

## Disease-specific Foundations - a sampling

| <b>Grantmaker Name</b>                                  | <b>Total Assets</b> | <b>Total Giving per Year</b> |
|---|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Alzheimer's Association                                 | 140,830,595         | 25,633,700                   |
| American Diabetes Association                           | 111,367,607         | 60,655,499                   |
| American Diabetes Association Research Foundation, Inc. | 9,781,074           | 67,302,799                   |
| Baldwin Breast Cancer Research Fund, Inc., Carol M.     | 191,442             | 250,000                      |
| Breast Cancer Research Foundation, Inc., The            | 41,965,709          | 32,080,919                   |
| Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America, Inc.           | 24,208,547          | 11,675,682                   |
| Cystic Fibrosis Foundation                              | 249,436,190         | 73,309,839                   |
| Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Therapeutics, Inc.           | 35,386,198          | 22,779,229                   |
| Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, Michael J.     | 35,826,263          | 24,138,214                   |
| High Q Foundation, Inc., The                            | 44,084,763          | 4,859,508                    |
| Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation International     | 243,910,000         | 137,826,000                  |
| Komen for the Cure, Susan G.                            | 205,455,722         | 76,714,928                   |
| Komen for the Cure Affiliates, Susan G.                 | 120,135,248         | 71,932,764                   |
| Lupus Research Institute, Inc.                          | 2,602,110           | 3,839,631                    |
| March of Dimes Foundation                               | 184,371,882         | 49,330,180                   |
| Muscular Dystrophy Association, Inc.                    | 216,080,833         | 50,412,170                   |
| Reeve Foundation, Christopher                           | 14,236,399          | 9,252,696                    |
| Research to Prevent Blindness, Inc.                     | 14,318,477          | 1,680,196                    |
| Research to Prevent Blindness Endowment Fund, Inc.      | 259,041,566         | 9,071,042                    |
| Ronald McDonald House Charities                         | 113,811,570         | 17,627,451                   |

**Alzheimer's Association**

(also known as Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association)

225 N. Michigan Ave., 17th Fl.

Chicago, IL 60601-7633

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URL: [www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, etc.

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 6/30/07): Assets: \$140,830,595; Total giving: \$25,633,700

**EIN:** 133039601

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/27/2008

**Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (800) 272-3900

**Background**

Established in 1980 in DE.

**Limitations**

Giving on a national basis.

No grants for travel expenses.

**Purpose and Activities**

The association is a national voluntary health organization dedicated to researching the causes, prevention, cure, and treatment of Alzheimer's disease and related disorders; and provide support and education to afflicted individuals, their families, and caregivers. Grants are made to qualified medical science investigators at nonprofit institutions who are involved in biological, clinical, and social/behavioral research relevant to degenerative brain diseases, such as Alzheimer's disease.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Conference Grants**

Awards no more than \$10,000 per conference to support the breaking of new scientific ground, bringing together investigators around not-yet-explored questions, or assembling scientists from disciplines/specialties/perspectives who do not usually interact.

**Everyday Technologies for Alzheimer Care (ETAC) Research Grants**

These awards aim to promote multidisciplinary, evidence based research in the applications of computing, communications, and home health care technologies to novel models of care in Alzheimer's disease. Up to five grants of no more than \$200,000 per year for three years. Requests in any given year may not exceed \$90,000.

**Investigator-Initiated Research Grants**

Up to fifty grants are awarded for research into the early detection of Alzheimer's disease. The maximum grant is \$240,000 for up to three years of research. Request in any given year may not exceed \$100,000. Grant money may not be used for travel to scientific and professional meetings usually attended by applicant, computer hardware or software, or for construction or renovation.

**Neuroimaging Awards for "Best Papers"**

Two unrestricted prizes are available to papers that will be presented during the association's annual conference. A \$5,000

unrestricted prize will be award to a "best paper" published in any peer-reviewed journal during the previous two years; an additional prize of \$1,000 will be awarded to a paper most recently published by a promising new investigation. Topics of papers must relate to in-vivo neuroimaging of a neurodegenerative process.

#### **New Investigator Research Grant Program**

Up to twenty five two-year grants of no more than \$100,000 are available for new investigators to develop preliminary or pilot data, to test procedures, and to develop hypotheses which will help in the preparation of future proposals to NIH, other foundations, or the Alzheimer's Association. Requests in any given year may not exceed \$60,000.

#### **Senator Mark Hatfield Award for Clinical Research in Alzheimer's Disease**

One \$225,000 award for up to three years is given to new investigators for clinical research on a question or questions about the early detection of Alzheimer's disease. Applicants must have less than 10 years research experience since receipt of the doctoral degree, and should be pursuing a research career in Alzheimer's disease.

#### **Zenith Fellows Award Program**

These awards honor scientists who have already significantly contributed to Alzheimer's research, or to scientific research in general, and who are likely to continue making substantial contributions specifically to Alzheimer's research. Up to five grants of no more than \$450,000 per year for two years are available for cutting-edge basic biomedical research addressing fundamental problems related to early detection, etiology, pathogenesis, treatment, and prevention of Alzheimer's disease. Requests in any given year may not exceed \$250,000.

#### **Fields of Interest**

##### **Subjects**

Alzheimer's disease  
Alzheimer's disease research

##### **Geographic Focus**

National

##### **Types of Support**

Continuing support  
Research  
Seed money

##### **Publications**

Annual report  
Application guidelines  
Informational brochure

##### **Application Information**

Three percent of the association's grantmaking is directed to chapter organizations. Application form required. Applicants should submit the following:

1. Results expected from proposed grant
2. Statement of problem project will address
3. Name, address and phone number of organization
4. Contact person

Initial approach: Fax or e-mail 1-page letter of intent

Board meeting date(s): Jan., May, and Oct.

Deadline(s): Dec. 1 for letter of intent; Jan. 4 for applications; Aug. 30 for Neuroimaging Awards for "Best Papers"

Final notification: July

##### **Officers and Directors**

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 Meryl Comer

#### **Number of Staff**

185 full-time professional

#### **Memberships**

##### **Affinity Groups**

Community Health Charities  
 Health Research Alliance  
 Human Services Federation

#### **Financial Data**

##### **Year ended 6/30/07:**

Revenue: \$95,246,466  
 Assets: \$140,830,595 (market value)  
 Gifts received: \$79,977,723  
 Expenditures: \$92,644,749  
 Total giving: \$25,633,700  
 Program services expenses: \$75,174,169  
 Giving activities include:  
 \$25,633,700 for grants  
 \$49,540,469 for foundation-administered programs

#### **Additional Location Information**

County: Cook  
 Metropolitan area: Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, IL-IN-WI

#### **American Diabetes Association**

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 Alexandria, VA 22311-1742  
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 Contact: Caroline Stevens  
 Fax: (703) 549-1715  
 E-mail: [research@diabetes.org](mailto:research@diabetes.org)

URL: [www.diabetes.org](http://www.diabetes.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$111,367,607; Total giving: \$60,655,499

**EIN:** 131623888

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 6/4/2008

### **Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (800) 342-2383

### **Background**

Established in 1940.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The association seeks to prevent and cure diabetes by funding research, publishing scientific findings, providing information and other services for people with diabetes, their families, health care professionals and the public.

### **Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

#### **Career Development Awards**

This program supports investigators who are establishing their independence and are poised to make significant contributions to diabetes research. Applicants must be an assistant professor and have clear institutional commitment. Funding: up to \$150,000 per year for five years, plus a \$25,000 stipend the first two years for additional equipment and supplies. Up to 15 percent may be used for indirect costs.

#### **Clinical Research Awards**

This program supports investigators whose studies directly involve humans. Studies must focus on intact human subjects in which the effect of a change in the individual's external or internal environment is evaluated. Funding: up to \$100,000 per year for three years for the purchase of equipment, supplies, or technician salary support - up to \$20,000 may be used for the investigator's salary. Up to 15 percent may be used for indirect costs.

#### **Innovation Awards**

This program supports novel hypotheses that may lack preliminary data, but which offer considerable promise for the cure, prevention or treatment of diabetes. Applicants can have any level of faculty appointment. Funding: up to \$50,000 per year for two years.

#### **Junior Faculty Awards**

This program supports investigators who are establishing their independence. Applicants can have any level of faculty appointment. Funding: up to \$120,000 per year for three years, plus up to \$10,000 per year toward repayment of the principal loans for a doctoral degree (M.D. or Ph.D.). Up to 15 percent may be used for indirect costs.

#### **Lions SightFirst Diabetic Retinopathy Research Awards**

This program supports clinical or applied research in diabetic retinopathy in the U.S. and abroad. Awards will be given to support new treatment regimens, epidemiology, and translation research. In addition, training and equipment grants will be considered. Funding up to \$100,000 per year for three years. Up to \$20,000 for salary support.

#### **Medical Scholars Program Awards and Physician-Scientist Training Awards**

The program provides one year of research support to students in medical school; the Physician-Scientist Award provides three years of support for the doctoral portion of an M.D./Ph.D. degree. Funding: Medical Scholars: up to \$30,000 for one year; \$20,000 for the student's stipend, and up to \$10,000 for laboratory costs, Physician-Scientist: up to \$30,000 per year for three years; \$20,000 for the student stipend, and \$10,000 for tuition or lab costs.

#### **Mentor-Based Post-Doctoral Fellowships**

This program supports post-doctoral fellows working with established diabetes investigators. The investigators must meet

citizenship and employment eligibility requirements. The fellow must have an M.D. and Ph.D. degree, no more than three years of post doctoral research experience, and cannot serve an internship or residency during the award period. Funding: up to \$45,000 per year for four years.

