Supporting people with disabilities to enjoy the same rights as other members of the population. This includes but is not limited to rights to life, inclusive education, equal employment, political participation, and access to justice. It also includes ensuring access to rights through recognition of legal capacity (and supported decision making, when needed), reasonable accommodation and accessibility measures, and awareness-raising, among others.

**OVERVIEW**

- **37%** Individual Integrity, Liberty, and Security
- **22%** Human Rights-General
- **16%** Health and Wellbeing Rights
- **12%** Social and Cultural Rights
- **5%** Access to Justice/Equality Before the Law
- **4%** Labor Rights
- **4%** Other Rights

**REGIONAL FOCUS**

- **North America**
- **Eastern Europe, Caucasus, & Russia**
- **Western Europe**
- **Sub-Saharan Africa**
- **Latin America**
- **Asia & Pacific**
- **North Africa & Middle East**
- **Caribbean**

**TOP FUNDERS**

1. Open Society Foundations ........................................... $8.9 MILLION (M)
2. Disability Rights Fund ................................................. $2.7 M
3. Trust for London .......................................................... $1.7 M
4. American Jewish World Service-Donor Advised Funds ........ $1.7 M
5. Melville Charitable Trust .............................................. $1.5 M
6. Atlantic Philanthropies ............................................... $1.4 M
7. Susan Thompson Buffett Foundation ................................ $1.3 M
8. GE Foundation ............................................................ $1.3 M
9. William Penn Foundation ............................................ $1.1 M
10. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation ............... $1.1 M
11. Abilis Foundation ....................................................... $1.1 M
12. W.K. Kellogg Foundation .............................................. $784 THOUSAND (T)
13. American Jewish World Service ..................................... $757 T
14. Sigrid Rausing Trust ................................................... $703 T
15. Ford Foundation .......................................................... $640 T
16. California Endowment ................................................. $596 T
17. Vanguard Charitable Endowment Program ..................... $588 T
18. Oak Foundation .......................................................... $474 T
19. Public Welfare Foundation ........................................... $355 T
20. Northern Rock Foundation ............................................ $336 T

1. Includes human rights categories accounting for less than 4 percent of grant dollars.
2. Regional Focus includes grants going directly to recipients in the region specified and to recipients located in other regions for activities focused on the region specified.
### ASIA & PACIFIC

**Sample Grants**

Abilis Foundation gave to Pakistan Association for Disabled Persons in Pakistan for a rights awareness campaign about the social inclusion of women with disabilities at domestic and community levels in marginalized rural areas.

Oak Foundation gave to Nirmaya in India to continue providing small grants and capacity-building programs to underprivileged women and communities, including Dalit, Adivasi, and Muslim women, commercial sex workers, women with disabilities, and urban slum women.

### CARIBBEAN

**Sample Grants**

Global Fund for Women gave to Circulo de Mujeres con Discapacidad in the Dominican Republic for general support.

Open Society Foundations gave to Red Latinoamericana de Organizaciones No Gubernamentales de Personas con Discapacidad y sus Familias in Brazil to promote the understanding and practical use of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities through seminar workshops in Latin America and the Caribbean.

### EASTERN EUROPE, CENTRAL ASIA, & RUSSIA

**Sample Grants**

Disability Rights Fund gave to National Assembly of Persons with Disabilities of Ukraine in Ukraine for general support.

Global Fund for Children gave to Association of Deaf-Blind Children and Youth with Multiple Disabilities in Moldova for basic educational support and social inclusion for disabled children, training for teachers to promote inclusion of children in the classroom, and a program focusing on the integration of children with multiple disabilities into Chisinau’s educational institutions.

### LATIN AMERICA & MEXICO

**Sample Grants**

American Jewish World Service gave to Mujeres que Inspiramos Cambios in Peru to empower women with disabilities by increasing their incomes and participation in their communities to promote and exercise their rights.

