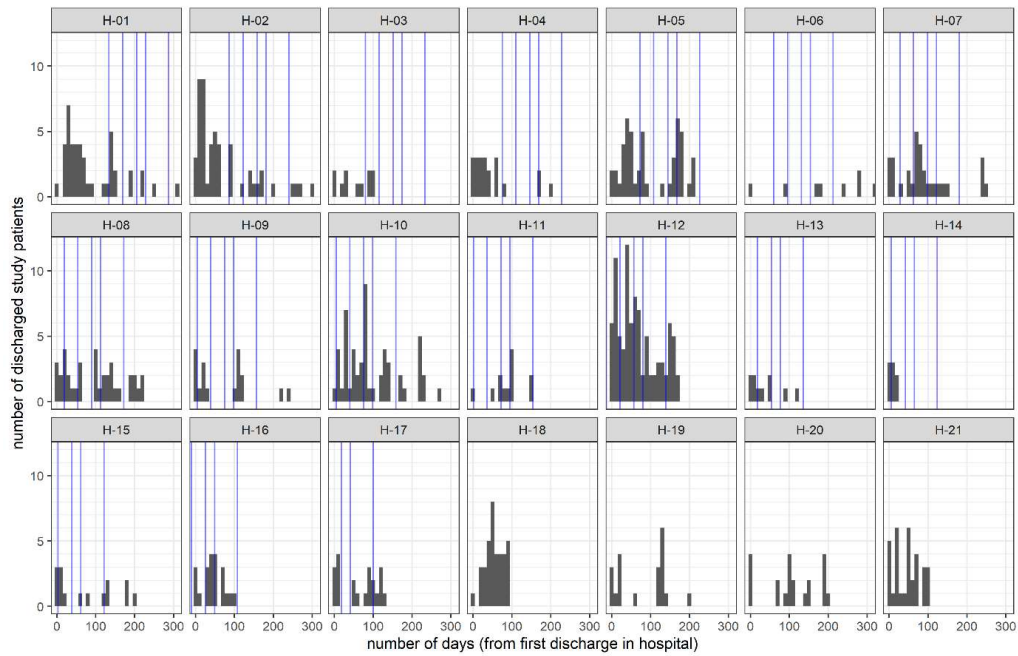


## Online supplementary appendix 3



**Numbers of discharged study participants (patients) over time, per hospital.** Time was adjusted to the date of the hospital's first study patient discharge. Blue vertical lines indicate dates of newsletter dispatch. Hospitals that started study activities later due to COVID-19 no longer received newsletters.