

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.