### **Research Awards**

This program provides grant support to both new and established investigators. Applications will be considered in any area that is relevant to the etiology or pathophysiology of diabetes and its complications. Funding of \$20,000 to \$100,000 per year for up to three years for the purchase of equipment, supplies, and salary for technical assistance - up to \$20,000 may be used for the investigator's salary. Up to 15 percent may be used for indirect costs.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Diabetes  
Diabetes research  
Medical research

### **Types of Support**

Research

### **Publications**

Annual report  
Application guidelines  
Corporate giving report  
Financial statement  
Informational brochure  
Newsletter  
Occasional report  
Program policy statement



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### **Application Information**

Application form required.  
Initial approach: Telephone or e-mail  
Copies of proposal: 5  
Board meeting date(s): Mar., June, and Oct.  
Deadline(s): Jan. 15 and July 15 for Research, Clinical, Career Development, Junior Faculty and Innovation Awards; Jan. 15 for Lions SightFirst, Medical Scholar and Physician Awards; July 15 for Mentor-based Post- doctoral Fellowship Awards  
Final notification: May and Nov.

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**Number of Staff**

636 full-time professional  
 21 part-time professional  
 137 full-time support  
 22 part-time support

**Memberships****Affinity Groups**

Coalition for the Advancement of Medical Research (CAMR)  
 Community Health Charities  
 Health Research Alliance

**Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Independent Sector  
 The Nonprofit Resource Center of Alabama

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$305,752,606  
 Assets: \$111,367,607 (market value)  
 Gifts received: \$234,822,726  
 Expenditures: \$323,264,333  
 Total giving: \$60,655,499  
 Program services expenses: \$240,577,297  
 Giving activities include:  
 \$60,655,499 for grants  
 \$179,921,798 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: Alexandria City  
 Metropolitan area: Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV

**American Diabetes Association Research Foundation, Inc.**

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 Alexandria, VA 22311-1742  
 Telephone: (800) 676-4065, ext. 2005  
 Contact: Maria Price, Natl. Dir., Board Rels.  
 E-mail: [mprice@diabetes.org](mailto:mprice@diabetes.org)  
 URL: [www.diabetes.org/diabetes-research/ADA-Research-Foundation/researchfoundation.jsp](http://www.diabetes.org/diabetes-research/ADA-Research-Foundation/researchfoundation.jsp)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$9,781,074; Total giving: \$67,302,799

**EIN:** 541734511

990: [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

Last Updated: 7/21/2008

### **Background**

Established in 1994.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The foundation's mission is to ensure the availability of funds necessary for the full exploration of all the scientific possibilities that diabetes research is generating.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Diabetes research

### **Types of Support**

Research

### **Officers and Directors**

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Samuel L. Abbate, M.D.

David Bloomgarden, M.D.

Charles Burant, M.D., Ph.D.

### **Financial Data**

#### **Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$69,029,040

Assets: \$9,781,074 (market value)

Gifts received: \$21,738,872

Expenditures: \$69,029,040

Total giving: \$67,302,799

Program services expenses: \$68,105,032

Giving activities include:

\$67,302,799 for grants

### **Additional Location Information**

County: Alexandria City

Metropolitan area: Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV

### **Carol M. Baldwin Breast Cancer Research Fund, Inc.**

14 Technology Dr., Ste. 4

Setauket, NY 11733-3469

Telephone: (631) 444-4300

Fax: (631) 444-4316

E-mail: [anne@findacure.org](mailto:anne@findacure.org)

URL: [www.findacure.org](http://www.findacure.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$191,442; Total giving: \$250,000

**EIN:** 113342286

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 6/18/2008

### **Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (866) CURE4US

### **Background**

Established in 1996.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The organization supports both new and established researchers investigating the causes, prevention and treatment of breast cancer.

### **Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

#### **Research Grants**

Awards grants on an annual basis to outstanding researchers who are continually working to find the key which will unlock the mystery of breast cancer. This research will include - but not be limited to - studies of the genetic, molecular, cellular and environmental factors involved in the development and progression of breast cancer; application of the knowledge thus gained to educate medical professionals and increase public awareness for the prevention, detection and treatment of breast cancer; and studies of the outcomes of breast cancer detection and treatment on the patient, their families and society.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Breast cancer research

### **Types of Support**

Research

### **Publications**

Grants list

### **Officers and Board Members**

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Neil H. Greenberg, Esq.

Allen G. Meek, M.D.

Rob Schneider

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$299,822  
Assets: \$191,442 (market value)  
Gifts received: \$172,174  
Expenditures: \$563,241  
Total giving: \$250,000  
Program services expenses: \$452,503  
Giving activities include:  
\$250,000 for grants  
\$202,503 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: Suffolk  
Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**The Breast Cancer Research Foundation, Inc.**

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New York, NY 10022-3343  
Telephone: (646) 497-2600  
Contact: Margaret Mastrianni, Deputy Dir.  
Fax: (646) 497-0890  
E-mail: [bcrf@bcrcure.org](mailto:bcrf@bcrcure.org)  
URL: [www.bcrcure.org](http://www.bcrcure.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 6/30/07): Assets: \$41,965,709; Total giving: \$32,080,919

**EIN:** 133727250

**990:** [2007](#) [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#)

**Last Updated:** 2/14/2008

**Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (866) FINDACURE

**Background**

Established in 1993 in NY.

**Limitations**

Giving on a worldwide basis.

**Purpose and Activities**

The foundation funds clinical and translational research into the causes and treatment of breast cancer in order to increase the public's awareness and understanding of the disease with an ultimate view towards the reduction, elimination and cure of breast cancer.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Grants**

Grants averaging \$250,000 are made to enable brilliant minds to pursue some of their most creative theories. Grants are meant to cover the period extending from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30, with two progress reports due over the year. Grants are paid in two installments, the second of which is contingent upon the board's approval of the organization's progress report.

**Fields of Interest****Subjects**

Breast cancer research

**International Interests**

Canada

Europe

Latin America

Middle East

**Geographic Focus**

National; international

**Types of Support**

Research

**Publications**

Financial statement

Grants list

Informational brochure

Newsletter

**Application Information**

Application by invitation only from the Executive Board and Scientific Advisors. Applicants should submit the following:

1. Copy of current year's organizational budget and/or project budget

Initial approach: Letter or telephone

Board meeting date(s): July, and as needed throughout the year

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**Number of Staff**

12 full-time professional

1 part-time professional

3 full-time support

**Memberships****Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Nonprofit Coordinating Committee of New York

**Financial Data****Year ended 6/30/07:**

Revenue: \$36,697,109

Assets: \$41,965,709 (market value)

Gifts received: \$35,134,009

Expenditures: \$35,976,916

Total giving: \$32,080,919

Program services expenses: \$32,947,153

Giving activities include:

\$32,080,919 for 115 grants (high: \$3,000,000; low: \$100,000)

**Estimated financial data for year ending 6/30/08:**

Assets: \$40,000,000

Grants: \$36,000,000

**Additional Location Information**

County: New York

Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America, Inc.**

386 Park Ave. S., 17th Fl.

New York, NY 10016-8804

Telephone: (212) 685-3440

Contact: Richard J. Geswell, Pres. and C.E.O.

Fax: (212) 779-4098

E-mail: [info@ccfa.org](mailto:info@ccfa.org)

URL: [www.ccfa.org](http://www.ccfa.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 8/31/06): Assets: \$24,208,547; Total giving: \$11,675,682

**EIN:** 136193105

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 5/8/2008

**Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (800) 923-2423

**Background**

Established in 1967.

**Purpose and Activities**

The foundation seeks to find a cure and prevent Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis through research, and to improve the quality of life of children and adults affected by these digestive diseases through education and support.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Career Development Awards**

Career Development Awards are offered to encourage the development of individuals with research potential to help them

prepare for a career of independent basic and/or clinical investigation in the area of inflammatory bowel disease. Therefore, individuals who are already well established in the field of IBD research are not considered eligible for this award. Applicant must be employed by an institution (public non-profit, private non-profit or government) engaged in health care and/or health related research within the U.S. Research is not restricted by citizenship; however, proof of legal work status is required. Applicant must hold an M.D., Ph.D. or equivalent. Candidates holding M.D. degrees must have five years of post doctoral experience, two years of which must be documented research experience relevant to IBD. Generally, the candidates must not be in excess of ten years beyond the attainments of the doctoral degree. Applicants holding Ph.D.s must have at least two years of documented post-doctoral research relevant to IBD. Award funds up to \$90,000 per year for a maximum of three years.

#### **Research Fellowship Awards**

Research Fellowship Awards are offered to encourage the development of individuals with research potential to help them prepare for a career of independent basic and/or clinical investigation in the area of Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis. Individuals who are already well established in the field of IBD research are not considered eligible for this award. Applicant must be employed by an institution (public non-profit, private non-profit or government) engaged in health care and/or health related research within the U.S. Research is not restricted by citizenship; however, proof of legal work status is required. Applicant must hold an M.D., Ph.D. or equivalent. Candidates holding M.D. degrees must have two years of post doctoral experience, one year of which must be documented research experience relevant to IBD. Applicants holding Ph.D.s must have at least one year of documented post-doctoral research relevant to IBD. Awards fund up to \$58,250 per year for a maximum of three years.

#### **Scientific Conferences and Workshops Awards**

The foundation provides financial support for conferences related to inflammatory bowel disease. Selection criteria include: 1) The relevance of the proposal to IBD; 2) Scientific merit of the proposal; and 3) The excellence of the investigator and the research environment. Awards are made payable to the applicant's institution.

