

## Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Women and Girls, circa 2006

Foundation Name	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	\$241,276,371	41
2. The Ford Foundation	NY	85,282,968	314
3. The Susan Thompson Buffett Foundation	NE	60,345,411	85
4. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	52,978,917	62
5. Avon Foundation	NY	40,854,072	109
6. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	32,194,984	91
7. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	29,589,568	48
8. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	18,336,309	43
9. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	12,980,000	51
10. The Kresge Foundation	MI	9,285,000	21
11. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	9,205,000	46
12. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	8,892,100	16
13. The Bristol-Myers Squibb Foundation, Inc.	NY	8,555,652	76
14. The Brown Foundation, Inc.	TX	8,532,995	22
15. The New York Community Trust	NY	7,131,984	164
16. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	6,500,000	5
17. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	6,230,700	16
18. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	6,093,712	69
19. NIKE Foundation	OR	5,836,371	27
20. The Ahmanson Foundation	CA	5,754,000	44
21. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	5,576,000	25
22. Richard and Rhoda Goldman Fund	CA	5,340,000	52
23. Citi Foundation	NY	5,154,400	121
24. The California Endowment	CA	4,722,015	50
25. Peninsula Community Foundation	CA	4,716,700	86
26. B. C. McCabe Foundation	CA	4,474,733	26
27. ExxonMobil Foundation	TX	4,102,435	21
28. Houston Endowment Inc.	TX	4,100,000	12
29. Weingart Foundation	CA	4,013,749	31
30. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	3,994,830	27
31. Richard King Mellon Foundation	PA	3,910,000	8
32. The Allstate Foundation	IL	3,796,449	70
33. The Duke Endowment	NC	3,702,276	30
34. John W. Anderson Foundation	IN	3,654,700	12
35. The Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NC	3,576,300	118
36. J. Bulow Campbell Foundation	GA	3,500,000	2
37. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	3,423,834	66
38. The Starr Foundation	NY	3,215,000	23
39. Pleasant T. Rowland Foundation, Inc.	WI	3,144,219	5
40. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	3,089,025	32
41. Boston Foundation, Inc.	MA	3,015,967	90
42. The Oprah Winfrey Foundation	IL	3,004,352	5
43. S & G Foundation, Inc.	WY	3,000,000	1
44. Open Society Institute	NY	2,974,917	30
45. The Goizueta Foundation	GA	2,946,317	2
46. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	2,937,687	18
47. The William Penn Foundation	PA	2,870,582	8
48. Greater Kansas City Community Foundation	MO	2,787,368	30
49. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	2,740,000	50
50. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	2,715,000	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$766,054,969</b>	<b>2,405</b>

Source: The Foundation Center, 2008. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,263 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).