

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the Boston, MA, Metropolitan Area, circa 2006

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Starr Cancer Consortium	Cambridge	MA	\$100,000,000	1
2. Harvard University	Cambridge	MA	80,359,292	298
3. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge	MA	51,181,920	119
4. Fidelity Investments Charitable Gift Fund	Boston	MA	23,587,940	23
5. Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center	Boston	MA	23,509,500	25
6. Jobs for the Future	Boston	MA	23,479,346	15
7. Museum of Fine Arts	Boston	MA	22,592,359	37
8. Oxfam America	Boston	MA	14,230,999	51
9. Bridgespan Group	Boston	MA	13,013,000	8
10. Massachusetts General Hospital	Boston	MA	11,265,828	49
11. Boston College	Chestnut Hill	MA	11,237,230	55
12. Lesley University	Cambridge	MA	11,070,537	7
13. Tufts University	Medford	MA	9,936,828	41
14. Brandeis University	Waltham	MA	9,830,977	45
15. Boston Medical Center	Boston	MA	9,545,311	40
16. W G B H Educational Foundation	Boston	MA	9,458,500	38
17. Wellesley College	Wellesley	MA	8,777,931	27
18. Brookfield Arts Foundation	Boston	MA	8,638,604	1
19. Boston After School and Beyond	Boston	MA	8,631,500	9
20. Pathfinder International	Watertown	MA	7,949,242	17
21. Dana-Farber Cancer Institute	Boston	MA	7,530,144	44
22. Commonwealth Corporation	Boston	MA	7,286,500	4
23. Trustees of Reservations	Beverly	MA	7,077,048	15
24. Brigham and Womens Hospital	Boston	MA	6,914,144	28
25. New England Foundation for the Arts	Boston	MA	6,910,000	8
26. Combined Jewish Philanthropies of Greater Boston	Boston	MA	6,853,172	25
27. Boston University	Boston	MA	6,111,463	55
28. City Year	Boston	MA	5,439,780	30
29. ROCA	Chelsea	MA	5,144,996	15
30. Physicians for Human Rights	Cambridge	MA	4,876,505	16
31. My Turn	Brockton	MA	4,860,000	6
32. Childrens Hospital Corporation	Boston	MA	4,413,317	28
33. Boston Childrens Museum	Boston	MA	4,323,333	17
34. Partners in Health	Boston	MA	4,313,336	15
35. Boston Symphony Orchestra	Boston	MA	4,151,837	32
36. Boston Plan for Excellence in the Public Schools	Boston	MA	3,784,021	9
37. Boston Plan for Excellence in the Public Schools Foundation	Boston	MA	3,540,000	5
38. Technical Assistance Collaborative	Boston	MA	3,510,588	6
39. Institute for Healthcare Improvement	Cambridge	MA	3,471,099	10
40. United Way of Massachusetts Bay	Boston	MA	3,227,459	43
41. Education Development Center	Newton	MA	3,061,114	19
42. Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston	Boston	MA	3,035,000	20
43. Pine Manor College	Chestnut Hill	MA	3,030,500	3
44. Third Sector New England	Boston	MA	2,765,610	15
45. Gordon College	Wenham	MA	2,460,000	4
46. Institute of Contemporary Art	Boston	MA	2,445,500	15
47. Clean Air Task Force	Boston	MA	2,267,500	12
48. Boston Public Schools	Boston	MA	2,185,097	6
49. Union of Concerned Scientists	Cambridge	MA	2,157,000	17
50. Boston Public Health Commission	Boston	MA	2,153,772	4
Total			\$587,596,679	1,432

Source: The Foundation Center, 2008. Due to rounding, figures may not add up. Based on 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. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).