

Basic Detail Report



Figure

Date

ca. 300 B.C. - A.D. 200

Medium

Ceramic

Description

This standing female Jama-Coaque figure wears an asymmetrical headdress with a long flap on the right side of the figure's head and a short flap dangling over the figure's left ear. The figure has the D-shaped eyes characteristic of Jama-Coaque, a nose ring, a necklace with center pendant, and possible earrings. The figure has well-preserved red paint on its face, arms, feet, headdress flaps, waistline, and right breast, with some traces of green paint preserved on the helmet-shaped hat or headdress. The broad, backthrust shape of the headwear suggests probable cranial deformation. The figure is in very good condition, with some spalling and surface cracks.

Dimensions

9 1/2 x 2 15/16 inches (24.1 x 7.5 cm)