

## 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.