



**Dimensions**

7 1/2" x 5"

**Object number**

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**Iku (anklet dance rattle)**

**Artist/Maker**

Unknown, Yoruba

**Medium**

Brass/Bronze

**Description**

Brass anklet dance rattle (Iku) for Gelede masquerade, worn during Efe nighttime ceremonies. Smaller rattles are placed on the ankles of sick children to frighten malevolent forces that bring illness.