Open Society Foundations gave to Asociación Colombiana Síndrome de Down in Colombia to ensure that people with intellectual disabilities and their families acquire the necessary skills and understanding of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities to participate in efforts around its implementation.
NORTH AFRICA & MIDDLE EAST

12 FOUNDATIONS (≥5) 1.3M GRANT DOLLARS (£ >500T) 12 RECIPIENTS (≥10)

SAMPLE GRANTS
Arab Human Rights Fund gave to Association Marocaine des Déficients Mentaux in Morocco and the Western Sahara to promote the rights of disabled Moroccans through monitoring the implementation of the International Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.

Jewish and Hilda Blaustein Foundation gave to Bizchut, the Israel Human Rights Center for People with Disabilities to advocate for the recognition and implementation of their rights in the women’s movement, the disability movement, and society at large.

NORTH AMERICA

104 FOUNDATIONS (≥5) 16M GRANT DOLLARS (£ >500T) 103 RECIPIENTS (≥10)

TOP FUNDERs FOR THE REGION
1 Sigrid Rausing Trust .......................... $464 T
2 Open Society Foundations .................. $225 T
3 Ford Foundation ............................. $170 T
4 U.S. Institute of Peace ......................... $140 T
5 Etappe—The Emerging Markets Foundation .................. $80 T

T = Thousand

ISSUE FOCUS

Grant

Dollars

Individual Integrity, Liberty, and Security 54%
Human Rights-General 44%
Other Rights 2%

SAMPLE GRANTS
New York Foundation gave to Rights for Imprisoned People with Psychiatric Disabilities in the USA to support its work to demand justice for imprisoned people with psychiatric disabilities.

Horizons Foundation gave to Fabled ASP in the USA to support disabled lesbian storytelling and engagement with media.

SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA

17 FOUNDATIONS (≥5) 3.0M GRANT DOLLARS (£ >500T) 89 RECIPIENTS (≥10)

TOP FUNDERs FOR THE REGION
1 Open Society Foundations .................. $3.4 M
2 American Jewish World Service—Donor Advised Funds .................. $785 T
3 Disability Rights Fund ......................... $519 T
4 Abdulis Foundation ......................... $491 T
5 Trust Fund for Victims, International Criminal Court .................. $261 T

M = Million and T = Thousand

ISSUE FOCUS

Grant

Dollars

Human Rights—General 39%
Individual Integrity, Liberty, and Security 28%
Access to Justice/Equality Before the Law 18%
Other Rights 11%
Social and Cultural Rights 8%

SAMPLE GRANTS
Astraea Lesbian Foundation for Justice gave to Gay and Lesbian Memory in Action in South Africa to carry out a self-advocacy “PhotoVoice” project by and for hearing-impaired lesbian and bisexual women, in preparation for the World Federation for the Deaf Congress in Durban.

Mama Cash gave to Centre Sembana Mijoro in Madagascar for creating a federation of organizations of women with disabilities in all six provinces to better advocate for the recognition and implementation of their rights in the women’s movement, the disability movement, and society at large.

WESTERN EUROPE

15 FOUNDATIONS (≥5) 8.5M GRANT DOLLARS (£ >500T) 44 RECIPIENTS (≥10)

TOP FUNDERs FOR THE REGION
1 Trust for London ............................. $1.7 M
2 Atlantic Philanthropies ...................... $1.4 M
3 Open Society Foundations .................. $924 T
4 Northern Rock Foundation .................. $336 T
5 American Jewish World Service—Donor Advised Funds .................. $200 T

M = Million and T = Thousand

ISSUE FOCUS

Grant

Dollars

Human Rights—General 44%
Individual Integrity, Liberty, and Security 33%
Labor Rights 14%
Health and Wellbeing Rights 6%
Other Rights 3%

SAMPLE GRANTS
Northern Rock Foundation gave to Better Days in the United Kingdom for a group of people with learning disabilities to continue their work about hate crimes.

Atlantic Philanthropies gave to Genio in Ireland to improve the access and quality of services for people with disabilities by promoting a person-centered approach to the design, delivery, and funding of services.