

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for the Economically Disadvantaged, circa 2000*

Recipient Organization	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Washington Education Foundation	WA	\$108,900,000	1
2. Save the Children Federation	CT	59,043,398	38
3. United States Committee for UNFPA	NY	57,046,270	5
4. Harvard University	MA	52,210,836	27
5. African Comprehensive HIV/AIDS Partnerships	DE	50,000,000	1
6. American Friends of the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	DC	40,000,000	1
7. Greater Minnesota Housing Fund	MN	32,560,000	4
8. Management Sciences for Health	MA	29,957,826	1
9. Childrens Scholarship Fund	NY	28,865,000	24
10. World Bank	DC	28,500,000	1
11. International Trachoma Initiative	NY	25,050,000	3
12. Global Alliance for TB Drug Development	NY	25,000,000	1
13. Goodwill Industries of Central Indiana	IN	25,000,000	1
14. Medicines for Malaria Venture	Switzerland	25,000,000	1
15. Johns Hopkins University	MD	22,468,592	13
16. World Health Organization	Switzerland	21,874,600	5
17. Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)	MI	19,678,479	145
18. University of North Carolina	NC	19,126,417	16
19. Public Health Institute	CA	17,330,336	5
20. United States Committee for UNICEF	DC	16,432,225	10
21. Urban Institute	DC	16,080,734	11
22. Population Council	NY	15,498,396	27
23. Americas Second Harvest	IL	14,070,000	24
24. Columbia University	NY	13,386,798	31
25. Center for Community Change	DC	11,068,550	41
26. Manpower Demonstration Research Corporation	NY	10,890,526	32
27. University of California	CA	9,692,669	34
28. Project GRAD	NJ	9,022,401	17
29. Communities in Schools	VA	8,974,925	39
30. University of Pretoria	South Africa	8,400,000	1
31. Focus: Hope	MI	8,374,616	18
32. Global Health Council	VT	8,116,012	3
33. Public/Private Ventures	PA	7,710,615	25
34. New York, State of	NY	7,603,773	1
35. Enterprise Foundation	MD	7,531,621	62
36. Health Systems Trust	South Africa	7,527,700	2
37. National Health Law Program	CA	7,515,000	7
38. Biblioteca Nacional de Chile	Chile	7,387,000	1
39. Salvation Army of Atlanta	GA	7,339,650	14
40. Academy for Educational Development	DC	7,145,804	6
41. Texas, State of	TX	7,108,836	1
42. Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF)	CA	7,055,000	3
43. NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund	NY	6,425,000	1
44. Youth Services of Tulsa County	OK	6,342,691	1
45. Indianapolis Neighborhood Housing Partnership	IN	6,327,940	4
46. California Health Foundation and Trust	CA	6,106,600	2
47. Corporation for Enterprise Development (CFED)	DC	6,080,400	23
48. Community Shelter Board	OH	5,939,820	16
49. Public Education Network (PEN)	DC	5,897,648	12
50. North Carolina, State of	NC	5,801,080	1
Total		\$960,465,784	763

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,015 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. 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).