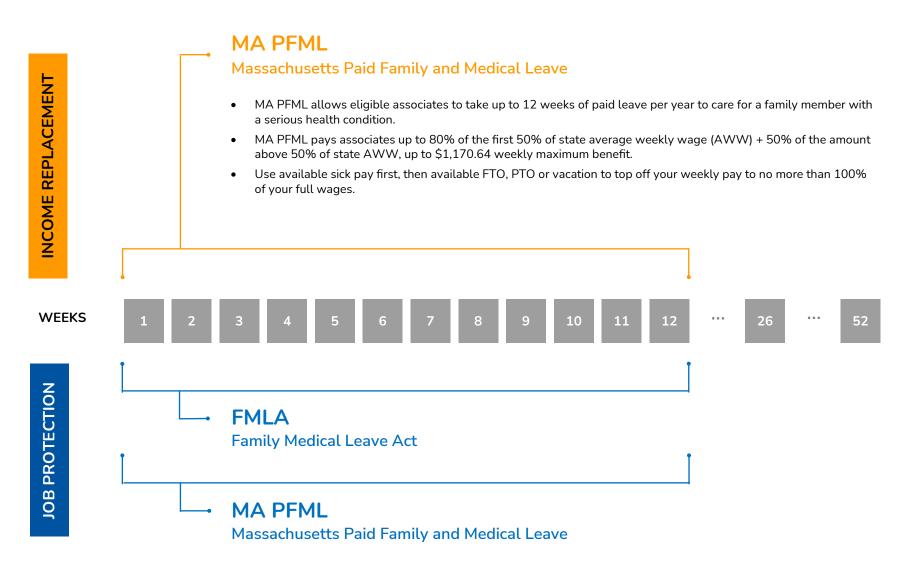
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An eligible associate can take up to twelve (12) weeks off from work to care for a seriously ill family member.

You may be eligible for job protection for up to 12 weeks under FMLA and MA PFML. This means you are protected against changes in pay, losing your benefits and retaliation.

While you are on an approved leave, your income may be replaced by MA PFML for up to 12 weeks. MA PFML pays up to 80% of the first 50% of state average weekly wage (AWW) + 50% of the amount above 50% of state AWW, up to \$1,170.64 weekly maximum benefit.

#### **ELIGIBILITY FOR INCOME REPLACEMENT**

#### **MA PFML**

# Massachusetts Paid Family and Medical Leave

To qualify for MA PFML benefits, you must:

- Take time off from work to care for a seriously ill family member.
- Be eligible. You become eligible for MA PFML after earning \$6,300 in wages for worked performed in Massachusetts during the previous 4 calendar quarters. In addition, you must have earned at least 30 times the benefit amount you are eligible to receive.

#### **ELIGIBILITY FOR JOB PROTECTION**

### **FMLA**

#### Family Medical Leave Act

• To be eligible for job protection, you must have worked for Albertsons Companies for at least 12 months and for at least 1,250 hours in the 12 months before your leave begins. FMLA runs concurrent with MA PFML.

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#### MORE INFORMATION

Visit the leave of absence portal on **myACI-benefits.com** for information on:

- Leaves of absence available to associates.
- How to apply for a leave of absence in myACI.
- How to apply for care of family member leave benefits through MA PFML.
- Contact information for MA PFML.