#### **Senior Research Award**

The award seeks to provide established researchers with funds to generate sufficient preliminary data to become competitive for funds from other sources, such as the National Institutes of Health (NIH). Applicant must hold an M.D., Ph.D., or equivalent degree and must be employed by an institution (public non-profit, private non-profit or government) engaged in health care and/or health related research. He/she must have attained independence from his/her mentor. Eligibility is not restricted by citizenship or geography. Award will fund \$130,000 per year for a maximum of three years.

#### **Student Research Fellowship Awards**

This program offers financial support for students to spend time performing research on topics relevant to inflammatory bowel disease for a minimum of 10 weeks. The foundation hopes to stimulate research interest in the areas of Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis. Candidates may be undergraduate, medical or graduate students (not yet engaged in thesis research) in accredited North American institutions. Candidates may not hold similar salary support from other agencies. Up to 16 Student Research Fellowship Awards will be available for full time research with a mentor investigating a subject relevant to IBD. Mentors may not be a relative of the applicant and may not work in their lab. The mentor must be a faculty member who directs a research project highly relevant to the study of IBD at an accredited institution. Awards will be payable to the institution, not the individual. Award is in the amount of \$2,500 (indirect costs are not allowed)

#### **Fields of Interest**

##### **Subjects**

Digestive diseases  
Digestive disorders research  
Health care

##### **Types of Support**

Fellowships  
Grants to individuals  
Research

#### **Publications**

Annual report  
 Application guidelines  
 Financial statement  
 Informational brochure

### **Application Information**

Application form required.

Initial approach: Download application for Scientific Conferences and Workshops and Student Research Fellowships;

Letter of intent for all other awards

Copies of proposal: 4

Board meeting date(s): Feb., June, Sept. and Nov.

Deadline(s): Jan. 14 and July 1 for Scientific Conferences and Workshops; Mar. 15 for Student Research Fellowship

Awards; May 1 and Nov. 1 for letter of intent for all other awards

### **Officers and Trustees**

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Kenneth A. Edmonds

Arthur Falcone

Ken Follansbee

Greg Greenberg

### **Number of Staff**

100 full-time professional

3 part-time professional

20 full-time support

15 part-time support

### **Memberships**

#### **Affinity Groups**

Community Health Charities

#### **Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Colorado Nonprofit Association

The Nonprofit Resource Center of Alabama

### **Financial Data**

#### **Year ended 8/31/06:**

Revenue: \$31,209,222

Assets: \$24,208,547 (market value)

Gifts received: \$28,609,524

Expenditures: \$32,075,549

Total giving: \$11,675,682

Program services expenses: \$25,256,857

Giving activities include:

\$11,675,682 for 163 grants to individuals (high: \$115,000; low: \$767)

\$13,581,175 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: New York

Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**Cystic Fibrosis Foundation**

6931 Arlington Rd.

Bethesda, MD 20814-5200

Telephone: (301) 951-4422

Contact: Robert J. Beall Ph.D., Pres. and C.E.O.

Fax: (301) 951-6378

E-mail: [info@cff.org](mailto:info@cff.org)

URL: [www.cff.org](http://www.cff.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$249,436,190; Total giving: \$73,309,839

**EIN:** 131930701

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/25/2008

**Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (800) 344-4823; Additional e-mail: [grants@cff.org](mailto:grants@cff.org); Foundation YouTube Channel URL:

<http://youtube.com/user/CysticFibrosisUSA>

**Background**

Established in 1955.

**Purpose and Activities**

The foundation assures the development of the means to cure and control cystic fibrosis and improve the quality of life for those with the disease.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**CF Foundation/National Institute of Health (NIH) Funding Award**

This award supports excellent cystic fibrosis (CF)-related research projects that have been submitted to and approved by the NIH, but cannot be supported by available NIH funds. Applications must fall within the upper 40th percentile with a priority score of 200 or better. Foundation support ranges from \$75,000 to \$125,000 per year for up to two years.

**Clinical Fellowships**

These awards encourage specialized training early in a physician's career and prepare candidates for careers in academic medicine. Training must take place in one of the foundation's care centers, and must encompass diagnostic and therapeutic procedures, comprehensive care, and CF-related research. Applicants must be eligible for Board certification in pediatrics or internal medicine by the time the fellowship begins. Awards provide a \$42,000 (first year) and \$43,750 (second year) stipend; third-year fellowships of up to \$62,600 (\$52,600 for stipend and \$10,000 for research costs) is also available for additional basic and/or clinical research training. Recipients are expected to be subspecialty Board-eligible at the completion of the program. Applicants and sponsors must submit a proposal of the research studies to be undertaken and other specialized training that will be offered during this third year. A fourth year of support is available as an option to highly qualified candidates who have received foundation support as third-year fellows. Furthermore, the foundation will underwrite the interest payments for educational loans for up to \$7,000 per year. U.S. citizenship or permanent resident status is required.

**Clinical Research Grants**

These awards offer support to clinical research projects directly related to CF treatment and care. Projects may address diagnostic or therapeutic methods related to CF or the pathophysiology of CF. Applicants must demonstrate access to a sufficient number of CF patients from accredited foundation care centers and appropriate controls. A letter of intent to apply must be submitted by potential applicants. Up to \$100,000 per year for up to three years (plus 8 percent of indirect costs) may be requested for single-center clinical research grants. For multi-center clinical research, the potential award is up to \$225,000 per year for up to three years (plus 8 percent of indirect costs)

**Harry Shwachman Clinical Investigator Award**

This three-year award provides the opportunity for clinically-trained physicians to develop into independent biomedical research investigators who are actively involved in CF-related areas. It is also intended to facilitate the transition from post-doctoral training to a career in academic medicine. Support is available for up to \$70,000 per year plus \$15,000 for supplies. U.S. citizenship or permanent resident status is required.

**Leroy Matthews Physician/Scientist Award**

This award will provide up to six years of support for outstanding, newly trained pediatricians and internists (M.D.'s and M.D./Ph.D.'s) to complete subspecialty training, develop into independent investigators, and initiate a research program. Institutional and individual grants are available. Support ranges from \$42,000 (stipend) plus \$10,000 (research and development) for the first year, to \$70,000 (stipend) plus \$15,000 (research and development) for the sixth year.

Furthermore, the foundation will underwrite the interest payments for educational loans for up to \$7,000 per year. U.S. citizenship or permanent resident status is required.

**Pilot and Feasibility Awards**

These grants support the development and testing of new hypotheses and/or new methods of CF research, and to support promising new investigators as they establish themselves in research areas relevant to CF. Proposed work must be hypothesis-driven and must reflect innovative approaches to critical questions in CF research. The award is not meant to support the continuation of programs begun under other granting mechanisms. Up to \$40,000 per year for two years may be requested.

**Post-Doctoral Research Fellowships**

These awards are offered to M.D.'s, Ph.D.'s, and M.D./Ph.D.'s interested in conducting basic or clinical research related to CF. Awards are offered through the foundation's network of research centers or through individual applications submitted to the foundation. Stipends are \$33,000 (first year), \$34,100 (second year), and \$36,300 (optional third year). U.S. citizenship or permanent resident status is required.

**Program for Adult Care Excellence (PACE)**

The program seeks to expand the scope of adult care programs for people with cystic fibrosis. The foundation will recruit and train cystic fibrosis care providers and fellows, with an overall goal of adding 40 new adult providers in care centers nationwide.

**Research Grants**

This grant mechanism is intended to encourage the development of new information that contributes to the understanding of the basic etiology and pathogenesis of CF. In addition, consideration will be given to those projects that provide insight into the development of information that may contribute to the development of new therapies of CF. All proposals must be hypothesis-driven, and sufficient preliminary data must be provided to justify support. Support is available for \$90,000 per year for a period of two years, at which time a grant may be competitively renewed for an additional two years of funding.

**RFA: Cystic Fibrosis Therapeutics Development Centers**

Co-sponsored by the foundation's Therapeutics Inc., funding is available to help accredited CF care centers improve their research capabilities and become therapeutics development centers (TDCs). Centers will be provided with the resources and capabilities to protect the safety and rights of individuals with CF involved in clinical research, optimize patient access to clinical trials of therapeutic approaches throughout the U.S., optimize the benefit of clinical research for the CF community by creating a centralized process for coordinating and prioritizing trials, and maximize the efficient use of resources for study development and contact. To be eligible for consideration, care centers must be fully accredited by the foundation. Funding will be guaranteed for up to \$100,000 for the first year, with funding for subsequent years contingent upon successful completion of specific initiatives.

**Student Traineeships**

Traineeships are offered to introduce students to research related to CF. Applicants must be students in or about to enter a doctoral program (M.D., Ph.D., or M.D./Ph.D.); senior-level undergraduates planning to pursue graduate training may also apply. Each applicant must work with a faculty sponsor on a research project related to CF. The award is \$1,500, of which \$1,200 is designated as a stipend for the trainee, and the remainder \$300 may be used for laboratory expenses.

### **Summer Scholarships in Epidemiology**

Awards of up to \$2,000 are available to cover tuition and expenses for selected summer epidemiology programs to M.D.s currently working in cystic fibrosis, to increase their skills in epidemiology. Course work should include biostatistics and epidemiology, particularly clinical epidemiology and/or clinical trials.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Cystic fibrosis

Cystic fibrosis research

### **Types of Support**

Fellowships

Grants to individuals

Matching/challenge support

Research

### **Publications**

Annual report

Application guidelines

Informational brochure

Newsletter

### **Application Information**

Applications must be submitted electronically at Proposal Central: <https://proposalcentral.altum.com>; see web site for application guidelines and deadlines. Application form required.

