

CHECKING THE PARALLELISM OF ATTACHMENTS

A longer attachment life is guaranteed if the attachments are parallel to each other and to the path of insertion of the prosthesis.

Diverging components may lead to (a combination of) the following problems:

- excessive wear of the female,
- excessive wear of the male,
- premature fracture of the male.

If the female shows excessive wear, a temporary solution may be offered by replacing the male(s) with (an) oversized male(s) (see INFO 067). The situation will then possibly stabilize.

1. Unscrew the spring pins (see INFO 063).
2. Screw the accessory

- **RE H 16** for **M2**
- **H 16** for **M3**

into the base ring and check visually if the attachments are parallel. The accessories must be parallel to each other.

Side effects, warnings and precautions

- The attachments are intended for single use.
- The products are non-sterile.
- There is a risk of poor fit when patient conditions change.
- Bacterial adhesion can be avoided by applying hygiene measures.
- Inappropriate use or bad manufacturing can lead to premature wear of the attachments.
- The functionality of the attachments will be adversely affected by traumas such as grinding and bruxism.
- For the purpose of traceability we advise you to record the lot number of the applied products in the patient file.
- Do not heat items containing titanium.
- Do not use items containing nickel in case of nickel allergy.
- The accessories RE H 79 and H 35 must be used outside the mouth.