Nuinobe-do and accessories (helmet and

back/shoulder assembly)

Date

late 16th - early 17th centuries

Primary Maker

Unidentified maker

Medium

Metal and fabric

Description

Armor of mail and plates sewn onto a fabric backing. The dark brown suit of armor has the main body armor (do) with five-plate shoulder guards over mail and lacqured gote (armored sleeves). With mannequin (torso and head) for display. See also 1967.1796.1-4 (2 chain mail shirts, mannequin torso & head); 1967.1797.1-9 (armguards, backplate, breastplate, haidate, shoulder guards, leg guards); 1967.1799 (face/throat guard).