

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Massachusetts, circa 2002*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Harvard University	Cambridge	MA	\$94,565,334	339
2. Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering	Needham	MA	51,493,028	5
3. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge	MA	47,845,381	130
4. Massachusetts General Hospital	Boston	MA	22,345,528	49
5. Boston University	Boston	MA	20,514,223	52
6. Fidelity Investments Charitable Gift Fund	Boston	MA	20,055,195	23
7. WGBH Educational Foundation	Boston	MA	17,277,929	31
8. Brandeis University	Waltham	MA	16,132,702	43
9. Boston Plan for Excellence in the Public Schools Foundation	Boston	MA	11,530,140	10
10. Education Development Center	Newton	MA	9,414,387	25
11. Third Sector New England	Boston	MA	9,280,993	13
12. Jobs for the Future	Boston	MA	9,147,118	15
13. Wellesley College	Wellesley	MA	8,522,094	26
14. Clark University	Worcester	MA	8,485,900	9
15. Tufts University	Medford	MA	8,079,911	53
16. Children's Hospital	Boston	MA	7,362,949	15
17. Smith College	Northampton	MA	6,907,398	40
18. Clarke School for the Deaf	Northampton	MA	6,493,768	25
19. Berkshire School	Sheffield	MA	6,237,500	11
20. United Way of Massachusetts Bay	Boston	MA	5,653,967	57
21. Dana-Farber Cancer Institute	Boston	MA	5,525,122	23
22. Boston College	Chestnut Hill	MA	5,211,103	44
23. Union of Concerned Scientists	Cambridge	MA	5,067,000	22
24. Brookfield Arts Foundation	Boston	MA	5,000,000	1
25. Brigham and Womens Hospital	Boston	MA	4,941,624	28
26. Bridgespan Group	Boston	MA	3,867,800	4
27. New England Aquarium Corporation	Boston	MA	3,492,273	9
28. National Bureau of Economic Research	Cambridge	MA	3,476,005	9
29. Pine Manor College	Chestnut Hill	MA	3,468,307	6
30. City Year	Boston	MA	3,362,812	28
31. Peabody Essex Museum	Salem	MA	3,291,233	38
32. Boston Symphony Orchestra	Boston	MA	3,282,277	22
33. Pathfinder International	Watertown	MA	3,273,296	14
34. University of Massachusetts	Amherst	MA	3,145,923	21
35. Marine Biological Laboratory	Woods Hole	MA	3,011,971	14
36. Gordon College	Wenham	MA	2,822,215	9
37. Reaching Out to Chelsea Adolescents (ROCA)	Chelsea	MA	2,798,256	11
38. Institute for Healthcare Improvement	Boston	MA	2,754,399	5
39. United Ways of New England	Boston	MA	2,600,000	7
40. Technical Assistance Collaborative	Boston	MA	2,450,000	3
41. Big Sister Association of Greater Boston	Boston	MA	2,298,000	12
42. Williams College	Williamstown	MA	2,178,541	25
43. Museum of Fine Arts	Boston	MA	2,121,641	19
44. Proteus Fund	Amherst	MA	2,115,000	11
45. Conservation Law Foundation	Boston	MA	2,100,500	22
46. Community Catalyst	Boston	MA	2,099,724	8
47. Hellenic College	Brookline	MA	2,081,988	3
48. CEOs for Cities	Boston	MA	2,075,000	7
49. BELL Foundation	Boston	MA	2,075,000	15
50. Americas Charter School Finance Corporation	Braintree	MA	2,000,000	1
Total			\$481,332,455	1,412

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. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

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