## **NYPFL Maternity Benefits**

NYPFL is available to NYC based employees. Must be based in NYC for at minimum 26 consecutive weeks (6.5months) immediately preceding first full day to receive benefits.

- 1. Must be taken within the first 12 months after child's birth or adoption
- 2. Can be taken intermittently or consecutive
- 3. May not be taken for pregnancy or prenatal conditions
- 4. Provides up to 12 weeks paid leave within any 52 consecutive week period.
- 5. Pay: 67% of the employee average weekly wage or of the state average weekly pay (whichever is less). No more than \$1068.36 nontaxable.
- 6. STD may not be used in conjunction
- 7. If you have received STD within the 52 weeks period, then you will not receive more than 26 weeks total of disability and PFL
- 8. May not be used with worker's comp
- 9. Administered by Metlife as well. Must be given a denial or payment within 18days of receiving your completed forms.
- 10. Must give 30-day notice if possible.
- 11. In addition to Metlife forms you will need to submit proof of birth. Can either be a birth certificate or if unavailable can submit doctor's letter with documentation of birth including mothers name and child's due date or birth date.
- 12. Claim form: https://department.jetnet.aa.com/HRMisc/eHR/state\_local/NY-PFL-claim-form.pdf