Deadline(s): Rolling for CF Foundation/NIH Funding Award and Student Traineeships; Apr. 1 for Summer Scholarships in Epidemiology; June 1 and Dec. 1 for Clinical Research Grants; 1st Wed. in Oct (1st- and 2nd-year) and 1st Wed. in Sept. (3rd- and 4th-year) for Clinical Fellowships; 1st Wed. in Sept. for all others

### **Officers and Trustees**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

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Donald C. Wood

**Memberships****Affinity Groups**

Community Health Charities

**Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Independent Sector

The Nonprofit Resource Center of Alabama

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$231,405,859

Assets: \$249,436,190 (market value)

Gifts received: \$220,175,316

Expenditures: \$218,981,160

Total giving: \$73,309,839

Program services expenses: \$109,421,843

Giving activities include:

\$73,204,814 for 396 grants (high: \$48,988,465; low: \$350)

\$105,025 for 27 grants to individuals (high: \$11,393; low: \$350)

\$36,112,004 for 3 foundation-administered programs

**Estimated financial data for year ending 12/31/07:**

Assets: \$288,184,491

Grants: \$27,906,689

**Additional Location Information**

County: Montgomery

Metropolitan area: Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV

**Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Therapeutics, Inc.**

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URL: [www.cff.org/research/CFFT/](http://www.cff.org/research/CFFT/)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Supporting organization

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$35,386,198; Total giving: \$22,779,229

**EIN:** 912059167

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 11/19/2007

**Background**

Established in 2000; supporting organization of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Discovery Component and Clinical Evaluation Awards**

Divided into two components, the Therapeutics Development Program facilitates drug discovery via high-throughput

screening and combinatorial chemistry to assure that new therapeutic candidates are identified and explored to their fullest potential. The Discovery Component uses basic research knowledge about CF that provides organizations with a powerful new opportunity to explore the possibility of CF-focused drug discovery. This award also guarantees the availability of new potential compounds for clinical investigation. Once lead compounds are identified, companies and academic organizations will be eligible for continued support through the Clinical Evaluation Component of the Therapeutics Development Program.

**Fields of Interest****Subjects**

Cystic fibrosis research

**Types of Support**

Research

**Application Information**

See foundation web site for additional application information.

**Officers and Directors**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

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Jonathan Cohn, M.D.

D. Paul Flessner

Catherine C. McLoud

Steven Shak, M.D.

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$52,335,192

Assets: \$35,386,198 (market value)

Gifts received: \$48,988,465

Expenditures: \$52,335,192

Total giving: \$22,779,229

Program services expenses: \$52,014,972

Giving activities include:

\$22,779,229 for 162 grants (high: \$3,061,917; low: \$2,833)

\$29,235,743 for 2 foundation-administered programs

**Estimated financial data for year ending 9/30/07:**

Assets: \$7,135,127

Grants: \$30,519,801

**Additional Location Information**

County: Montgomery

Metropolitan area: Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV

**Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research**

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URL: [www.michaeljfox.org](http://www.michaeljfox.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$35,826,263; Total giving: \$24,138,214

**EIN:** 134141945

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 4/9/2008

### **Background**

Established in 2000.

The foundation was founded by Michael J. Fox.

### **Limitations**

Giving on a national and international basis.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The foundation seeks to hasten the progress for the cure and possible end to Parkinson's disease.

### **Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

#### **Clinical Discovery Program**

Under this program, researchers are invited to submit grant applications to conduct novel or critical clinical research seeking to improve treatment of Parkinson's Disease (PD) and its complications. The intent of this program is to encourage patient-oriented investigation by supporting well-designed clinical research projects focused on potentially high-impact approaches that, if successful, should lead to improved treatment of PD within 5 years. Patient-oriented investigation is defined by the active recruitment and participation of consenting human subjects. Applicants may request a project period of up to three years, with an annual budget of up to \$200,000 for all direct costs of the work proposed, in addition to indirect costs of up to 25 percent of direct costs.

#### **Clinical Intervention Awards**

This program supports novel or clinical intervention trials of promising therapeutic approaches that can significantly and fundamentally improve treatments for Parkinson's Disease. Proposals should focus on tests of novel treatments that can ideally slow or halt disease progression, or that can greatly reduce PD motor and non-motor symptoms beyond and without the complications of current standards of care. Applications may be submitted by U.S. and non-U.S. entities, public, and private nonprofit entities, such as universities, colleges, hospitals, laboratories, units of state, and local governments; post-doctoral students or fellows are not eligible to apply as principal investigators. Applicants may request a project period of up to three years and direct costs appropriate and justifiable for the work proposed, in addition to indirect costs of up to 25 percent of direct costs.

#### **Cognitive Deficits and Mood Disorders in Parkinson's Disease**

Researchers are invited to submit investigator-initiated grant applications designed to promote preclinical and clinical research to understand the biological basis and develop treatments for cognitive deficits and behavioral disturbances (such as depression, anxiety, impulse control, and psychosis) associated with PD. Applications may be submitted by U.S. and non-U.S. entities, public and private non-profit entities, such as universities, colleges, hospitals, laboratories, units of state and local governments, and eligible agencies of the federal government and for-profit entities; post-doctoral students or

fellows are ineligible to apply as principal investigators.

### **Critical Challenges in Parkinson's Disease**

These grants focus on directly addressing specific critical challenges that the foundation recognizes every year as hindering the translation of findings on Parkinson's disease into meaningful clinical therapies. Funding priorities and grant amounts vary from year to year.

### **Developing and Validating Web-Based Clinical Assessment for Parkinson's Disease Program**

This program provides up to two years of support to be put towards the creation and testing of the feasibility of online clinical Web assessments that patients can utilize remotely (including various measurements of motor and/or non-motor symptoms of Parkinson's disease, or other approaches incorporating innovative uses of technology for direct assessment of PD in a Web-based format). Proposals will be evaluated on the development of assessments to be delivered through the Internet, development of the technology infrastructure through which the assessment will be accessed by patients, and design and implementation of a pilot study to assess the feasibility of the web-based assessments.

### **Development and Validation of Biomarkers for Parkinson's Disease Clinical Trials**

Grants are available to researchers for conducting novel or critical research seeking to identify, develop, and validate biomarkers that can have significant impact for improving Parkinson's Disease neuroprotective and disease-modifying clinical trials. Areas of particular interest include developing markers to improve patient selection, detection of disease progression (including measures that can distinguish disease-modifying from symptomatic effects), as well as markers of therapeutic targeting and target modulation. Projects may be for a period of up to two years, with a maximum total budget of \$500,000; indirect costs of no more than 25 percent of direct costs may be included within this maximum amount.

### **Improving Delivery of Parkinson's Disease Therapeutics to the Brain**

This initiative supports novel technologies to improve delivery of Parkinson's Disease therapeutics to the brain, either across the blood brain barrier or to the targeted brain region. Studies may include those that optimize current therapies or novel technologies aimed at accelerating transport across the blood brain barrier, or designed to understand and control the movement of molecules within the brain parenchyma. Applicants may request a project period of up to two years and direct costs appropriate and justifiable for the work proposed, in addition to indirect costs of up to 25 percent of direct costs.

### **Rapid Response Innovation Awards**

The goal of this program is to rapidly support innovative research focused on the cause of and cure for Parkinson's disease (PD). In particular, the foundation is eager to fund high-risk, high-reward projects tackling critical scientific roadblocks that if successful, can open new avenues for PD therapy development. The program is designed to support projects with little to no existing preliminary data, but that have the potential to significantly impact understanding or treatment of Parkinson's disease.

### **Research Grants**

Awards grants to investigators with scientific interests and demonstrated success in the development, culture, and manipulation of individual cell lines. The intent is to develop cell lines that will benefit researchers in their understanding of the causes of Parkinson's disease, to aid them in the developing of appropriate models relevant to understanding and treating the disease, and to assist them in developing innovative strategies to prevent, limit, or reverse the process of neuronal degeneration in Parkinson's disease.

### **Target Validation Initiative**

The initiative will award up to \$2 million in grants for investigator-initiated projects seeking to demonstrate that modulation of a specific cellular target (such as a gene or protein) results in a PD-relevant therapeutic response in an appropriate whole-animal mammalian model of Parkinson's disease. In particular, the initiative will target efforts that could lead to treatments for the symptoms of the disease, including both motor and non-motor symptoms such as cognitive dysfunction, autonomic dysfunction, sleep disorders, and depression. Also of interest are treatments that could be used to protect or restore degenerating neurons, or that can address complications of current PD treatments such as involuntary movements known as dyskinesias. Applicants may request a project period of up to two years and a total budget of \$250,000.

### **Therapeutics Development Initiative**

This two-year grant seeks funding for investigator-initiated applications designed to promote preclinical industry-initiated Parkinson's research programs, by proposing projects that develop or test novel therapeutic approaches in preclinical models for diagnosis, treatment, or prevention of Parkinson's. The program places particular interest on seeking to

catalyze and accelerate the development of innovative and effective treatments by funding the development of lead compounds through preclinical in-vitro and in-vivo testing as well as encourage the development of delivery platforms and technologies that could have significant impact on existing or future Parkinson's treatments.

**Fields of Interest****Subjects**

Brain disorders  
Brain research  
Medical research  
Parkinson's disease  
Parkinson's disease research

**Geographic Focus**

National; international

**Types of Support**

Annual campaigns  
Employee matching gifts  
General/operating support  
In-kind gifts  
Research

**Publications**

Application guidelines  
Grants list  
Informational brochure  
Newsletter

**Application Information**

See web site for current RFP opportunities and application guidelines. Application form required.

