

**A** new whiteboard product which has silver embedded into it in a bid to halt the march of superbugs, such as MRSA, is finding favour with hospitals and other healthcare premises.

The antimicrobial whiteboard from established NHS supplier Environmental Hygiene Products is intended for use in hospitals and other locations where touching surfaces can lead to the spread of E. coli and other bugs.

Gary Campbell, managing director of Environmental

## Antimicrobial whiteboard



Hygiene Products, said: "It is well known that silver is

effective against lots of bugs out there and we discovered that no-one had applied the technology to whiteboards, one of the most commonly touched items in hospitals, schools and other places where lots of different people are present. Given the issues being highlighted in hospitals across the UK at the moment, we're seeing a lot of interest as these whiteboards can help with current infection control problems."

The new whiteboard, which can be mounted on virtually any surface, is coated with a special surface finish that includes silver ions. When the ions come into contact with bacteria such as MRSA or E. coli, the silver in the surface coating stops the bugs reproducing, meaning they die off.

For more information call Environmental Hygiene Products on 01862 893978 or visit [www.ehplgroup.com](http://www.ehplgroup.com)

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**Leading door seal manufacturer Lorient has unveiled a comprehensively revised brochure featuring its specialised fire resistant door hardware products.**

Special protection is needed when installing ironmongery on fire and smoke rated doors. Any additional security products fitted also have to be suitably tested and proven to ensure they will not compromise the door's performance in a fire.

Lorient's new brochure includes a range of intumescent protection solutions for ironmongery,

## Fire resistant door hardware



including hinges, locks and latches and concealed door closers. Special products such as fire and

smoke resistant letterplates and security viewers are also included. All products offer a high standard of protection against smoke and fire, and can be safely installed on fire rated doors, without compromising the fire and smoke integrity of the doorset.

Lorient's latest innovation, the DS Door Edge Protector, is also featured. This unique product is ideal for restoring damaged door edges, or for installation on new doors to prevent damage occurring.

It reduces the need to replace the door, while also offering superior protection against impact damage, smoke, fire, germs and sound.

The revised brochure features new product photography and realistic drawings. Key product benefits are clearly detailed to allow specifiers to make informed decisions quickly and efficiently.

Download the new brochure at [www.lorientuk.com](http://www.lorientuk.com) or call 01626 834252 for a hard copy.

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