

**Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Medical Research, circa 2003\***

<b>Foundation Name</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Dollar Amount</b>	<b>No. of Grants</b>
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	\$235,764,355	11
2. Donald W. Reynolds Foundation	NV	54,513,104	7
3. The Starr Foundation	NY	31,810,000	13
4. The Whitaker Foundation	VA	25,413,415	112
5. The Dana Foundation	NY	18,866,866	41
6. Burroughs Wellcome Fund	NC	17,935,462	45
7. Avon Foundation	NY	17,018,443	16
8. Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	CA	15,032,532	1
9. The Flinn Foundation	AZ	15,025,000	2
10. The Abramson Family Foundation	FL	13,667,023	9
11. The Sidney Kimmel Foundation	PA	13,430,732	6
12. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	12,150,000	17
13. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	10,999,305	16
14. The Picower Foundation	FL	10,010,000	2
15. G. Harold & Leila Y. Mathers Charitable Foundation	NY	9,252,051	43
16. The William K. Warren Foundation	OK	9,085,000	3
17. Wallace H. Coulter Foundation	FL	8,950,000	2
18. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	7,791,677	28
19. Albert and Margaret Alkek Foundation	TX	7,515,500	5
20. The Jon and Karen Huntsman Foundation	UT	7,508,000	2
21. The John A. Hartford Foundation, Inc.	NY	7,226,377	9
22. Dr. Ralph and Marian Falk Medical Research Trust	IL	6,730,942	14
23. The Carl J. Herzog Foundation, Inc.	CT	6,660,000	10
24. The Ellison Medical Foundation	MD	5,756,957	24
25. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	5,452,845	24
26. The Cullen Foundation	TX	5,450,000	7
27. Robert J. Kleberg, Jr. and Helen C. Kleberg Foundation	TX	5,241,568	13
28. O'Donnell Foundation	TX	5,115,000	2
29. Institute for the Study of Aging, Inc.	NY	4,485,822	46
30. Davee Foundation	IL	4,300,000	2
31. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	4,195,000	2
32. The Robert A. Welch Foundation	TX	4,180,000	22
33. Robertson Foundation	NY	4,110,000	7
34. The New York Community Trust	NY	4,051,000	54
35. Oberkottter Foundation	PA	4,025,000	16
36. Robert W. Woodruff Foundation, Inc.	GA	4,000,000	1
37. Irene Diamond Fund	NY	3,913,048	6
38. Peninsula Community Foundation	CA	3,675,000	26
39. Arnold and Mabel Beckman Foundation	CA	3,637,225	3
40. The Dallas Foundation	TX	3,573,000	3
41. Perot Foundation	TX	3,345,777	11
42. F. M. Kirby Foundation, Inc.	NJ	3,340,000	26
43. Whitehall Foundation, Inc.	FL	3,312,000	17
44. The Kohlberg Foundation, Inc.	NY	3,128,000	5
45. The Case Foundation	DC	3,000,000	1
46. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	2,992,000	8
47. The Milken Family Foundation	CA	2,945,000	1
48. Elsa U. Pardee Foundation	MI	2,902,306	32
49. The Carson Family Charitable Trust	NY	2,835,000	6
50. Wayne & Gladys Valley Foundation	CA	2,792,061	8
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$668,109,393</b>	<b>787</b>

Source: The Foundation Center.

\*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,010 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 all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.