

DALLMER Club Foot Hoofshoes For Foals

for a therapeutic treatment of clubfootedness



In the first year of its life, a horse may develop an abnormally steep phalanx in one or both front hooves, with a break in the lateral digit axis in both coffin joint and pastern joint. In rapid developments of this ailment the foal stands on the tip of the toe which is bending convex.



The nailless **DALLMER Club Foot Shoe** with its prolonged tip offers a superior orthopaedic therapeutic treatment. The fastening is done with the use of a plastic wedge by glueing on a hoofshoe to the wall of the hoof.

a) Dallmer Club Foot Shoe with **parallel** sole

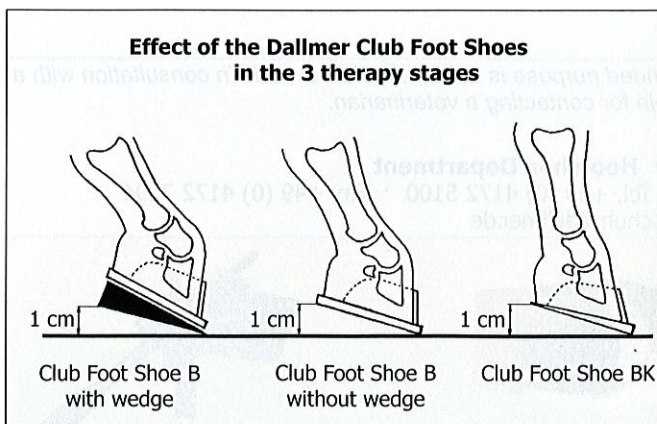


size	hoof width
	in mm
B 0	50
B 1	75
B 2	90

b) Dallmer Club Foot Shoe with **tapered** sole

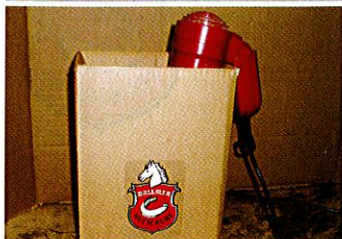


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The foal needs to be exercised with a leash on hard even surfaces. At the start of the treatment the foal shouldn't be allowed on the pasture and stabled on scant bedding.

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heat the hoofshoes and the glue

Preparatory work:

Already while working on the hoof, it is recommended to heat the hoofshoe together with the glue (**without proportioning nozzle**) inside the packing case with the help of a hairdryer to approx. 40°C.



degrease with ether



dry the hoof wall

Pre-treatment of the hoof wall:

To achieve the best possible glueing result, at first the hoof wall gets carefully rasped with a width of approx. 3 cm and degreased with **ether**. After that the hoof wall needs to get warmed with a hair dryer. This is important. After that, please don't touch the area anymore with your fingers.



screw on the assembly wedge and apply glue

Application of the glue:

Open the cartouche on the line marked on the neck, let a few drops drip out, fix the patented DALLMER Proportioning Nozzle and turn it about half a turn clockwise (or mix the glue inside a cup). Spread the adhesive swiftly onto the felt-coated inner wall of the **hot** shoe. Slip the shoe immediately onto the hoof and wrap a self-adhesing crape bandage around it. After that the hoof can be put down. It has been proven to be favourable to heat the freshly glued hoof for 2 minutes with a hairdryer (**in wintertime this is imperative**).



individual fitting possible by use of metal strap

The shoes get supplied in standard sizes. If the shoe doesn't fit snugly it can be widened or narrowed with the included metal strap.



remove the pre-warmed shoe carefully with putty knife or toeing knife



Removal of the foalshoes:

First, warm up the wall of the hoofshoe with a hairdryer. Then place a putty knife in-between shoe wall and hoof wall and push away the shoe. Or place a toeing knife in-between the sole of the hoof and the sole of the shoe and carefully cut off the bottom part of the shoe.

The decision whether to use club foot shoes and whether the intended purpose is suited should be made in consultation with a veterinarian. The buyer is responsible for contacting a veterinarian.

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