

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of Connecticut, circa 2005

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	\$78,371,541	5
2. Hartford Foundation for Public Giving	CT	CM	18,921,282	378
3. The Susan Thompson Buffett Foundation	NE	IN	10,476,752	3
4. Freeman Foundation	NY	IN	8,521,000	5
5. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	4,994,300	7
6. Union Pacific Foundation	NE	CS	4,383,329	13
7. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	4,329,000	12
8. The Community Foundation for Greater New Haven	CT	CM	4,294,998	122
9. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	4,059,824	8
10. ExxonMobil Foundation	TX	CS	3,700,000	3
11. WEM Foundation	MN	IN	3,600,000	2
12. The Melville Charitable Trust	MA	IN	3,503,746	26
13. The Patrick and Catherine Weldon Donaghue Medical Research Foundation	CT	IN	3,446,942	26
14. The Carmel Hill Fund	NY	IN	3,376,100	2
15. The New York Community Trust	NY	CM	3,193,356	70
16. The Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation	AR	IN	2,916,190	1
17. Connecticut Health Foundation, Inc.	CT	IN	2,879,555	46
18. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	IN	2,500,000	1
19. The Jean and David W. Wallace Foundation, Inc.	CT	IN	2,330,000	11
20. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	2,253,050	9
21. Lincoln Financial Group Foundation	IN	OP	2,233,974	57
22. Smith Richardson Foundation, Inc.	CT	IN	2,125,615	16
23. Sarofim Foundation	TX	IN	2,000,000	1
24. Citigroup Foundation	NY	CS	1,861,000	23
25. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	1,860,000	9
26. The Smart Family Foundation	CT	IN	1,833,944	13
27. GE Foundation	CT	CS	1,803,044	22
28. The Kresge Foundation	MI	IN	1,700,000	5
29. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	1,601,008	22
30. Steven A. and Alexandra M. Cohen Foundation	CT	IN	1,508,203	17
31. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	1,360,000	7
32. Henry R. Kravis Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	1,275,000	2
33. The Wallace Foundation	NY	IN	1,200,000	2
34. The Pfizer Foundation, Inc.	NY	CS	1,175,000	3
35. Chartwell Charitable Foundation	CA	IN	1,100,000	2
36. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	1,074,718	4
37. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	1,046,644	5
38. Boehringer Ingelheim Cares Foundation, Inc.	CT	OP	1,015,944	18
39. The Cleveland Foundation	OH	CM	1,010,000	2
40. The Pioneer Fund	CO	IN	1,000,000	1
41. The Flatley Foundation	MA	IN	1,000,000	1
42. J. Aron Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	1,000,000	1
43. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	906,000	5
44. AT&T Foundation	TX	CS	756,738	18
45. MetLife Foundation	NY	CS	751,000	12
46. The Simons Foundation	NY	IN	702,532	4
47. The Arthur Vining Davis Foundations	FL	IN	700,000	4
48. Whitehall Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	674,000	3
49. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	660,000	8
50. The Shubert Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	660,000	8
Total			\$209,645,329	1,045

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007. Due to rounding, figures may not add up. Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,154 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.

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

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