Blue-Coat Lab Closing Procedures

1) Every night, please make sure all specimens (with exception to joint and ligament specimens) are placed into the appropriately labeled clear tubs with a wet cloth covering them. Any additional cloths that are not needed for covering specimens within the tubs can be left out on the metal tables. Place the tub on the shelf in the cooler with its label displayed.

Please double check all UNIT TUBS are pulled out of the cooler to ensure that students have the opportunity to place the correct specimens within the correctly labeled tubs. Take note that the Upper and Lower Limb neurovasculature specimens are indicated by a wire wrapped around the wrist or big toe respectively. Please ensure that those specimens make it into their correct neurovasculature tub.

2) Leave all joint and ligament specimens that we have pulled in the long tray on the portable table for the entirety of the unit. They do not need to be put back into the cooler but the specimens do need to be covered with a wet cloth and the green plastic covering.

3) Plastinated cross-sections, cross-sections in plastic and cross-section photos can be left out for the entirety of the unit. When cleaning up the night before an exam, please place the plastinated cross-sections within their appropriate tub that is located on the shelves next to the door to the back room. Please place photos in numerical order and place within the appropriate folder within the appropriate tub. If any photos that are supposed to be there (labeled on the folder) are missing, please let Dr. Schaefer maureen.schaefer@rad.msu.edu know. Cross-sections that are within the plastic seal can be placed on the shelf with the other cross-sections within the cooler.