## State of Maternity Protection by Country

### Table: Maternity Protection by Country

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### Diagram: Maternity Protection by Country

- **Maternity Leave**
  - 6 months
  - 5 years
  - 6 years

- **Maternity Leave (days)**
  - 60 days

### Sources

1. [State of Maternity Protection](https://www.waba.org)
2. [International Labour Organization](http://www.ilo.org)
3. [United Nations](http://www.un.org)

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**Legend**
- Maternity Leave
- Maternity Leave (months)
- Maternity Leave (years)
- Maternity Leave (days)

**Notes**
- Maternity Leave is applicable to all countries.
- Maternity Leave (months) is applicable to countries with a population of 5 million or more.
- Maternity Leave (years) is applicable to countries with a population of 10 million or more.
- Maternity Leave (days) is applicable to all countries.

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**Image:**
- [Link to image](http://example.com/image)

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The State of Maternity Protection by Country chart summarizes the maternity protection laws in countries around the world. Maternity Protection laws vary widely, and the chart provides a comparison of the various laws in place in different countries. The chart includes data on the duration of maternity leave, as well as information on the payment of maternity leave and the provision of postnatal care.

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The chart also includes a table that provides a comparison of the various laws in place in different countries. The table includes data on the duration of maternity leave, as well as information on the payment of maternity leave and the provision of postnatal care. The table is divided into three sections: Maternity Leave, Other Leave, and Breastfeeding Breaks. Each section includes data on the duration of leave, the type of leave, and the payment of leave.

The chart and table are designed to provide a comprehensive overview of the various laws in place in different countries. The information provided in the chart can be used to identify the countries with the most generous maternity protection laws, as well as the countries with the least generous laws.

The chart and table are intended to be used as a tool for researchers, policymakers, and other stakeholders who are interested in understanding the state of maternity protection laws around the world. The chart and table are also intended to provide a basis for further research and discussion on this important issue.