The United States is the **only developed country in the world** that doesn’t guarantee the right to paid sick leave.

**Thirty-eight percent** of private-sector workers do not get a single paid sick day.

To date, **only 16 cities and three states** have passed paid sick leave laws.

Currently, nearly **40 million people** in the country don’t have access to paid sick leave.

Workers without paid sick leave are **1.5 times more likely to go to work sick** and contagious than those who have paid sick days.

People get sick. They should not be forced to **risk their job** and their livelihood due to something they can’t control. Providing paid sick leave will make every workplace **more healthy and productive**.

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