

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of West Virginia, circa 2000*

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Claude Worthington Benedum Foundation	PA	IN	\$6,998,648	93
2. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	1,320,401	6
3. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	1,255,600	2
4. Oberkotter Foundation	PA	IN	838,784	1
5. The Teagle Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	514,000	1
6. Verizon Foundation	NY	CS	275,645	13
7. Richard King Mellon Foundation	PA	IN	250,000	2
8. Massey Foundation	VA	IN	240,000	6
9. The Corella & Bertram Bonner Foundation, Inc.	NJ	OP	235,600	4
10. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	162,000	1
11. The Union Carbide Foundation, Inc.	CT	CS	161,500	9
12. Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation, Inc.	NC	IN	139,210	3
13. The Eberly Foundation	PA	IN	135,000	2
14. The Kresge Foundation	MI	IN	125,000	1
15. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	IN	105,000	1
16. Bayer Foundation	PA	CS	100,000	4
17. Elsa U. Pardee Foundation	MI	IN	100,000	1
18. John McShain Charities, Inc.	PA	IN	100,000	1
19. William Randolph Hearst Foundation	NY	IN	100,000	2
20. The F. B. Heron Foundation	NY	IN	90,000	1
21. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	83,620	4
22. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	75,000	2
23. The Pittsburgh Foundation	PA	CM	64,887	4
24. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	60,000	1
25. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	50,000	1
26. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	IN	50,000	1
27. The Cargill Foundation	MN	CS	50,000	1
28. The George I. Alden Trust	MA	IN	50,000	1
29. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	50,000	1
30. The Charlotte W. Newcombe Foundation	NJ	IN	40,000	1
31. Wal-Mart Foundation	AR	CS	40,000	2
32. The Chatlos Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	34,583	1
33. The Fluor Foundation	CA	CS	32,500	2
34. Norfolk Southern Foundation	VA	CS	32,200	2
35. Grable Foundation	PA	IN	30,000	1
36. Henry P. Crowell and Susan C. Crowell Trust	CO	IN	30,000	1
37. Louis and Anne Abrons Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	30,000	2
38. The Capital Group Companies Charitable Foundation	CA	IN	28,000	2
39. The Nathan Cummings Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	25,000	1
40. W. Alton Jones Foundation, Inc.	VA	IN	20,000	1
41. Scaife Family Foundation	PA	IN	16,000	1
42. Charles A. Frueauff Foundation, Inc.	AR	IN	15,000	1
43. Lutheran Brotherhood Foundation	MN	IN	11,070	1
44. Gannett Foundation, Inc.	VA	CS	11,000	1
45. Shell Oil Company Foundation	TX	CS	11,000	1
46. DaimlerChrysler Corporation Fund	MI	CS	10,000	1
47. Dow Chemical Company Foundation	MI	CS	10,000	1
48. F. M. Kirby Foundation, Inc.	NJ	IN	10,000	1
49. Northwestern Mutual Foundation	WI	CS	10,000	1
50. Park Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	10,000	1
Total			\$14,236,248	196

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,015 larger U.S. foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving). For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the state. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation.