



Anatomical Model In Papier-mâché By Doctor Auzoux



8 500 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Height : 147 cm

Description

Anatomical anatomical model in papier-mâché by Dr. Auzoux. This important polychrome papier-mâché anatomical model represents a human body with detailed highlighting of the muscular system and the main internal organs. It was created by Dr. Louis Auzoux, a major figure in 19th-century medical and scientific education. The model presents a precise and didactic representation of human anatomy, with carefully nuanced original polychromy allowing for a clear understanding of the muscle masses, viscera, and internal structures. A removable anatomical element is presented separately, emphasizing the educational purpose of the piece. The anatomical model rests on an antique metal stand, consistent with models intended for medical schools, colleges, and scientific studies. The specific

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technique developed by Dr. Auzoux--laminated papier-mâché, reinforced with textiles, and then hand-painted--offers lightness, strength, and high anatomical accuracy. Louis Thomas Jérôme Auzoux (1797-1880), a celebrated French physician, is world-renowned for creating numerous anatomical models of flayed figures used in medical schools. France, 19th century, circa 1850. Shows signs of wear and a restoration to one foot. Height of the flayed figure: 122 cm. Height with base: 147 cm.