

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the Houston, TX, Metropolitan Area, circa 2000*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Baylor College of Medicine	Houston	TX	\$28,580,863	59
2. University of Houston-University Park	Houston	TX	14,394,123	69
3. Texas Children's Hospital	Houston	TX	14,245,800	12
4. Rice University	Houston	TX	14,050,673	78
5. United Way of the Texas Gulf Coast	Houston	TX	7,077,282	34
6. Houston Annenberg Challenge	Houston	TX	6,149,990	6
7. University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center	Houston	TX	6,070,187	39
8. Project GRAD	Houston	TX	5,895,000	11
9. Kinkaid School	Houston	TX	4,845,644	12
10. Museum of Fine Arts, Houston	Houston	TX	4,819,489	41
11. Houston Music Hall Foundation	Houston	TX	4,609,919	14
12. University of Texas Health Science Center	Houston	TX	4,596,381	48
13. Boy Scouts of America	Houston	TX	4,508,000	20
14. Houston Museum of Natural Science	Houston	TX	3,565,100	25
15. Episcopal High School	Bellaire	TX	3,253,333	16
16. KIPP (Knowledge Is Power Program) Academy	Houston	TX	3,089,700	11
17. Houston Grand Opera Association	Houston	TX	3,024,000	12
18. Houston Parks Board	Houston	TX	2,970,000	9
19. Houston Symphony Society	Houston	TX	2,928,000	17
20. Neighborhood Centers	Houston	TX	2,875,000	10
21. Child-Centered Schools Initiative of Houston	Houston	TX	2,825,932	6
22. Texas Medical Center	Houston	TX	2,592,000	8
23. Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Houston	Houston	TX	2,443,000	7
24. DePelchin Children's Center	Houston	TX	2,345,000	7
25. Houston Area Women's Center	Houston	TX	2,225,000	6
26. Houston Foundation for Child Development	Houston	TX	2,050,000	2
27. University of Houston System	Houston	TX	2,026,096	7
28. Houston Ballet Foundation	Houston	TX	1,841,000	10
29. University of Texas	Houston	TX	1,757,289	7
30. Texas Heart Institute	Houston	TX	1,741,667	15
31. Stella Link Redevelopment Association	Houston	TX	1,700,000	2
32. American Red Cross	Houston	TX	1,650,000	8
33. Children's Museum of Houston	Houston	TX	1,574,750	18
34. University of Houston-Clear Lake	Houston	TX	1,535,000	3
35. Houston Grand Opera	Houston	TX	1,490,000	16
36. First United Methodist Church	Houston	TX	1,483,333	5
37. Brookwood Community	Brookshire	TX	1,429,300	7
38. Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	Houston	TX	1,328,888	12
39. Saint Joseph Hospital Foundation	Houston	TX	1,287,000	7
40. Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)	Houston	TX	1,285,000	8
41. Saint Lukes Episcopal Hospital	Houston	TX	1,265,000	5
42. Star of Hope Mission	Houston	TX	1,215,000	7
43. Houston Advanced Research Center	The Woodlands	TX	1,150,000	4
44. Hospice at the Texas Medical Center	Houston	TX	1,130,000	9
45. Covenant House	Houston	TX	1,115,000	10
46. AIDS Foundation Houston	Houston	TX	1,027,500	3
47. Buffalo Bayou Partnership	Houston	TX	1,025,000	2
48. Institute for Rehabilitation and Research Foundation	Houston	TX	1,000,000	1
49. Theater Under the Stars	Houston	TX	995,000	10
50. Boys and Girls Country of Houston	Hockley	TX	985,100	10
Total			\$189,066,339	765

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,015 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. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).