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Object ID

1994.51.D

Object Name

Cumberband

Object Collection

Bisioulis Collection (is part of)

Date Created

February 22, 2013, 1890 - 1920

Material

Cotton; Silk; Wool

Object Entities

Bisioulis, Becky and John (collected by)
Bisioulis, Becky (is related to)
Bisioulis, John (is related to)

Access Points

folk
handmade
textile

Object Description

Handmade multicolored cumberband. The base of the band is a thick tan cotton fabric. Stitched on the fabric is a layer of navy cotton fabric. Then embroidered on the navy fabric are two figure 8 designs. The colors are red, blue, orange, green, and pink. At the top of the band there is a strip of navy corduroy fabric. The tie straps are the same navy soft fabric.

Origin

□ Donated by Becky and John Bisioulis. The cumberband is part of a traditional folk costume made in Greece. The costume is circa 1890-1920.

Citation

Cumberband, February 22, 2013, 1890 - 1920, Bisioulis Collection, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 07/06/22.