Initial approach: Online grant application; Submit pre-proposal for Therapeutics Development Initiative

Deadline(s): Rolling basis for Rapid Response Innovation Awards; May 28 for Therapeutics Development Initiative pre-proposal; May 10 for Clinical Discovery Program; May 17 for Development and Validation of Biomarkers for Parkinson's Disease Clinical Trials; Dec. 18 for Target Validation Initiative; varies for Critical Challenges in Parkinson's Disease

Final notification: 6 weeks for Rapid Response Innovation Awards

**Officers and Directors**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

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Donny Deutsch

David Einhorn

Karen Finerman

Nellie Fortenberry

Albert B. Glickman

John A. Griffin  
Skip Irving  
Jeffrey Katzenberg

**Number of Staff**

9 full-time professional  
2 part-time support

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$31,492,785  
Assets: \$35,826,263 (market value)  
Gifts received: \$31,063,349  
Expenditures: \$31,219,855  
Total giving: \$24,138,214  
Program services expenses: \$26,265,744  
Giving activities include:  
\$24,138,214 for grants to individuals  
\$2,127,530 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: New York  
Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**The High Q Foundation, Inc.**

c/o Kenneth J. Slutsky, Lowenstein Sandler  
65 Livingston Ave.  
Roseland, NJ 07068-1725

**Type of Grantmaker:** Independent foundation

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 11/30/05): Assets: \$44,084,763; Total giving: \$4,859,508

**EIN:** 020537670

**990-PF:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 1/10/2007

**Donor(s)**

Triplet Investment Company, LLC

**Background**

Established in 2002 in NJ.

**Limitations**

Applications not accepted.  
Giving on a national basis.  
No grants to individuals.

**Fields of Interest****Subjects**

Higher education  
Medical research

**Geographic Focus**

National

**Application Information**

Contributes only to pre-selected organizations.

**Officers and Trustees***Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

Kenneth J. Slutsky,\* President and Treasurer

Allen Levithan,\* Vice President and Secretary

John L. Berger,\* Vice President

**Financial Data****Year ended 11/30/05:**

Assets: \$44,084,763 (market value)

Gifts received: \$2,000,000

Expenditures: \$23,055,016

Total giving: \$4,859,508

Qualifying distributions: \$23,015,316

Giving activities include:

\$4,859,508 for 9 grants (high: \$3,552,000; low: \$8,800)

\$17,817,575 for 1 foundation-administered program

**Additional Location Information**

County: Essex

Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation International**

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New York, NY 10005-4001

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Contact: William Ahearn, V.P., Strategic Comms.

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E-mail: [info@jdrf.org](mailto:info@jdrf.org)URL: [www.jdrf.org](http://www.jdrf.org)**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public**Financial Data** (yr. ended 6/30/07): Assets: \$243,910,000; Total giving: \$137,826,000**EIN:** 231907729**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)**Last Updated:** 7/27/2008**Additional Contact Information**Toll-free tel.: (800) 533-2873; Foundation YouTube Channel URL: <http://youtube.com/user/jdrfonline>**Background**

Established in 1970 in PA.

**Limitations**

Giving on an international basis.

**Purpose and Activities**

The foundation's mission is to find a cure for diabetes and its complications through the support of research.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Clinical Investigation Research Grants**

Clinical Investigation Research Grants support clinical research programs that exceed the fiscal limit of JDRF's regular grant mechanism. They focus on early-stage clinical trials to test novel therapeutic approaches that may lead to further trials, and non-interventional studies leading to new therapies and monitoring tools.

**Industry Discovery and Development Partnerships**

Industry Discovery and Development Partnerships support applications from companies or for-profit entities proposing research programs targeted to one of JDRF's priority areas. They focus on preclinical or early-stage clinical trials, novel therapeutic approaches to diagnosis prevention, and the treatment of type 1 diabetes or its complications.

**Innovative Grants**

Innovative Grants support highly innovative basic and clinical research still at the developmental stage.

**Program Project Grants**

Program Project Grants provide a mechanism to stimulate new collaborations between clinical and basic scientists and/or between scientists from diverse backgrounds as a means to develop new approaches to persistent obstacles to progress.

**Regular Research Grants**

Regular Research Grants support proposals on the leading edge of diabetes and that address JDRF research emphasis areas.

**Research Centers Grants**

JDRF Research Centers Grants are flagship programs providing leading scientists and clinicians with the chance to bring together, in a collaborative, goal-focused environment, the diverse expertise needed to drive new and emerging ideas rapidly into clinical benefit. Centers are organized around specific research priorities within each of the three goal areas, for example, islet transplantation tolerance, prevention and treatment of hypoglycemia, and genetics of type 1 diabetes.

**Training Awards**

Training Awards are given to attract promising scientists to the diabetes research field and support them during training or early in their career.

**Fields of Interest****Subjects**

Diabetes

Diabetes research

**Population Groups**

Children/youth

**Geographic Focus**

International

**Types of Support**

Research

**Publications**

Annual report

Informational brochure

Newsletter

**Application Information**

See Web site for additional information. Application form required.

Initial approach: Telephone or e-mail

Copies of proposal: 8

Deadline(s): Varies

Final notification: Varies

**Officers and Directors**

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**Memberships****Affinity Groups**

Coalition for the Advancement of Medical Research (CAMR)

Community Health Charities

**Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Greater Baltimore Committee

**Financial Data****Year ended 6/30/07:**

Revenue: \$214,433,000

Assets: \$243,910,000 (market value)

Gifts received: \$203,650,000

Expenditures: \$216,588,000

Total giving: \$137,826,000

Program services expenses: \$186,490,000  
Giving activities include:  
\$137,826,000 for grants  
\$48,664,000 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: New York  
Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**Susan G. Komen for the Cure**

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URL: [www.komen.org](http://www.komen.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 3/31/07): Assets: \$205,455,722; Total giving: \$76,714,928

**EIN:** 751835298

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/28/2008

**Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (888) 300-5582

**Background**

Established in 1982 in TX.

Founded by Nancy Brinker.

**Limitations**

Giving on a national and international basis.

**Purpose and Activities**

The organization seeks to eradicate breast cancer as a life-threatening disease by advancing research, education, treatment and screening.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Brinker Award for Scientific Distinction**

The award recognizes outstanding work that has advanced basic research concepts, or affected clinical or social-behavioral applications in the field of breast cancer research, screening, treatment or prevention. The intent is to recognize scholars for a specific contribution, a consistent pattern of contributions, or leadership in the field that has had a substantial impact on breast cancer. The award is given in two categories. The Basic Science award is presented to a researcher who has added substantively to the understanding of the basic biology of, or development of, methodologies that further the ability to unravel the genetic and molecular basis of breast cancer. The Clinical Research award is presented to a clinician who has significantly furthered the identification of new prevention, detection or treatment

approaches for breast cancer and its translation into clinical care. Awards are accompanied by \$20,000 to be used to further the recipients' activities in breast cancer research.

**Career Catalyst in Disparities Research (CC-DR)**

These grants seek to foster independent careers in research exploring the basis for differences in breast cancer outcomes and the translation of this research into clinical and public health practice interventions, particularly among junior scientists from populations affected by breast cancer disparities.

**College Scholarship Award**

The program assists students who have lost a parent to breast cancer. The program offers college scholarships of up to \$10,000 a year, over a four-year period, to young adults (graduating high school to age 25)

**Dr. LaSalle D. Leffall Jr., Fellowship in Health Disparities Program**

The fellowship is awarded annually to support the participation of underrepresented racial and ethnic groups in the field of breast cancer. The fellowship provides funding at the post-doctoral level to a host institution, for a three-year program supporting training and research addressing health disparities as they pertain to breast cancer.

**Interdisciplinary Breast Fellowship Program**

The program works to prepare highly motivated, talented and compassionate physicians for careers devoted to serving the multi-specialty needs of the breast cancer patient; offer an interdisciplinary curriculum integrated into a comprehensive program; and provide special emphasis on enhancing the physician's understanding of the patient with benign and malignant breast disease while developing a better treatment environment for future patients.

**Investigator Initiated Research**

This area seeks to stimulate exploration of new ideas and novel approaches that will lead to reductions in breast cancer incidence and/or mortality within the next decade. Special emphasis will be given to studies seeking to understand the basis for differences in breast cancer outcomes and translating research discoveries into clinical and public health practice to eliminate breast cancer disparities.

**Komen Professor of Survivorship Award**

This program works to advance research and awareness on the issues surrounding long-term survivorship of breast cancer. Awards will be made to individuals who have made significant contributions in the field of breast cancer survivorship.

**National Race for the Cure Grants**

With funds raised at the Komen National Race for the Cure, grants will be made to support evidence-based strategies and promising practices to reduce breast cancer disparities in Washington, DC and the surrounding areas of Montgomery County and Prince George's County, MD, and Alexandria City, Fairfax County, Loudoun County, Arlington County, and Prince William County, VA. Komen has identified three funding priority areas: to remove cultural and linguistic barriers that women face throughout the entire continuum of breast health care; to increase access to breast health information and services to women living in neighborhoods with high poverty rates; and to engage the faith community in ensuring the delivery of culturally competent breast health information and services. Two types of grants are available.

Community-Based Programs offer up to \$150,000 over two or three years to single institutions; proposals must include a significant process evaluation component. Community-Academic Partnership Programs offer up to \$700,000 over two or three years to a lead agency on behalf of a coalition or partnership, which must include at least one community-based organization and one academic institution. Eligible programs must also include a significant impact evaluation component.

