

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Women and Girls, circa 2002*

Foundation Name	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	\$123,874,037	44
2. Avon Foundation, Inc.	NY	78,499,421	43
3. The Ford Foundation	NY	74,165,787	408
4. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	41,248,148	118
5. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	26,868,750	57
6. The Buffett Foundation	NE	22,350,458	39
7. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	19,781,422	50
8. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	18,242,500	65
9. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	17,523,732	52
10. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	12,090,256	13
11. Donald W. Reynolds Foundation	NV	10,842,777	9
12. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	10,770,074	85
13. Robert R. McCormick Tribune Foundation	IL	10,182,800	173
14. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	9,784,000	23
15. The California Endowment	CA	9,214,101	79
16. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	8,245,000	56
17. Open Society Institute	NY	7,818,040	85
18. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	7,584,000	43
19. The Kresge Foundation	MI	7,425,000	17
20. The New York Community Trust	NY	7,255,920	181
21. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	6,791,134	39
22. The Starr Foundation	NY	6,685,000	12
23. Turner Foundation, Inc.	GA	6,384,223	79
24. The Duke Endowment	NC	6,302,273	58
25. Perry and Nancy Lee Bass Corporation	TX	5,000,000	1
26. The Brown Foundation, Inc.	TX	4,888,873	22
27. Hall Family Foundation	MO	4,785,000	8
28. The Henry Luce Foundation, Inc.	NY	4,721,886	19
29. The Shoreland Foundation	NY	4,694,215	5
30. The McKnight Foundation	MN	4,436,000	43
31. Irene W. & C. B. Pennington Foundation	LA	4,348,800	9
32. Bush Foundation	MN	4,183,167	18
33. Richard & Rhoda Goldman Fund	CA	4,028,500	60
34. SBC Foundation	TX	3,967,564	53
35. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	3,763,200	8
36. Weingart Foundation	CA	3,717,484	35
37. Erik E. and Edith H. Bergstrom Foundation, Inc.	CA	3,647,968	14
38. AT&T Foundation	NY	3,241,325	54
39. Citigroup Foundation	NY	3,200,000	83
40. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	3,131,000	75
41. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	3,074,000	3
42. Walton Family Foundation, Inc.	AR	2,966,000	15
43. The Oprah Winfrey Foundation	IL	2,900,129	10
44. John W. Anderson Foundation	IN	2,881,440	12
45. The San Francisco Foundation	CA	2,856,920	88
46. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	2,787,808	59
47. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	2,742,000	28
48. William Randolph Hearst Foundation	NY	2,710,000	16
49. The Meadows Foundation, Inc.	TX	2,573,000	28
50. Lucent Technologies Foundation	NJ	2,506,235	19
Total		\$643,681,367	2,613

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. Figures represent only grants awarded to groups that could be identified as serving specific populations or grants whose descriptions specified a benefit for a specific population. These figures do not reflect all giving benefiting these groups. 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).