

Top 25 Foundations Awarding U.S.-focused Grants for Poverty-related Programs, circa 2007

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	\$71,270,862	604
2. The Ford Foundation	NY	58,524,362	113
3. The McKnight Foundation	MN	47,618,433	120
4. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	43,005,950	46
5. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	35,991,000	10
6. The Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NC	33,817,416	737
7. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	32,703,668	82
8. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	29,352,675	108
9. The Kresge Foundation	MI	27,080,000	45
10. Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation	MO	25,451,987	43
11. The Starr Foundation	NY	23,300,000	50
12. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	23,146,020	54
13. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	21,496,667	181
14. Citi Foundation	NY	17,907,500	440
15. The New York Community Trust	NY	17,597,264	291
16. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	17,262,266	257
17. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	16,909,449	37
18. Silicon Valley Community Foundation	CA	16,700,975	350
19. Richard King Mellon Foundation	PA	15,972,750	47
20. Houston Endowment Inc.	TX	15,585,000	53
21. Wells Fargo Foundation	CA	14,459,008	633
22. The William Penn Foundation	PA	13,909,566	43
23. Weingart Foundation	CA	13,836,481	101
24. The Heinz Endowments	PA	13,321,243	72
25. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	12,538,119	30
Total		\$658,758,661	4,547

Source: The Foundation Center. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,339 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.

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