**Post-Baccalaureate Fellowship in Disparities Research (PBF-DR)**

These grants seek to attract individuals from populations affected by disparities in breast cancer outcomes into careers seeking to understand and eliminate these disparities; provide the tools and environment in which students very early in their career can begin to define meaningful career paths focused on addressing disparities in breast cancer; and empower these students with the analytic, research, scientific, clinical, and public health skills critical to effectively exploring the basis for differences in breast cancer outcomes and translating research discoveries into clinical and public health practice to eliminate disparities in breast cancer outcomes.

**Postdoctoral Fellowship**

The fellowship seeks to attract scientists into careers addressing important research questions about breast cancer, expand the skills and expertise of breast cancer researchers in training, and position trainees for independent careers conducting breast cancer research that will directly affect breast cancer patients.

**Promise Grant**

These grants seek the aggressive translation of scientific discoveries into clinical tools and applications that have the greatest potential to significantly reduce breast cancer incidence and/or mortality within the next decade.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Breast cancer  
Breast cancer research  
Cancer  
Cancer research  
Health care  
Health organizations  
Medicine/medical care, public education

#### **Population Groups**

Women

### **Geographic Focus**

National; international

### **Types of Support**

Fellowships  
In-kind gifts  
Internship funds  
Professorships  
Program development  
Publication  
Research  
Scholarships--to individuals

### **Publications**

Annual report  
Application guidelines  
Financial statement  
Grants list  
Informational brochure  
Newsletter

### **Application Information**

See web site for online grants application system.

Deadline(s): June 8 for Brinker Award nominations; Aug. 11 for National Race for the Cure Grants; Aug. 22 for Career Catalyst in Disparities Research and Post-Baccalaureate Fellowship in Disparities Research

### **Officers and Directors**

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Cindy Schneible, Vice President, Development  
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Cheryl Jernigan  
Brenda Lauderback  
Clifton Leaf  
Connie O'Neill  
Robert Taylor

**Number of Staff**

56 full-time professional  
48 full-time support  
3 part-time support

**Memberships****Regional Associations of Grantmakers**

Philanthropy Northwest

**Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Independent Sector

The Nonprofit Resource Center of Alabama

**Financial Data****Year ended 3/31/07:**

Revenue: \$161,974,711  
Assets: \$205,455,722 (market value)  
Gifts received: \$125,004,591  
Expenditures: \$136,320,530  
Total giving: \$76,714,928  
Program services expenses: \$113,265,946  
Giving activities include:  
\$76,630,517 for 335 grants (high: \$5,700,000; low: \$1,285)  
\$84,411 for 62 grants to individuals (high: \$2,000; low: \$476)

**Additional Location Information**

County: Dallas

Metropolitan area: Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX

**Susan G. Komen for the Cure Affiliates**

5005 Lyndon B. Johnson Fwy., Ste. 250

Dallas, TX 75244-6125

Telephone: (972) 855-1600

Fax: (972) 855-1605

E-mail: [grants@komen.org](mailto:grants@komen.org)

URL: [cms.komen.org/komen/Affiliates/index.htm](http://cms.komen.org/komen/Affiliates/index.htm)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 3/31/07): Assets: \$120,135,248; Total giving: \$71,932,764

**EIN:** 752462834

**990:** [2007](#) [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/14/2008

**Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (888) 330-5582

**Purpose and Activities**

The affiliate network aims to eradicate breast cancer as a life-threatening disease by advancing research, education, screening and treatment.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Community-Based Grants**

Affiliates award needs-based community grants to programs that address the specific unmet breast health needs of their communities. They work with local medical experts and community leaders to conduct comprehensive community needs assessments. These community profiles are then used to establish local grant application and review processes consistent with Susan G. Komen for the Cure's standards and mission.

**Fields of Interest****Subjects**

Breast cancer  
Breast cancer research  
Cancer  
Cancer research

**Types of Support**

Fellowships  
Research  
Scholarship funds

**Publications**

Annual report  
Application guidelines  
Financial statement  
Newsletter

**Application Information**

Initial approach: Contact local affiliate

**Officers and Directors**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

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Diana Rowden, Vice President, Health Services  
Peter Williams, Vice President, Human Resources  
Kevin Speirits, Chief Financial Officer  
Norman Brinker  
Linda Custard  
Aimee DiCicco  
Cheryl Jernigan

Clifton Leaf  
Connie O'Neal  
Robert Taylor

**Financial Data****Year ended 3/31/07:**

Revenue: \$140,497,354  
Assets: \$120,135,248 (market value)  
Gifts received: \$111,908,005  
Expenditures: \$130,820,030  
Total giving: \$71,932,764  
Program services expenses: \$86,645,872  
Giving activities include:  
\$71,932,764 for 2,562 grants (high: \$371,522; low: \$237)  
\$14,713,108 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: Dallas  
Metropolitan area: Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX

**Lupus Research Institute, Inc.**

330 7th Ave., Ste. 1701  
New York, NY 10001  
Telephone: (212) 812-9881  
Fax: (212) 545-1843  
E-mail: [lupus@lupusny.org](mailto:lupus@lupusny.org)  
URL: [www.lupusresearchinstitute.org/](http://www.lupusresearchinstitute.org/)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 6/30/07): Assets: \$2,602,110; Total giving: \$3,839,631

**EIN:** 061565950

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/27/2008

**Background**

Established in NY.

**Purpose and Activities**

The institute encourages research to discover the cause and cure of Lupus.

**Fields of Interest****Subjects**

Lupus  
Lupus research

**Types of Support**

Research

**Officer**

Margaret Dowd, Executive Director

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Jeri Falk  
C.J. Feinberg  
Anita Fricklas  
Susan Golick  
Thomas R. Kaplan  
Stuart S. Karson, M.D.

**Financial Data****Year ended 6/30/07:**

Revenue: \$3,245,953  
Assets: \$2,602,110 (market value)  
Gifts received: \$3,177,459  
Expenditures: \$5,062,536  
Total giving: \$3,839,631  
Program services expenses: \$4,755,492  
Giving activities include:  
\$3,839,631 for grants  
\$915,861 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: New York  
Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**March of Dimes Foundation**

(formerly March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation)

1275 Mamaroneck Ave.  
White Plains, NY 10605-5201  
Telephone: (914) 428-7100  
Contact: Jane E. Massey, C.O.O. and Exec. V.P.  
Fax: (914) 997-4560  
E-mail: [researchgrants@marchofdimes.com](mailto:researchgrants@marchofdimes.com)  
URL: [www.marchofdimes.com](http://www.marchofdimes.com)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/07): Assets: \$184,371,882; Total giving: \$49,330,180

**EIN:** 131846366

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/27/2008

**Additional Contact Information**

Additional tel.: (914) 997-4555; Additional E-mail: [mkatz@marchofdimes.com](mailto:mkatz@marchofdimes.com)

**Background**

Established in 1938 in NY.

Established in 1938 to address the polio epidemic. With the defeat of polio, the March of Dimes took on the challenge of addressing birth defects and prematurity.

### **Limitations**

Giving on a national basis.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The foundation aims to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects and infant mortality. It accomplishes this through the Campaign for Healthier Babies, which includes various programs for research, community services, education, and advocacy.

### **Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

#### **Agnes Higgins Award**

The award recognizes distinguished achievement in research, education or clinical services in the field of maternal-fetal nutrition. Each winner receives a \$3,000 honorarium. Nominations for the award are sought every two years.

#### **Basil O'Connor Starter Scholar Research Awards**

Provides up to \$75,000 per year for 2 years for technical assistance and supplies needed by young scientists who are ready to begin independent research after completing postdoctoral training. Funding is limited to those holding recent faculty appointments at the instructor or assistant professor level.

#### **Nursing Scholarships**

Several \$5,000 scholarships are awarded to recognize and promote excellence in the nursing care of mothers and infants. Qualified applicants are registered nurses currently enrolled in a graduate program in maternal-child nursing at the master's or doctorate level with at least one academic term to complete after May. Applicant should be a member of the American College of Nurse-Midwives, the Association of Women's Health, Obstetric, and Neonatal Nurses, or the National Association of Neonatal Nurses.

#### **Program Grants**

The foundation funds maternal-child health program grants in collaboration with March of Dimes local chapters. External organizations can apply for funding to support programs working to improve the health of mothers and babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality. Priority is given to projects that, based on community needs, address increased access to health care or prevention services to help reduce disparities or preterm birth. Grants range generally from one to three years and from \$10,000 to \$25,000.

#### **Research Grants**

Grants are awarded to qualified institutions to support research on birth defects.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Genetics/birth defects

Genetics/birth defects research

### **Geographic Focus**

National

### **Types of Support**

Annual campaigns

Conferences/seminars

Employee matching gifts

Endowments

Fellowships

In-kind gifts

Matching/challenge support  
 Program development  
 Program evaluation  
 Research  
 Scholarships--to individuals

### **Publications**

Annual report  
 Application guidelines  
 Financial statement  
 Grants list  
 Informational brochure  
 Newsletter

### **Application Information**

Applicants must hold faculty appointments. Applications will be invited from those whom the committee recommends.  
 Application form required.  
 Initial approach: Request or download application form  
 Board meeting date(s): Quarterly  
 Deadline(s): Jan. 16 for Nursing Scholarships; Mar. 15 for Basil O'Connor Starter Scholar Research Award  
 Final notification: No later than June 30 for Research Grants; no later than Jan. for Basil O'Connor Award

### **Officers and Trustees**

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 John Woodruff

**Number of Staff**

1130 full-time professional  
 164 part-time professional  
 18 full-time support  
 59 part-time support

**Memberships**

**Affinity Groups**

Community Health Charities  
 Health Research Alliance

**Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Independent Sector  
 South Carolina Association of Nonprofit Organizations

**Financial Data**

**Year ended 12/31/07:**

Revenue: \$247,712,377  
 Assets: \$184,371,882 (market value)  
 Gifts received: \$236,928,297  
 Expenditures: \$234,859,379  
 Total giving: \$49,330,180  
 Program services expenses: \$180,254,493  
 Giving activities include:  
 \$49,330,180 for grants  
 \$130,924,313 for foundation-administered programs

**Muscular Dystrophy Association, Inc.**

3300 E. Sunrise Dr.  
 Tucson, AZ 85718-3208  
 Telephone: (520) 529-2000  
 Contact: Grants Mgr.  
 Fax: (520) 529-5454  
 E-mail: [grants@mdausa.org](mailto:grants@mdausa.org)  
 URL: [www.mdausa.org/research](http://www.mdausa.org/research)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 3/31/07): Assets: \$216,080,833; Total giving: \$50,412,170

**EIN:** 131665552

990: [2007](#) [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#)

Last Updated: 5/30/2008

### **Background**

Established in 1950.

