

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the MSA of Chicago, IL, circa 1998*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Northwestern University	Evanston	IL	\$42,989,723	100
2. University of Chicago	Chicago	IL	24,268,075	133
3. Illinois Institute of Technology	Chicago	IL	17,482,605	19
4. Chicago Annenberg Challenge	Chicago	IL	10,615,000	2
5. National Merit Scholarship Corporation	Evanston	IL	8,920,222	54
6. Rush-Presbyterian-Saint Lukes Medical Center	Chicago	IL	4,552,071	26
7. University of Illinois at Chicago	Chicago	IL	4,538,926	35
8. United Way/Crusade of Mercy	Chicago	IL	4,330,048	38
9. Cantigny Foundation	Chicago	IL	4,184,536	4
10. Chicago Symphony Orchestra	Chicago	IL	3,967,500	34
11. De Paul University	Chicago	IL	3,277,052	25
12. Chicago Symphony and Lyric Opera Facilities Fund	Chicago	IL	3,100,000	6
13. Stenning on Lake Geneva Conservancy Society	Chicago	IL	2,750,000	1
14. Field Museum of Natural History	Chicago	IL	2,643,919	20
15. Chicago Academy of Sciences	Chicago	IL	2,305,000	13
16. Alzheimers Disease and Related Disorders Association	Chicago	IL	2,275,000	16
17. Art Institute of Chicago	Chicago	IL	2,108,600	36
18. American Medical Association	Chicago	IL	2,089,545	7
19. Commercial Club Foundation	Chicago	IL	1,945,000	12
20. YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago	Chicago	IL	1,761,509	19
21. Environmental Law and Policy Center of the Midwest	Chicago	IL	1,735,000	10
22. Big Shoulders Fund	Chicago	IL	1,721,833	18
23. Institute for Diversity in Health Management	Chicago	IL	1,672,500	1
24. Northwestern Memorial Hospital	Chicago	IL	1,658,500	14
25. Council for Adult and Experiential Learning	Chicago	IL	1,635,000	6
26. Chicago Theological Seminary	Chicago	IL	1,632,540	4
27. Museum of Science and Industry	Chicago	IL	1,580,500	16
28. Lyric Opera of Chicago	Chicago	IL	1,567,857	25
29. YMCA of the U.S.A.	Chicago	IL	1,540,000	1
30. JFMC Facilities Corporation	Chicago	IL	1,500,000	1
31. Northern Baptist Theological Seminary	Lombard	IL	1,500,000	1
32. Seabury-Western Theological Seminary	Evanston	IL	1,490,511	1
33. Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary	Evanston	IL	1,476,427	3
34. United Way of Chicago	Chicago	IL	1,413,500	6
35. Moody Bible Institute	Chicago	IL	1,413,000	4
36. Donors Forum of Chicago	Chicago	IL	1,406,019	14
37. Community Renewal Society	Chicago	IL	1,374,400	18
38. Metropolitan Planning Council	Chicago	IL	1,365,000	9
39. CenterPoint Institute	New Lenox	IL	1,329,532	1
40. Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago	Chicago	IL	1,285,000	15
41. Evangelical Lutheran Church in America	Chicago	IL	1,218,800	17
42. Loyola University Medical Center	Maywood	IL	1,200,606	4
43. W T T W Chicago Public Television	Chicago	IL	1,149,000	13
44. Ravinia Festival Association	Highland Park	IL	1,125,000	20
45. Cantigny First Division Foundation	Chicago	IL	1,113,678	1
46. National Center on Poverty Law	Chicago	IL	1,096,450	9
47. Illinois Saint Andrew Society of the Scottish Old Peoples Home	North Riverside	IL	1,085,000	4
48. Hubbard Street Dance Company	Chicago	IL	1,070,000	15
49. Erikson Institute	Chicago	IL	1,067,000	12
50. Center for Neighborhood Technology	Chicago	IL	1,060,118	13
Total			\$191,587,102	876

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,009 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 by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).