

Distribution of Grants by Field-Specific Recipient Type, circa 1999*

Recipient Type	Dollar Value of Grants 1999		No. of Grants 1999	
	Amount	%	No.	%
Animal/Wildlife Agencies	\$112,975	1.0	1,176	1.1
Arts/Humanities Organizations	407,450	3.5	4,035	3.7
Churches/Temples	252,800	2.2	4,118	3.8
Civil Rights Groups	152,979	1.3	1,775	1.6
Community Improvement Organizations	590,339	5.1	5,484	5.1
Disease-Specific Health Associations	100,118	0.9	1,744	1.6
Educational Institutions	4,070,185	35.2	28,452	26.3
Colleges & Universities	2,111,457	18.2	13,108	12.1
Educational Support Agencies	970,740	8.4	6,763	6.3
Graduate Schools	326,282	2.8	1,309	1.2
Junior/Community Colleges	53,049	0.5	414	0.4
Libraries	95,011	0.8	706	0.7
Schools	513,646	4.4	6,152	5.7
Environmental Agencies	442,149	3.8	4,139	3.8
Federated Funds	314,636	2.7	2,908	2.7
Hospitals/Medical Care Facilities	622,982	5.4	4,162	3.8
Human Service Agencies	1,318,432	11.4	20,787	19.2
International Organizations	301,629	2.6	2,510	2.3
Media Organizations	174,607	1.5	1,480	1.4
Medical Research Organizations	114,118	1.0	589	0.5
Mental Health Agencies/Hospitals	155,248	1.3	1,535	1.4
Museums/Historical Societies	591,213	5.1	4,578	4.2
Performing Arts Groups	312,248	2.7	5,029	4.6
Philanthropy Organizations	131,307	1.1	1,194	1.1
Public Administration Agencies	358,794	3.1	3,228	3.0
Public/General Health Organizations	398,291	3.4	2,481	2.3
Recreation Organizations	116,227	1.0	1,475	1.4
Science Organizations	163,528	1.4	811	0.7
Social Science Organizations	140,063	1.2	899	0.8
Youth Development Organizations	227,543	2.0	3,469	3.2
Unspecified	4,323	0.0	111	0.1
Total	\$11,574,183	100.0	108,169	100.0

Source: *Foundation Giving Trends* (2001), The Foundation Center. All dollar figures expressed in thousands; due to rounding, figures may not add up.

*Based on a national sample of 1,016 U.S. larger foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file.