

Amulet(?) gem: Helios as Asclepius?

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Former Collections	Newell, Edward T. Collection
Material	onyx (banded)
Dimensions	16 x 11 x 3 mm
Dating	post-antique? (Schwartz)
Iconography	moon, crescent; whip; star; rays (6); staff, snake entwined; Helios; animal: quadrupe, unspecified
Divine Names & Voces	voces, unidentified



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A: Nude figure (Helios as Asclepius?), standing to right, head, encircled with six rays, turned back to left. Left hand bent in elbow and holding a whip, right hand resting on a snake-entwined staff. At the right foot of the figure, a quadruped? To the left of the head, a crescent, open to top; to the right, a star.

B: Inscribed: $\sigma\rho$, an indistinct sign, $\mu\nu$.

Bibliography

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