

**Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for the Economically Disadvantaged, circa 1999\***

<b>Recipient Organization</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Dollar Amount</b>	<b>No. of Grants</b>
1. Self-Help Ventures Fund	NC	\$44,800,000	2
2. Center for Health Care Strategies	NJ	26,197,460	2
3. Family Housing Fund of Minneapolis and Saint Paul	MN	25,180,000	7
4. Operation Blessing International Relief and Development Corporation (OBI)	VA	21,512,591	1
5. Detroit Youth Foundation	MI	21,480,000	1
6. Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)	NY	16,121,982	110
7. Population Council	NY	11,899,111	25
8. Rural Community Assistance Corporation	CA	11,085,000	3
9. Urban Institute	DC	10,982,258	21
10. Manpower Demonstration Research Corporation	NY	10,786,054	29
11. Childrens Hospital Association	CO	10,000,000	1
12. Corporation for Supportive Housing	IL	9,247,408	25
13. Public/Private Ventures	PA	9,149,443	22
14. Task Force for Child Survival and Development	GA	9,042,004	2
15. Childrens Defense Fund	DC	7,992,880	22
16. Enterprise Foundation	MD	7,231,106	48
17. California Health Collaborative Foundation	CA	7,197,019	1
18. Habitat for Humanity International	NY	7,165,673	67
19. Corporation for Enterprise Development (CFED)	DC	6,393,823	20
20. Project GRAD	TX	6,305,000	10
21. Structured Employment Economic Development Corporation (SEEDCO)	NY	5,955,300	4
22. Childrens Scholarship Fund	NY	5,825,500	8
23. Columbia University	NY	5,808,452	30
24. United Way of Central Indiana	IN	5,762,000	5
25. Community Shelter Board	OH	5,724,700	14
26. Indianapolis Neighborhood Housing Partnership	IN	5,636,000	3
27. Focus: Hope	MI	5,534,092	16
28. Pennsylvania Horticultural Society	PA	5,500,000	2
29. Salvation Army of Atlanta	GA	5,369,650	5
30. Center on Budget and Policy Priorities	DC	5,354,360	16
31. Center for Community Change	NY	5,065,000	39
32. Interfaith Education Fund	TX	5,027,500	16
33. NYU Downtown Hospital	NY	5,015,000	2
34. Shade Tree	NV	5,000,000	1
35. Mott Community College	MI	4,925,300	1
36. University of California	CA	4,668,611	24
37. National Center for Strategic Nonprofit Planning and Community Leadership	DC	4,640,000	6
38. YouthBuild USA	MA	4,378,863	11
39. Partners Advancing Values in Education (PAVE)	WI	4,120,000	9
40. Neighborhood Centers	TX	4,025,000	2
41. Salvation Army	MN	4,010,500	20
42. Inner-City Scholarship Fund	NY	4,009,538	31
43. Childrens Educational Opportunity Foundation (CEO America)	AR	3,953,143	5
44. Northwestern University	IL	3,842,790	8
45. University of Washington	WA	3,776,198	13
46. Urban League, National	NY	3,775,000	5
47. National Immigrant Legal Support Center	CA	3,729,700	6
48. Save the Children Federation	CT	3,581,280	22
49. University of Maryland	MD	3,340,240	3
50. Brennan Center for Justice	NY	3,215,000	11
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$420,337,529</b>	<b>757</b>

Source: The Foundation Center.

\*Based on a national sample of 1,016 U.S. larger private and community 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. Grants may benefit multiple population groups, e.g., a grant for homeless children, and therefore may be counted in more than one population group table. In addition, while the full value of the grant is counted, in practice only a portion of some grants benefit the specified population group(s).