How to clean the actiCAP in CSSERL

1. The splitter box is placed between the two hooks in the CLEANING STATION, allowing the electrode leads to hang. The ribbon cable connector is clipped to the splitter box to prevent water damage. Drape the towel over the electronics.

2. Fill a plastic container with luke warm water and place the electrodes in the water.

3. Gently clean the electrodes with a soft toothbrush.

4. After you have cleaned the electrodes, place them on a paper towel, then cover to dry.

5. Leave the electrodes to dry in the supply room in their designated spot based on their set number.

6. Wipe down the CLEANING STATION and the proceed to cleaning the nylon electrode caps.

**Warnings:**

1. The splitter box contains electronic components. Never let it come into contact with water!

2. Please do not let the gel dry before cleaning.

3. Do not soak the electrodes for extended periods of time.

4. Do not use a metal bowl, as this can cause a coating to form on the sensitive Ag/AgCl pellets of the electrodes.

5. Incorrect use of the electrodes, may result in breaking the sensitive Ag/AgCl pellets.

Contact the CSSERL lab manager, for questions and concerns.

NOTE: CSSERL electrode cleaning instructions are based on the BP protocol, but were modified (Nov 2016) to minimize towel use and back strain.