### **Limitations**

Giving on a national and international basis.

No grants for salaries, travel, housing related to sabbatical leaves, purchase or rental of office equipment, or tuition.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The association was formed as a voluntary health agency to provide comprehensive medical services to people with neuromuscular diseases, free of charge. Funding also for worldwide research in the scientific study of neuromuscular disease, including its causes and treatments.

### **Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

#### **Clinical Research Training Grant**

This grant program is designed to provide promising young clinicians the research training opportunities needed to become productive clinical investigators in neuromuscular disease research. This training opportunity is designed to be compatible with the requirements of a traditional clinical fellowship in neuromuscular disease. Trainees will be expected to design their own educational plans and to participate, under the supervision of a mentor, in the development and/or coordination of a clinical research project. At minimum, trainees should gain experience in the basic epidemiological methods of clinical research, ethical and legal issues, and the principles involved in monitoring patient-oriented research, including regulatory requirements and quality assurance. Recipients are also encouraged to acquire knowledge of and exposure to research technologies, large dataset management, bioinformatics and other research tools, as well as to develop the communication and collaboration skills necessary for successful investigator development. Grants will be awarded annually to no more than two qualified recipients for \$90,000 per year for two years.

#### **Development Grant**

Grants of up to \$45,000 per year for up to three years are available to candidates who may be a member of a research team in the laboratory of an independent investigator (principal investigator) under whose guidance the applicant will be given flexibility to conduct a neuromuscular disease research project. Eligible applicants must: hold a M.D., Ph.D., D.Sc., or equivalent degree; be a member of a research team at an appropriate institution; be qualified to conduct a program of original research under the supervision of a principal investigator; have an acceptable research plan for a specific disease in MDA's program; have access to institutional resources necessary to conduct the proposed research project; and have at least eighteen months of post-doctoral research laboratory training at the time of the application.

#### **Mitochondrial Therapeutic Approaches Research Award**

The association and the Friedrich's Ataxia Research Alliance seek to award this grant focusing on critical issues or hypotheses that advance therapeutic approaches to mitochondrial dysfunction as it relates to neurodegenerative diseases. The total award is limited to \$100,000 (indirect costs can not exceed 10 percent) per year for two years.

#### **Research Grant**

Applicants must be a professional or faculty member at an appropriate educational, medical, or research institution and be qualified to conduct and supervise a program of original research; have access to institutional resources necessary to conduct the proposed research project; and hold a Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Science, or equivalent degree. Funding levels for research grants are unlimited.

#### **Translational Research Corporate Grant**

The association and the Friedrich's Ataxia Research Alliance seek to award this grant focusing on critical issues or hypotheses that advance therapeutic approaches to mitochondrial dysfunction as it relates to neurodegenerative diseases. The total award is limited to \$100,000 (indirect costs can not exceed 10 percent) per year for two years.

#### **Translational Research Infrastructure Grant**

This program is designed to fund the development of infrastructure - tools, techniques, or services - that will be of use to

the neuromuscular disease research community for the purposes of therapy development. Although the need for the proposed infrastructure can be presented in the context of a specific research project or projects, the grant will ultimately be evaluated on the need for the infrastructure by the community at large, and on the applicant's specific plan for making this resource available to the community. Infrastructure projects must be consistent with the goals with the association's strategic research plan. Examples of acceptable infrastructure projects include, but are not limited to, development of databases and registries, core facilities (e.g. vector production, muscle imaging, drug screening), microarray chips, animal model resources, tissue repositories, and components of clinical research networks.

### **Translational Research Pre-IND Grant**

This one- to two-year grant is designed to aid academic investigators in meeting the requirements for submitting an Investigational New Drug (IND) application to the Food and Drug Administration for a drug or biologic intended to treat neuromuscular diseases in the association's program. It is understood that the applicant will have completed proof of principle studies, and informal toxicology testing, and will have identified a manufacturer or supplier for clinical-grade quantities of the final drug or biologic at the time the TR-INDG is submitted. Funding may be used for: 1) contracting of manufacturing and toxicology services needed to meet the regulatory requirements of an IND; 2) limited use of contract research organizations or regulatory consultants; 3) salaries for staff as needed with appropriate experience in meeting regulatory requirements; or 4) completion of training courses in regulatory compliance and human subject protection. The applicant should be the Investigator or Co-Investigator on the resulting IND or the Investigator/Sponsor or Co-Investigator/Sponsor.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Genetics/birth defects research  
Muscular dystrophy  
Muscular dystrophy research  
Nerve, muscle & bone diseases  
Nerve, muscle & bone research

### **Geographic Focus**

National; international

### **Types of Support**

Equipment  
Fellowships  
Grants to individuals  
In-kind gifts  
Research  
Technical assistance

### **Publications**

Annual report  
Application guidelines  
Financial statement  
Grants list  
Informational brochure  
Newsletter

### **Application Information**

Potential applicants are strongly encouraged to contact association staff before submitting a letter of intent for Translational Research Grants; only those applicants with successful letters of intent will be invited to submit full proposals. Application form required.

Initial approach: Submit letter of intent

Deadline(s): Jan. 15 and July 15 for Research and Development Grants; Mar. 3 for Translational Research Grants; June 15 for Mitochondrial Therapeutic Approaches Research Award; Aug. 1 for Clinical Research Training Grants

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 Joseph S. DiMartino  
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 Olin F. Morris  
 Lois R. West

### **Memberships**

#### **Affinity Groups**

Community Health Charities  
 Health Research Alliance

### **Financial Data**

#### **Year ended 3/31/07:**

Revenue: \$187,994,229  
 Assets: \$216,080,833 (market value)  
 Gifts received: \$183,532,791  
 Expenditures: \$189,107,422  
 Total giving: \$50,412,170  
 Program services expenses: \$146,363,358  
 Giving activities include:  
 \$32,567,668 for 355 grants (high: \$1,309,500; low: \$960)  
 \$17,844,502 for grants to individuals  
 \$95,951,188 for foundation-administered programs

### **Additional Location Information**

County: Pima  
 Metropolitan area: Tucson, AZ

### **Christopher Reeve Foundation**

(doing business as Christopher and Dana Reeve Foundation)

636 Morris Tpke., Ste. 3A  
 Short Hills, NJ 07078-2608  
 Telephone: (973) 379-2690  
 Contact: Peter Wilderotter, Pres.  
 Fax: (973) 912-9433  
 E-mail: [info@ChristopherReeve.org](mailto:info@ChristopherReeve.org)

URL: [www.christopherreeve.org](http://www.christopherreeve.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$14,236,399; Total giving: \$9,252,696

**EIN:** 222939536

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 1/13/2008

### **Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (800) 225-0292

Additional URL: [www.apacure.org/](http://www.apacure.org/)

### **Background**

Established in 1999 in NJ by the merger of the Christopher Reeve Foundation and the American Paralysis Association.

### **Limitations**

Giving on a national basis.

No support for private foundations.

No grants for purchase of major equipment, or indirect costs amounting to more than 10 percent of direct costs.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The foundation encourages and supports research to develop effective treatments and a cure for paralysis caused by spinal cord injury and other central nervous system disorders. It also allocates a portion of its resources to grants that improve the quality of life for people with disabilities.

### **Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

#### **Core Pilot Program**

This program is designed to give investigators who work in fields other than spinal cord research the opportunity to participate in pilot studies of potential therapeutic interventions for spinal cord injury. Preferences for these awards will be given to young investigators and applications from postdoctoral fellows (who must include a letter of commitment to their project from their mentors with their applications)

#### **Individual Research Grants**

This program supports investigator-initiated research on a variety of fronts, including axon growth and guidance, remyelination, cellular replacement, rehabilitation, and neuroprotection. Applications will be accepted from those with a Ph.D., M.D., or other equivalent professional degree, employed at a qualifying research institution; established scientists, young investigators who have completed a postdoc within the last 5 years, and postdoctoral fellows may serve as principal investigators. Two-year awards are available for senior scientists and young investigators with a maximum funding level of \$75,000 per year, while postdoctoral fellowships are available with a maximum funding level of \$60,000 per year.

#### **NeuroRecovery Network Grant Program**

This program provides support for the translation of basic science and applied research into intensive activity-based rehabilitation treatments. This would also include the establishment of specialized centers that provide standardized care based on current scientific and clinical evidence. Long-term goals include: maximizing the availability and quality of rehabilitative care for patients with spinal cord injuries and other neurological disorders; developing a comprehensive database to track the success of activity-based therapeutic interventions; identifying the optimal locomotor training regimens for specific patient populations; and maintaining an administrative network that can supply logistical, technical, and personnel-based support for rehabilitation programs.

#### **Quality of Life Grants**

Given to programs or projects that improve the daily lives of people living with paralysis, particularly spinal cord injuries.

