

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Immigrants and Refugees, circa 2006

Foundation Name	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	\$19,309,424	12
2. The California Endowment	CA	17,986,708	86
3. The Ford Foundation	NY	17,762,600	70
4. The Starr Foundation	NY	9,145,000	5
5. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	6,392,761	30
6. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	5,981,000	19
7. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	5,063,500	18
8. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	5,049,000	11
9. The New York Community Trust	NY	4,648,764	110
10. Evelyn and Walter Haas, Jr. Fund	CA	4,237,500	48
11. Marguerite Casey Foundation	WA	4,073,999	33
12. Howard G. Buffett Foundation	IL	3,311,833	6
13. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	3,295,000	9
14. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	3,126,000	19
15. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	2,794,800	17
16. Moriah Fund	DC	2,724,000	74
17. Avon Foundation	NY	2,708,738	12
18. Legacy Heritage Fund Limited	NY	2,633,500	16
19. The McKnight Foundation	MN	2,629,000	25
20. Open Society Institute	NY	2,431,670	26
21. Otto Bremer Foundation	MN	2,396,110	82
22. Bush Foundation	MN	2,384,900	20
23. AT&T Foundation	TX	2,137,755	33
24. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	1,895,000	12
25. Peninsula Community Foundation	CA	1,887,390	13
26. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	1,769,019	37
27. Foundation for Child Development	NY	1,402,539	6
28. Eagle Foundation	NE	1,384,000	1
29. Rosenberg Foundation	CA	1,362,000	13
30. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	1,301,173	29
31. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	1,186,978	8
32. Public Welfare Foundation, Inc.	DC	1,130,000	23
33. The J. M. Kaplan Fund, Inc.	NY	1,130,000	13
34. The Goizueta Foundation	GA	1,126,317	1
35. The Joyce Foundation	IL	1,099,000	5
36. New York Foundation	NY	1,075,000	25
37. Altman Foundation	NY	1,059,000	9
38. The Minneapolis Foundation	MN	985,788	16
39. The San Francisco Foundation	CA	984,000	44
40. The Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NC	959,000	27
41. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	950,000	2
42. Lumina Foundation for Education, Inc.	IN	936,800	5
43. Eugene and Agnes E. Meyer Foundation	DC	934,500	28
44. Houston Endowment Inc.	TX	880,000	4
45. Freeman Foundation	NY	853,222	10
46. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	845,000	8
47. Walter and Elise Haas Fund	CA	832,000	15
48. Boston Foundation, Inc.	MA	763,800	19
49. The Jay and Rose Phillips Family Foundation	MN	763,100	27
50. The AVI CHAI Foundation	NY	756,250	2
Total		\$162,474,438	1,183

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).