Resolving Air Gap Leak  
Repair Time: 5 Minutes

An Air Gap leak occurs when a blockage in the Brine Output Tube prevents rinse water from escaping to the sink drain. RO systems rinse away removed contaminants to the sink drain via a 3/8" tube. When a blockage occurs in the drain system, rinse water will back up and spill out of the Air Gap hole located below the fill lever of the RO faucet. Typical blockages result from either buildup of biofilm, or other debris (ie food) in the drain.

Repair Air Gap leak by removing debris lodged in the Drain Adapter and 3/8" Brine Output Tube.

Air Gap Leak Repair Procedure:

1) Remove Brine Tube (See “A”) from DLA-12 or Saddle Clamp type fitting.
2) Remove DLA adapter cup or Saddle Clamp elbow from sink drain pipe. (See “B”)
3) Clean out all clogging debris (See “C”) using a paper clip or other small tool.
4) Re-insert Brine Tube into fitting.