

**Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the Boston, MA, Metropolitan Area, circa 2002\***

Foundation Name	State	Foundation Type <sup>1</sup>	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. F. W. Olin Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	\$50,648,028	1
2. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	43,234,640	61
3. Barr Foundation	MA	IN	37,590,612	202
4. Boston Foundation, Inc.	MA	CM	30,192,168	763
5. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	22,319,100	28
6. Rowland Foundation, Inc.	DE	IN	20,159,542	3
7. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	20,077,136	51
8. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	14,136,918	67
9. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	13,790,000	10
10. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	12,660,000	35
11. Avon Foundation, Inc.	NY	CS	12,097,910	4
12. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	11,826,293	17
13. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	11,637,202	46
14. Edward C. Johnson Fund	MA	IN	11,243,768	66
15. The Picower Foundation	FL	IN	10,325,000	4
16. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	9,895,576	15
17. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	8,469,000	22
18. Amelia Peabody Charitable Fund	MA	IN	7,847,900	112
19. Fidelity Foundation	MA	CS	7,599,289	83
20. Amelia Peabody Foundation	MA	IN	7,526,790	107
21. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	7,247,000	18
22. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	7,112,472	22
23. Carl and Ruth Shapiro Family Foundation	MA	IN	6,824,730	16
24. FleetBoston Financial Foundation	MA	CS	6,628,767	188
25. The Lemelson Foundation	NV	IN	6,396,323	4
26. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	IN	6,017,800	6
27. State Street Foundation	MA	CS	5,757,373	176
28. Stratford Foundation	MA	IN	5,632,667	60
29. C. D. Spangler Foundation, Inc.	NC	IN	5,510,000	3
30. The Hyams Foundation, Inc.	MA	IN	5,312,000	163
31. The Highland Street Connection	MA	IN	5,253,670	78
32. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	IN	4,970,000	6
33. The Stoddard Charitable Trust	MA	IN	4,685,000	47
34. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	4,663,997	48
35. The Shoreland Foundation	NY	IN	4,602,615	1
36. The Paul and Phyllis Fireman Charitable Foundation	FL	IN	4,566,733	31
37. The Flatley Foundation	MA	IN	4,562,145	29
38. The Freeman Foundation	NY	IN	4,550,045	14
39. Dyson Foundation	NY	IN	4,474,500	4
40. L. G. Balfour Foundation	MA	IN	4,474,000	72
41. The Kresge Foundation	MI	IN	4,425,000	7
42. The Commonwealth Fund	NY	IN	4,387,298	20
43. The Wallace Foundation	NY	IN	4,366,000	8
44. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	IN	4,335,500	8
45. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	CS	4,218,750	18
46. The Ellison Foundation	MA	IN	4,020,000	33
47. The J. P. Morgan Chase Foundation	NY	CS	3,865,000	11
48. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	IN	3,832,841	26
49. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	3,813,000	8
50. The Ellison Medical Foundation	MD	IN	3,705,268	23
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$513,487,366</b>	<b>2,845</b>

Source: The Foundation Center.

\*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,005 U.S. larger private and community 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 metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

<sup>1</sup>IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation.