

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants for Public Health, circa 2008

Recipient Organization	State/Country	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1 Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition	Switzerland	\$120,485,736	1
2 CDC Foundation	GA	35,565,274	11
3 University of Washington	WA	20,872,702	9
4 Baptist-Trinity Lutheran Legacy Foundation	MO	20,367,597	83
5 Public Health Institute	CA	16,668,783	28
6 University of California	CA	15,506,272	8
7 United Nations Foundation	DC	14,086,805	5
8 United States Fund for UNICEF	NY	12,780,582	2
9 Accordia Global Health Foundation	DC	12,732,366	5
10 Riders for Health	England	11,927,269	1
11 Harvard University	MA	11,489,954	11
12 University of Pittsburgh	PA	11,261,937	5
13 Columbia University	NY	10,433,841	10
14 Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey Foundation	NJ	10,000,000	1
15 Association for Aid with Preventive Medicine	France	9,903,610	1
16 Global Health Council	VT	9,819,675	2
17 Kaiser Foundation Research Institute	CA	8,563,940	1
18 Yale University	CT	8,253,946	11
19 University of Virginia	VA	7,553,248	3
20 World Health Organization	Switzerland	7,545,713	8
21 BIO Ventures for Global Health	DC	6,992,291	1
22 University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences	AR	6,984,714	5
23 YMCA of the U.S.A.	IL	6,821,364	1
24 Tides Foundation	CA	6,800,000	3
25 Lucile Packard Foundation for Childrens Health	CA	6,509,500	26
26 Washington University	MO	6,477,936	3
27 Center for Strategic and International Studies	DC	6,457,993	1
28 University of California	CA	6,266,532	10
29 University of Southern California	CA	6,035,619	9
30 IntraHealth International	NC	5,811,692	2
31 Johns Hopkins University	MD	5,710,587	6
32 University of Wisconsin	WI	5,516,192	3
33 W E T A-Greater Washington Educational Telecommunications Association	VA	5,419,400	2
34 Pan American Health and Education Foundation	DC	5,358,959	2
35 Donald Danforth Plant Science Center	MO	5,345,895	1
36 University of Texas Health Science Center	TX	4,849,418	5
37 George Washington University	DC	4,700,795	6
38 Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment	CO	4,598,639	2
39 Venture Strategies for Health and Development	CA	4,558,691	4
40 University of Michigan	MI	4,446,685	5
41 National Association of County and City Health Officials	DC	4,426,745	6
42 Results for Development Institute	DC	4,000,000	1
43 CARE USA	GA	3,858,468	2
44 University of North Carolina	NC	3,662,425	12
45 California State University	CA	3,650,076	2
46 Rotary Foundation of Rotary International	IL	3,500,000	1
47 Hesperian Foundation	CA	3,460,810	7
48 University of Pennsylvania	PA	3,326,990	4
49 Friends of the Global Fight Against AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria	DC	3,250,000	1
50 North Carolina Alliance for Athletics, Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance	NC	3,135,815	1
Total		\$527,753,481	340

Source: The Foundation Center, 2010. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,490 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 all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.

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