

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Women and Girls, circa 1999*

Foundation Name	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	\$89,409,697	190
2. The Ford Foundation	NY	84,031,546	460
3. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	38,013,000	10
4. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	24,571,652	132
5. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	22,293,951	35
6. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	21,364,000	44
7. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	19,276,280	138
8. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	14,310,518	39
9. The Buffett Foundation	NE	14,154,820	34
10. Joseph B. Whitehead Foundation	GA	13,898,725	8
11. The California Endowment	CA	10,221,296	17
12. Open Society Institute	NY	9,183,536	125
13. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	8,761,500	34
14. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	7,838,872	34
15. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	7,752,349	43
16. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	7,213,338	24
17. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	6,683,000	34
18. Robert R. McCormick Tribune Foundation	IL	6,113,298	133
19. The Kresge Foundation	MI	5,200,000	16
20. Donald W. Reynolds Foundation	NV	5,075,044	5
21. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	4,671,000	6
22. The McKnight Foundation	MN	4,559,700	41
23. The Bush Foundation	MN	4,530,474	31
24. J. Bulow Campbell Foundation	GA	4,100,000	5
25. The Joyce Foundation	IL	4,058,150	13
26. The Starr Foundation	NY	3,770,000	32
27. The Huber Foundation	NJ	3,755,000	29
28. The Colorado Trust	CO	3,066,416	4
29. William Randolph Hearst Foundation	NY	3,000,000	28
30. SBC Foundation	TX	2,979,000	37
31. Richard King Mellon Foundation	PA	2,967,000	12
32. Kate B. Reynolds Charitable Trust	NC	2,855,113	19
33. Turner Foundation, Inc.	GA	2,812,936	47
34. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	2,770,000	8
35. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	2,743,000	61
36. The Ahmanson Foundation	CA	2,705,800	36
37. Connelly Foundation	PA	2,683,159	22
38. The Columbus Foundation and Affiliated Organizations	OH	2,640,600	77
39. Bradley-Turner Foundation	GA	2,538,000	2
40. The John Merck Fund	MA	2,530,000	33
41. The J. E. and L. E. Mabee Foundation, Inc.	OK	2,463,000	10
42. Richard & Rhoda Goldman Fund	CA	2,454,000	52
43. The Champlin Foundations	RI	2,412,563	35
44. The William Penn Foundation	PA	2,375,691	19
45. John W. Anderson Foundation	IN	2,373,136	10
46. The Boston Foundation, Inc.	MA	2,262,129	58
47. Moriah Fund	DC	2,253,500	71
48. Peter Kiewit Foundation	NE	2,190,000	12
49. Wallace Global Fund	DC	2,172,538	28
50. The New York Community Trust	NY	2,140,000	40
Total		\$504,198,327	2,433

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,016 U.S. larger private and community foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. Grants may benefit multiple population groups, e.g., a grant for homeless children, and therefore may be counted in more than one population group table. In addition, while the full value of the grant is counted, in practice only a portion of some grants benefit the specified population group(s).