

**Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Maine, circa 1999\***

<b>Recipient Organization</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Total Dollars Awarded</b>	<b>No. of Grants</b>
1. University of Maine	Orono	ME	\$3,955,160	18
2. Colby College	Waterville	ME	3,221,105	12
3. Bowdoin College	Brunswick	ME	3,220,029	11
4. Bates College	Lewiston	ME	1,907,100	13
5. Nature Conservancy	Brunswick	ME	1,515,000	2
6. Maine Youth Alliance	Portland	ME	1,437,655	5
7. Institute for Global Ethics	Camden	ME	983,000	5
8. College of the Atlantic	Bar Harbor	ME	731,000	7
9. Regulatory Assistance Project	Gardiner	ME	697,500	3
10. Center for Health Policy Development	Portland	ME	646,262	2
11. Maine Maritime Museum	Bath	ME	603,000	2
12. Maine Math and Science Alliance	Augusta	ME	600,000	1
13. Natural Resources Council of Maine	Augusta	ME	570,000	11
14. Portland Museum of Art	Portland	ME	540,000	4
15. Blue Hill Memorial Hospital	Blue Hill	ME	510,000	2
16. YMCA of Bangor	Bangor	ME	442,400	2
17. Medical Care Development	Augusta	ME	429,231	2
18. Robert Abbe Museum	Bar Harbor	ME	400,000	1
19. YMCA of Old Town and Orono	Old Town	ME	400,000	1
20. Maine Coast Heritage Trust	Brunswick	ME	400,000	3
21. Jackson Laboratory	Bar Harbor	ME	340,000	4
22. Good Shepherd Food Bank	Auburn	ME	332,000	2
23. Island Institute	Rockland	ME	290,000	5
24. Camp Beech Cliff	Southwest Harbor	ME	277,765	1
25. YMCA, Bath Area Family	Bath	ME	260,000	2
26. Maine College of Art	Portland	ME	260,000	2
27. National Academy for State Health Policy	Portland	ME	200,072	1
28. Northeast Historic Film	Blue Hill Falls	ME	200,000	1
29. Eastern Maine Development Corporation	Bangor	ME	200,000	1
30. Maine Center for Economic Policy	Augusta	ME	180,000	2
31. William A. Farnsworth Library and Art Museum	Rockland	ME	175,000	2
32. American Red Cross	Bangor	ME	170,000	5
33. Outright	Belfast	ME	165,000	1
34. Mid-Coast Hospital	Bath	ME	160,000	2
35. Portland Performing Arts Center	Portland	ME	160,000	3
36. Military Toxics Project	Lewiston	ME	155,000	4
37. Maine Health Foundation	Portland	ME	149,788	1
38. Southern Maine Partnership	Gorham	ME	149,000	1
39. Coastal Enterprises	Wiscasset	ME	140,000	2
40. Saint Josephs College	Windham	ME	140,000	4
41. Gulf of Maine Aquarium	Portland	ME	135,700	3
42. Educated Choices Heighten Opportunities (ECHO)	Yarmouth	ME	128,000	1
43. Friends of Fort Knox	Bucksport	ME	125,000	1
44. Kieve Affective Education	Nobleboro	ME	120,000	3
45. Family Planning Association of Maine	Augusta	ME	115,000	1
46. Maine Public Broadcasting Corporation	Lewiston	ME	115,000	2
47. University of New England	Biddeford	ME	115,000	4
48. Foundation for Blood Research	Scarborough	ME	110,000	1
49. Berwick Academy	South Berwick	ME	110,000	3
50. Hebron Academy	Hebron	ME	104,962	1
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$28,490,729</b>	<b>173</b>

Source: The Foundation Center.

\*Based on a national sample of 1,016 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.