

A large, semi-circular graphic at the top of the page features a blue-tinted microscopic image of various bacteria, including several rod-shaped bacilli and a few spherical cocci.

# Anti — Microbial

Working for a hygienic environment.



- + Bacteria and fungi are a major component of the unseen world of 'micro-organisms'. Sometimes they lend a helpful hand, other times they destruct, causing disease and foul odours.





Bacteria, also known as germs, are microscopic organism not visible to the naked eye and are hosted everywhere. There are good bacterias, such as those which help your digestive system, however harmful bacterias are pathogenic and can cause deadly disease.

Germs live everywhere. You can find germs in the air, on the food we eat, animals, in the soil and water that we drink. Germs and microbes can be on just about every other surface, including your body.

Many germs won't harm you as your immune system protects you against infectious agents.

However, some germs are dangerous enemies as they are constantly mutating, compromising your immune system's defenses. Infectious agents come in many shapes and sizes. Categories include bacteria, viruses, fungi, protozoans.

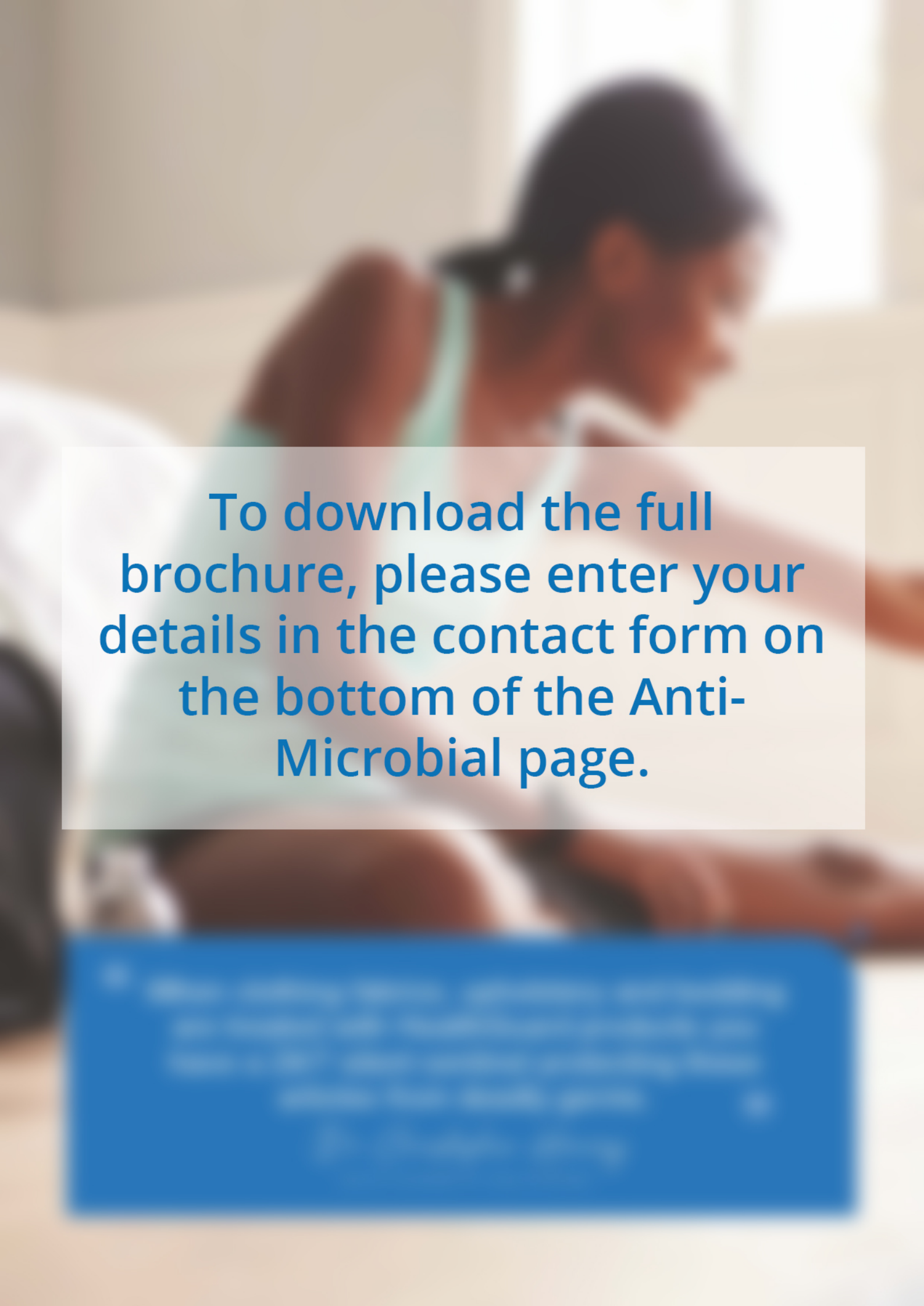
The commonly known MRSA super bug (Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus*) is a strain of bacteria which are acquired primarily through skin contact. MRSA infection occur in healthcare settings, such as hospitals and nursing homes, where it can lead to pneumonia and blood stream infections.

