

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of Massachusetts, circa 2002*

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. F. W. Olin Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	\$50,648,028	1
2. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	43,219,640	61
3. Barr Foundation	MA	IN	38,737,626	209
4. Boston Foundation, Inc.	MA	CM	30,577,168	770
5. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	22,694,100	29
6. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	20,602,796	73
7. Rowland Foundation, Inc.	DE	IN	20,159,542	3
8. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	16,578,068	75
9. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	15,748,000	40
10. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	13,940,000	12
11. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	12,910,000	37
12. Avon Foundation, Inc.	NY	CS	12,097,910	4
13. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	11,880,846	19
14. Edward C. Johnson Fund	MA	IN	11,367,929	68
15. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	10,825,202	47
16. The Picower Foundation	FL	IN	10,325,000	4
17. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	10,183,576	18
18. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	8,647,000	18
19. Amelia Peabody Charitable Fund	MA	IN	8,436,400	125
20. Amelia Peabody Foundation	MA	IN	7,837,790	114
21. Fidelity Foundation	MA	CS	7,796,559	81
22. The Lemelson Foundation	NV	IN	7,350,336	6
23. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	7,342,472	23
24. Carl and Ruth Shapiro Family Foundation	MA	IN	6,824,730	16
25. FleetBoston Financial Foundation	MA	CS	6,592,267	191
26. Oberkotter Foundation	PA	IN	6,418,768	18
27. The Wallace Foundation	NY	IN	6,338,300	11
28. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	IN	6,017,800	6
29. The New York Community Trust	NY	CM	5,917,305	86
30. State Street Foundation	MA	CS	5,782,373	178
31. Stratford Foundation	MA	IN	5,607,667	60
32. The Freeman Foundation	NY	IN	5,603,256	20
33. C. D. Spangler Foundation, Inc.	NC	IN	5,510,000	3
34. The Hyams Foundation, Inc.	MA	IN	5,312,000	163
35. The Highland Street Connection	MA	IN	5,243,670	77
36. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	IN	4,970,000	6
37. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	CS	4,958,750	20
38. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	4,805,320	52
39. The Stoddard Charitable Trust	MA	IN	4,685,000	47
40. The Ellison Medical Foundation	MD	IN	4,682,239	26
41. L. G. Balfour Foundation	MA	IN	4,664,000	76
42. The Paul and Phyllis Fireman Charitable Foundation	FL	IN	4,652,733	34
43. The Shoreland Foundation	NY	IN	4,602,615	1
44. The Flatley Foundation	MA	IN	4,602,145	29
45. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	4,573,000	9
46. Dyson Foundation	NY	IN	4,474,500	4
47. The Kresge Foundation	MI	IN	4,425,000	7
48. The Commonwealth Fund	NY	IN	4,387,298	20
49. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	IN	4,335,500	8
50. Peter & Cynthia K. Kellogg Foundation	NY	IN	4,075,000	8
Total			\$539,967,224	3,013

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,005 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. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the state. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation.

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