoid coaxial cables big cross talk
 - Twisted pairs or triaxial cables are better
 - Put coax on metal trays
 - Present BNC cables in CERN stores are not very good
- If still problems ask Fritz Szonsco