

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the Boston, MA, Metropolitan Area, circa 2005

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Harvard University	Cambridge	MA	\$106,345,309	313
2. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge	MA	46,078,062	113
3. Jobs for the Future	Boston	MA	16,065,438	9
4. Brookfield Arts Foundation	Boston	MA	15,450,000	1
5. Boston College	Chestnut Hill	MA	13,650,489	52
6. W G B H Educational Foundation	Boston	MA	13,085,379	27
7. Tufts University	Medford	MA	12,741,498	46
8. Boston University	Boston	MA	11,204,878	58
9. Massachusetts General Hospital	Boston	MA	10,703,378	41
10. Boston Medical Center	Boston	MA	8,416,509	36
11. Brandeis University	Waltham	MA	8,052,493	39
12. ACCION International	Boston	MA	7,184,687	13
13. Brigham and Womens Hospital	Boston	MA	6,914,283	32
14. Third Sector New England	Boston	MA	6,665,689	19
15. Dana-Farber Cancer Institute	Boston	MA	6,654,880	34
16. Bridgespan Group	Boston	MA	6,570,000	10
17. Fidelity Investments Charitable Gift Fund	Boston	MA	6,474,939	25
18. Pathfinder International	Watertown	MA	5,643,555	15
19. Harvard Business School Fund	Boston	MA	5,290,094	5
20. United Way of Massachusetts Bay	Boston	MA	5,074,278	54
21. Museum of Fine Arts	Boston	MA	4,963,146	23
22. Center for Collaborative Education-Metro Boston	Boston	MA	4,443,763	10
23. Wellesley College	Wellesley	MA	4,429,378	24
24. Education Development Center	Newton	MA	4,365,288	20
25. American Academy of Arts and Sciences	Cambridge	MA	4,266,000	15
26. Boston Symphony Orchestra	Boston	MA	4,200,500	29
27. Clay Mathematics Institute	Cambridge	MA	4,200,000	2
28. Childrens Hospital Corporation	Boston	MA	4,078,491	18
29. City Year	Boston	MA	4,008,000	25
30. Institute for Healthcare Improvement	Cambridge	MA	3,875,520	6
31. Union of Concerned Scientists	Cambridge	MA	3,862,500	31
32. Institute of Contemporary Art	Boston	MA	3,682,550	18
33. Boston Plan for Excellence in the Public Schools	Boston	MA	3,608,500	7
34. Combined Jewish Philanthropies of Greater Boston	Boston	MA	3,387,483	13
35. Jewish Family and Life	Newton	MA	3,287,162	6
36. Oxfam America	Boston	MA	2,674,921	47
37. Boston After School And Beyond	Boston	MA	2,597,718	3
38. National Bureau of Economic Research	Cambridge	MA	2,505,272	11
39. Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering	Needham	MA	2,391,000	6
40. Peabody Essex Museum	Salem	MA	2,290,840	24
41. Leveraging Investments in Creativity	Boston	MA	2,160,600	3
42. Caritas Saint Elizabeths Medical Center of Boston	Boston	MA	2,143,000	6
43. Building Excellent Schools	Boston	MA	2,110,000	3
44. Boston 2004	Boston	MA	2,098,008	8
45. Citizen Schools	Boston	MA	2,090,000	14
46. Newton-Wellesley Hospital Charitable Foundation	Newton	MA	2,035,000	4
47. Phillips Academy	Andover	MA	1,965,500	11
48. Technical Assistance Collaborative	Boston	MA	1,892,586	6
49. Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston	Boston	MA	1,886,280	15
50. University of New Hampshire	Durham	NH	1,876,812	16
Total			\$411,641,656	1,366

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007. Due to rounding, figures may not add up. Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,154 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 metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).