


Pubic cover

India / South Asia Collection

Accession Nr.:	2595 
Type:	bronze, lead, gold and silver; jewellery; metalwork
Date of production:	19th c.
Place of production:	India
Materials:	silver
Techniques:	soldered
Dimensions:	width: 4.2 cm length: 6 cm depth: 0.7 cm
Acquisition:	collection of Ferenc Hopp

Mostly children hang this leaf-shaped pubic cover around their waist. The decoration is soldered separately on to the plate. It has a granulated bead pattern on its edge and also in the middle, in a vertical direction. At the top are two hoop ears into which the cord was threaded. Both ends of the middle decoration end in rosettes, the lower rosette is complemented by a vertex ornament. Material: silver.

