



## Protocol for making a splint



① Rotate the heating element to the back and open the frame.



⑤ The splint laminate will now warm up and slowly sag. Make sure the cast is in the middle of the vacuum plate (plate with small holes).



② Set the timer at approx. 3 minutes. Allow the appliance to preheat for 2 minutes. The "HEATING" lamp will now light up.



⑥ When the plate has sagged approx. 3 cm press the switch to the "Vacuum" (=) position and pull the frame all the way down.



③ Place the "Splint" (see TIP1) laminate in the frame. Close the frame and firmly turn the black knob. Now slide the frame all the way up.



⑦ Rotate the heating element to the back again and allow the vacuum motor to run for approx. 40 seconds. After switching off the vacuum motor, wait 2 minutes more before opening the frame.



④ Rotate the pre-heated (visibly red-hot) heating element until it is above the frame.



⑧ Cut out the splint (see TIP2) and apply finishing touches (see TIP3). Avoid sharp edges.

**TIP1.** Remove the blue foil before placing the splint on the frame.

**TIP2.** The splint deep-drawing plate is a hard laminate and thus difficult to remove from the plaster impression. After deep-drawing, cut away excess material first before "royally" cutting the splint loose with a Stanley knife to release it. Then trim to desired shape using small scissors.

**TIP3.** Finishing of the spoon can best be achieved with so-called finishing discs.

