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Mark Sprenz, BSN’14, RN, is manager of global infrastructure development for Clinical Research Management, an organization that specializes in preclinical through phase IV support of clinical research and clinical trial services for biologics, drugs and devices.

Sprenz served in the United States Marine Corps for 21 years, completing two tours in Iraq and one in Afghanistan. After retiring from the Marine Corps, he was accepted into the Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program at Duke University School of Nursing. Upon graduating from the School in December 2014, he was hired by Clinical Research Management as part of its Ebola research efforts in West Africa.

He served as an in-country manager in Sierra Leone, where he worked with the University of Liverpool and with partners from the Duke Global Health Institute to implement the Convalescent Plasma Study. He also worked with the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine on an Ebola vaccine study.

In his current position with Clinical Research Management, Sprenz is working on the implementation of an antiviral therapy study in Liberia through a partnership with the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.