

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Michigan, circa 1998*

Recipient Organization	State	Total Dollars	
		Awarded	No. of Grants
1. University of Michigan	MI	\$44,009,881	168
2. Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute	MI	11,126,520	6
3. Michigan State University	MI	10,216,782	62
4. Van Andel Education Institute	MI	8,085,800	3
5. Henry Ford Health System	MI	7,763,118	12
6. Western Michigan University	MI	6,418,874	13
7. Heritage Center Foundation	MI	5,923,535	2
8. National Board for Professional Teaching Standards	MI	5,562,000	5
9. United Way Community Services	MI	4,592,944	39
10. Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall	MI	4,460,595	16
11. Aquinas College	MI	3,859,750	4
12. Christian Family Foundation	MI	3,000,000	1
13. National Center for Community Education	MI	2,745,224	2
14. Butterworth Foundation	MI	2,316,779	4
15. Flint Community Schools	MI	2,308,175	4
16. United Way, Heart of West Michigan	MI	2,294,125	12
17. Armenian General Benevolent Union	MI	2,280,500	2
18. Newaygo County General Hospital Association	MI	2,172,469	3
19. University of Detroit Mercy	MI	2,090,828	14
20. Calvin College	MI	2,064,785	10
21. Wayne State University	MI	2,050,590	40
22. Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village	MI	2,000,000	1
23. Irving S. Gilmore International Keyboard Festival	MI	1,895,000	2
24. YMCA, Battle Creek Center	MI	1,794,500	4
25. Ingham County Health Department	MI	1,793,580	1
26. Flint Cultural Center Corporation	MI	1,722,520	7
27. Kalamazoo College	MI	1,537,943	9
28. Detroit Institute of Arts	MI	1,534,000	4
29. DOWNTOWN Tomorrow	MI	1,500,000	1
30. Sacred Heart Seminary College	MI	1,481,300	2
31. American Red Cross	MI	1,446,940	20
32. Northwood University	MI	1,438,789	11
33. Mackinac Center for Public Policy	MI	1,375,000	14
34. Newaygo County Community Services	MI	1,365,020	5
35. YMCA Camping and Retreat Services of Battle Creek and Kalamazoo	MI	1,350,000	6
36. Kalamazoo Regional Educational Service Agency (K/RESA)	MI	1,310,000	2
37. Spiritus Sanctus Academy	MI	1,282,752	11
38. Salvation Army of Grand Rapids	MI	1,270,000	5
39. Council of Michigan Foundations	MI	1,230,461	15
40. Grand Valley University Foundation	MI	1,225,000	2
41. Gospel Films	MI	1,210,000	4
42. Excellence in Education	MI	1,200,000	1
43. West Michigan Horticultural Society	MI	1,200,000	2
44. Detroit Institute of Arts, Founders Society	MI	1,162,623	7
45. Cornerstone Alliance	MI	1,136,162	2
46. Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)	MI	1,126,000	10
47. New Detroit	MI	1,098,000	8
48. Focus: Hope	MI	1,093,000	7
49. Ridge Point Community Church	MI	1,085,000	1
50. Saint Marys Health Services	MI	1,085,000	5
Total		\$175,291,864	591

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.