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Savona Majolica Apothecary Jar, Marked With The "fortezza" Emblem, 17th Century



800 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Ceramic

Width : 18 cm

Height : 20 cm

Description

A rare 17th-century Savona majolica apothecary jar, decorated in monochrome blue on a white background and bearing the distinctive Fortezza mark, stamped on the bottom. The jar features an elegant narrative decoration depicting a reclining allegorical female figure set within a landscape, flanked by a hand-painted pharmaceutical inscription. The globular body rests on a ring-shaped foot and is completed by a spout and a sturdy, shaped handle--a design intended for the storage and dispensing of medicinal preparations in ancient apothecaries. The quality of the painting, the vibrant monochrome in cobalt blue, and the presence of the mark make this piece a significant example of 17th-century Savona craftsmanship. In good condition, with natural signs of aging and slight wear consistent with the

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piece's age.