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Outcome Number: 2.2 Paid Parental Leave

Question No: SQ15-000627

Topic: Paid Parental Leave

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Senator Moore, Claire asked:

Please provide the average income—their income and impacts, depending on whether it is partial.

Answer:

The estimated 45,000 women who are expected to receive a partial Paid Parental Leave (PPL) payment have median income of around \$43,000. This is exclusive of any the partner's income. The average employer-provided entitlement of this group and consequently their average loss in PPL is around \$4,300.