

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Massachusetts, circa 2001*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Harvard University	Cambridge	MA	\$141,453,687	380
2. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge	MA	32,488,465	124
3. Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering	Needham	MA	30,213,329	5
4. Boston University	Boston	MA	24,901,620	68
5. Brandeis University	Waltham	MA	16,806,916	49
6. WGBH Educational Foundation	Boston	MA	13,979,486	42
7. Peabody Essex Museum	Salem	MA	12,645,714	8
8. Tufts University	Medford	MA	9,399,710	55
9. Amherst College	Amherst	MA	8,910,606	15
10. Education Development Center	Newton	MA	8,726,156	17
11. Fidelity Investments Charitable Gift Fund	Boston	MA	8,556,700	11
12. Pathfinder International	Watertown	MA	8,457,337	16
13. Wellesley College	Wellesley	MA	8,270,565	30
14. Dana-Farber Cancer Institute	Boston	MA	7,950,451	24
15. National Bureau of Economic Research	Cambridge	MA	7,448,577	17
16. Smith College	Northampton	MA	7,345,019	41
17. Massachusetts General Hospital	Boston	MA	5,972,193	28
18. ACHIEVE, Inc. - A Resource Center on Standards, Assessments, Accountability and Technology	Cambridge	MA	5,425,000	7
19. Children's Hospital	Boston	MA	5,388,859	13
20. Union of Concerned Scientists	Cambridge	MA	4,845,500	26
21. Clarke School for the Deaf	Northampton	MA	4,695,054	17
22. United Way of Massachusetts Bay	Boston	MA	4,621,269	31
23. Institute for Healthcare Improvement	Boston	MA	4,454,176	9
24. Boston Plan for Excellence in the Public Schools Foundation	Boston	MA	4,064,089	12
25. Boston College	Chestnut Hill	MA	4,023,416	40
26. Institute for Civil Society	Newton	MA	3,905,862	7
27. Berkshire School	Sheffield	MA	3,838,260	2
28. New England Aquarium Corporation	Boston	MA	3,635,000	6
29. Latin American Scholarship Program of American Universities	Cambridge	MA	3,596,589	2
30. Citizen Schools	Boston	MA	3,505,000	13
31. Northeastern University	Boston	MA	3,432,744	23
32. Jobs for the Future	Boston	MA	3,180,371	19
33. Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center	Boston	MA	3,048,387	15
34. Rowland Institute for Science	Cambridge	MA	3,025,000	1
35. Mount Holyoke College	South Hadley	MA	2,934,875	17
36. University of Massachusetts	Amherst	MA	2,894,270	31
37. Brigham and Women's Hospital	Boston	MA	2,865,823	24
38. YouthBuild USA	Somerville	MA	2,854,791	6
39. United Ways of New England	Boston	MA	2,829,253	6
40. American Cancer Society	Framingham	MA	2,800,805	3
41. Children's Hospital Trust	Boston	MA	2,744,109	7
42. New England Forestry Foundation	Groton	MA	2,699,000	6
43. Williams College	Williamstown	MA	2,670,568	29
44. Appalachian Mountain Club	Boston	MA	2,620,000	14
45. JSI Research and Training Institute	Boston	MA	2,580,364	9
46. Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution	Woods Hole	MA	2,527,000	10
47. City Year	Boston	MA	2,475,000	23
48. Perkins School for the Blind	Watertown	MA	2,474,850	3
49. Physicians for Human Rights	Boston	MA	2,439,600	20
50. College of the Holy Cross	Worcester	MA	2,420,394	7
Total			\$465,041,809	1,388

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,007 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.