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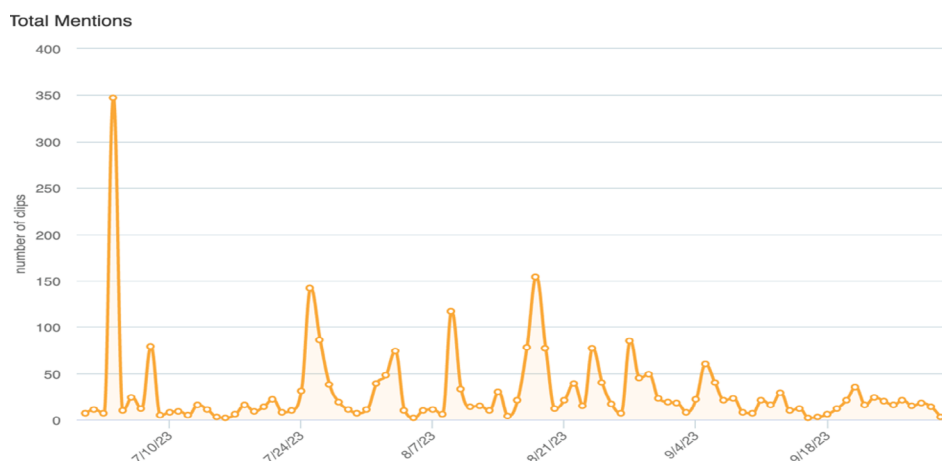
## July - September 2023

There were four notable spikes in media coverage this quarter, although an argument could be made that coverage was strong across the board for the three months encompassing July 1 – Sept. 30, 2023.

The arrival of our new Dean Dr. Megan L. Ranney and on-going coverage of atrocities in Ukraine and Sudan and COVID-19 drove a noticeable spike in YSPH media reports on July 4.

We also saw a spike in coverage on July 24-25 when Jason Schwartz and Jacob Wallace released a study showing Republican voters had a higher rate of excess deaths than Democrats following the launch of a vaccine for COVID-19 in 2021.

On Aug. 18, international media reports surged following a YSPH Humanitarian Research Lab report on the human toll of escalating violence in Sudan. On Aug. 9, Anne Hahn's insight was included in a widely circulated CNN story about the new COVID variant EG.5, and Leah Ferrucci and doctoral student Anlan Cao were quoted in a popular HealthDay report on the value of aerobic exercise for survivors of ovarian cancer.



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