Other problems which occur from micro-organisms include unpleasant odours, staining and discolouration, requiring frequent launder or decreasing the effective useful life of the untreated product.





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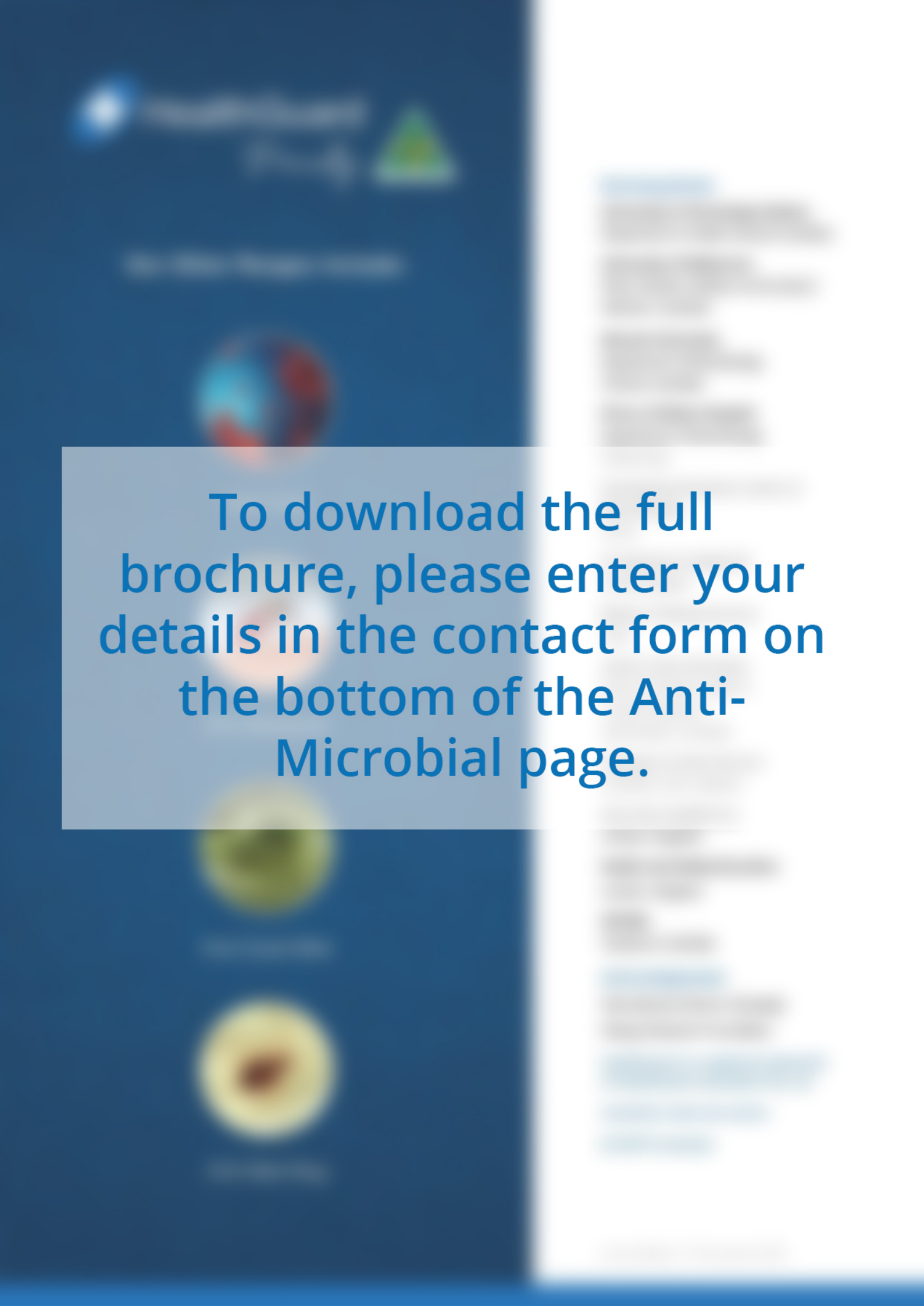


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