

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for Immigrants and Refugees, circa 2002*

Recipient Organization	State/Country	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. International Rescue Committee	NY	\$5,043,400	51
2. Southeast Asian Ministry	MN	3,858,752	1
3. National Immigration Law Center	CA	3,290,000	9
4. Lawyers Committee for Human Rights	NY	2,875,350	21
5. RAND Corporation	CA	2,198,660	2
6. Migration Policy Institute	DC	1,950,000	6
7. Catholic Relief Services	MD	1,630,059	11
8. Oxford University	England	1,600,000	3
9. National Immigration Forum	DC	1,570,000	4
10. Return-United Fund for the Education of Russian Immigrant Children in Israel	NY	1,525,000	2
11. Asian Pacific American Legal Center of Southern California	CA	1,448,000	14
12. University of California	CA	1,414,009	7
13. Mazon-A Jewish Response to Hunger	CA	1,400,000	1
14. New York Immigration Coalition	NY	1,236,500	10
15. National Asian Pacific American Legal Consortium	DC	1,180,000	11
16. Friends of Yemin Orde	DC	1,144,000	4
17. Immigrant Legal Resource Center	CA	1,132,000	8
18. Public Interest Projects	NY	1,035,000	2
19. Hmong American Partnership	MN	1,015,000	9
20. Tomas Rivera Policy Institute	CA	1,010,610	1
21. Project Concern International	CA	1,000,000	1
22. University of Minnesota	MN	1,000,000	1
23. KCET Community Television of Southern California	CA	990,000	1
24. Heartland Alliance for Human Needs and Human Rights	IL	896,700	16
25. United Way of Greater Portland	ME	873,892	1
26. Union of Pan Asian Communities	CA	851,642	4
27. Harvard University	MA	828,500	6
28. American Friends Service Committee	NJ	823,000	2
29. Refugees International	DC	770,280	7
30. Epidavros Project	NY	750,000	2
31. Queen Margaret University College	Scotland	750,000	1
32. Texas A & M University System	TX	747,078	1
33. Lower East Side Tenement Museum	NY	718,000	12
34. Tufts University	MA	700,000	2
35. Sacramento Valley Organizing Community	CA	690,000	2
36. International Institute of San Francisco	CA	681,656	5
37. Asian Americans for Equality	NY	661,000	9
38. Keren Hayasod	NY	650,000	1
39. Radio Bilingue	CA	625,500	2
40. San Rafael Canal Ministry of the Episcopal Church	CA	625,455	7
41. New Israel Fund	DC	606,000	4
42. Renaissance Economic Development Corporation	NY	575,000	4
43. Local Initiative Health Authority for Los Angeles County	CA	528,523	1
44. University of Texas	TX	504,500	4
45. Golden Valley Health Centers	CA	492,600	1
46. Center for Immigration Studies	DC	490,000	5
47. Scripps Foundation for Medicine and Science	CA	489,351	1
48. Lao Family Community of Stockton	CA	487,966	3
49. New York University	NY	486,040	3
50. Barnard College	NY	480,000	1
Total		\$58,329,023	287

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,005 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. Figures represent only grants awarded to groups that could be identified as serving specific populations or grants whose descriptions specified a benefit for a specific population. These figures do not reflect all giving benefiting these groups. 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).

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