Pravaz Syringe, First Half Of The 19th Century, Glass And Bakelite



80 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Glass

Height : 8,3 cm

Description

Pravaz syringe, first half of the 19th century, glass, silver, and Bakelite.In its original case, lined with velvet and purple silk--traditional materials for medical instruments of the era. There is a chip on the side of the case, visible in the photo.No notable defects on the syringe."Charles-Gabriel Pravaz (1791-1853), a French physician born in Pont-de-Beauvoisin in the Isère department, was interested in the coagulation of aneurysmal sacs. Having observed the powerful coagulating properties of iron perchloride, he conceived the idea of instilling a few drops of this substance into the aneurysm. He had Charrière craft a syringe consisting of a pump body and a silver piston. The piston stroke is adjusted by a screw thread. The piston disc is made of leather. The cannula, fitted with a trocar,

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screws onto the end of the pump body. This makes it possible to measure the amount of liquid injected." Source: Cphr.fr"Dimensions: Syringe 7.3 cm x 1 cm Case 8.3 cm x 3.3 x 2.2 cm