Funding is awarded twice yearly to programs in thirteen categories, including: accessibility, advocacy, arts, assistive technology, children, counseling, education, employment, health promotion, independent living, practical services, sports and recreation and therapeutic riding. The primary focus of the Quality of Life grants is paralysis caused by spinal cord injury. To qualify for funding, a nonprofit organization does not have to exclusively serve people with spinal cord injuries; however, at least a portion of the population served must have spinal cord injuries. The health promotion category of these grants provides funding to nonprofit organizations that address paralysis caused by spinal cord injuries and/or other injuries, diseases and birth conditions, including (but not limited to): stroke, spina bifida, multiple sclerosis, cerebral palsy, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, traumatic brain injury, etc. Grants in the health promotion category are made possible by a cooperative agreement between the foundation and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Health promotion grants are intended for programmatic activities and not solely for the purchase of equipment for use by individuals. Health promotion grants also cannot fund advocacy or food.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Assistive technology  
Independent living, disability  
Medical research  
Nerve, muscle & bone diseases  
Nerve, muscle & bone research  
Spine disorders research

#### **Population Groups**

Disabilities, people with

### **Geographic Focus**

National

### **Types of Support**

Grants to individuals  
Research

### **Publications**

Annual report  
Application guidelines  
Newsletter

### **Application Information**

Application form required. Applicants should submit the following:

1. Timetable for implementation and evaluation of project
2. Qualifications of key personnel
3. Statement of problem project will address
4. Population served
5. Listing of board of directors, trustees, officers and other key people and their affiliations
6. Detailed description of project and amount of funding requested
7. Contact person
8. Listing of additional sources and amount of support

Initial approach: Telephone, fax, or e-mail

Board meeting date(s): June and Dec.

Deadline(s): Mar. 1 for Core Pilot Program; June and Dec. for Individual Research Grants

Final notification: June and Dec. for Research Grants; June and Dec. for Quality of Life

**Officers and Directors**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

Peter D. Kiernan, III,\* Chairperson  
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Janet Hanson  
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Sheila C. Johnson  
Robin Williams

**Number of Staff**

32 unspecified staff

**Memberships****Affinity Groups**

Coalition for the Advancement of Medical Research (CAMR)

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$15,927,145  
Assets: \$14,236,399 (market value)  
Gifts received: \$16,004,988  
Expenditures: \$16,951,273  
Total giving: \$9,252,696  
Program services expenses: \$13,659,258  
Giving activities include:  
\$1,737,689 for 228 grants (high: \$85,068; low: \$1,500)  
\$7,515,007 for 49 grants to individuals (high: \$125,000; low: \$1,000)  
\$4,406,562 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: Essex

Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**Research to Prevent Blindness, Inc.**

(also known as RPB)  
645 Madison Ave., 21st Fl.  
New York, NY 10022-1010  
Telephone: (212) 752-4333  
Contact: James Romano  
Fax: (212) 688-6231  
E-mail: [inforequest@rpbusa.org](mailto:inforequest@rpbusa.org)

URL: [www.rpbusa.org](http://www.rpbusa.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/07): Assets: \$14,318,477; Total giving: \$1,680,196

**EIN:** 131945117

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/27/2008

### **Additional Contact Information**

Toll-free tel.: (800) 621-0026

### **Donor(s)**

*Note: If a donor is deceased, the symbol (‡) follows the name.*

Jules Stein, M.D.‡

### **Background**

Established in 1960 in NY.

### **Limitations**

Giving on a national basis.

No grants to individuals.

### **Purpose and Activities**

The organization is committed to stimulating, sustaining, and intensifying a concerted research assault, with the goal of developing more effective treatments, preventives, and cures for all diseases of the visual system that damage and destroy sight. The organization mobilizes financial resources in support of eye research, making available essential laboratory space, scientific personnel, and advanced technological equipment in its mission, which seeks to preserve vision and restore sight. RPB supports eye research in over 50 medical colleges and universities throughout the country through its grant programs and its supporting organization, the Research to Prevent Blindness Endowment Fund.

### **Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

#### **Grants**

Grant categories are as follows: 1) Unrestricted/Challenge Grants to nationally recognized university- connected eye research centers. Applications for the individual award categories listed in 2-8 following must be submitted through the Ophthalmology Department Chairs of medical research centers who receive Unrestricted or Challenge Grants; 2) Stein Professorships; 3) Career Development Awards; 4) Senior Scientific Investigator Awards; 5) Physician-Scientist Awards; 6) Lew R. Wasserman Merit Awards; 7) Special Scholars Awards; and 8) Disney Awards for Amblyopia Research.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Eye diseases

Eye research

### **Geographic Focus**

National

### **Types of Support**

Research

**Publications**

Annual report  
 Financial statement  
 Informational brochure  
 Newsletter

**Application Information**

Applications must be submitted by chairperson of the department of ophthalmology at a U.S. medical institution; See Web site for additional programs. Application form required.

Initial approach: Telephone or e-mail

Copies of proposal: 25

Board meeting date(s): Mar., June, and Dec.

Deadline(s): Jan. 1 and July 1

Final notification: June or Dec.

**Officers and Trustees**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

David F. Weeks,\* Chairperson

Diane S. Swift,\* President and Assistant Treasurer

Jean Stein,\* Vice President and Secretary

Richard E. Baker,\* Treasurer

Richard G. Hewitt

John Kusmiersky

Sidney J. Sheinberg

Herbert J. Siegel

Katrina Vanden Heuvel

Casey Wasserman

Thomas Wertheimer



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**Number of Staff**

5 full-time professional

2 full-time support

2 part-time support

**Memberships****Affinity Groups**

Community Health Charities

**Associations and Other Philanthropic Organizations**

Nonprofit Coordinating Committee of New York

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/07:**

Revenue: \$2,856,225

Assets: \$14,318,477 (market value)

Gifts received: \$1,426,713

Expenditures: \$4,024,499

Total giving: \$1,680,196

Program services expenses: \$3,436,914

Giving activities include:

\$1,680,196 for grants

\$1,756,718 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: New York

Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**Research to Prevent Blindness Endowment Fund, Inc.**

645 Madison Ave., 21st Fl.

New York, NY 10022-1010

Contact: James Romano

URL: [www.rpbusa.org](http://www.rpbusa.org)

**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity

**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)

**Additional Descriptor:** Supporting organization

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/07): Assets: \$259,041,566; Total giving: \$9,071,042

**EIN:** 133471559

**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)

**Last Updated:** 7/27/2008

**Background**

Established in 1960; supporting organization of Research to Prevent Blindness, Inc., NY.

**Limitations**

Applications not accepted.

Giving on a national basis.

**Purpose and Activities**

The organization provides financial resources needed to support a comprehensive program of eye research directed at the prevention, treatment or eradication of all diseases that threaten vision. The fund is operated for the sole benefit of the Research to Prevent Blindness, Inc.

**Fields of Interest**

**Subjects**

Eye research

**Geographic Focus**

National

**Types of Support**

Research

**Application Information**

Contributes only to university-connected medical schools; unsolicited individual requests for funds not considered or acknowledged.

**Officers and Trustees**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

David F. Weeks,\* Chairperson

Diane S. Swift,\* President

Richard E. Baker,\* Treasurer

**Financial Data****Year ended 12/31/07:**

Revenue: \$29,125,575

Assets: \$259,041,566 (market value)

Expenditures: \$10,993,897

Total giving: \$9,071,042

Program services expenses: \$9,691,743

Giving activities include:

\$9,071,042 for grants

\$620,701 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: New York

Metropolitan area: New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA

**Ronald McDonald House Charities**

(formerly Ronald McDonald Children's Charities)

1 Kroc Dr.

Oak Brook, IL 60523-2275

Telephone: (630) 623-7048

Contact: Palmer Moody, Dir., Comms.

Fax: (630) 623-7488

URL: [www.rmhc.org](http://www.rmhc.org)**Type of Grantmaker:** Public charity**IRS Exemption Status:** 501(c)(3)**Additional Descriptor:** Company-sponsored foundation

Organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public

**Financial Data** (yr. ended 12/31/06): Assets: \$113,811,570; Total giving: \$17,627,451**EIN:** 362934689**990:** [2006](#) [2005](#) [2004](#) [2003](#) [2002](#)**Last Updated:** 1/23/2008**Background**

Established in 1984 in IL in memory of Ray A. Kroc, founder of McDonald's Corp.

**Limitations**

Giving on a national and international basis.

No grants to individuals, or for advertising, fundraising drives, partisan/political/denominational programs, ongoing general and administrative costs (including salaries, travel, and overhead), intermediary funding agencies, endowment campaigns, or medical research.

**Purpose and Activities**

The organization creates, finds, and supports programs that directly improve the health and well being of children and their families around the world.

**Program Area(s)**

The grantmaker has identified the following area(s) of interest:

**Awards of Excellence**

These awards recognize individual efforts that have improved children's lives. The achievements of a physician who has made an outstanding contribution in the field of health care, and those of an individual who has done the same for the

general well-being of children, are honored with a \$100,000 grant to be given to the nonprofit children's organization identified by the recipient.

### **Global Grants**

Grants are available to nonprofit, tax-exempt organizations whose national or global programs help improve the health and well-being of children. Eligible organizations should have a specific program that addresses a significant funding gap or critical opportunity, has long-term impact in terms of replication or reach, and produces measurable results.

### **Ronald McDonald Care Mobile Program**

The program is a fleet of state-of-the-art vehicles that deliver cost-effective medical, dental, and education services directly to underserved children in their own neighborhoods. The vehicles are equipped with telemedicine capabilities that can transmit images, provide remote consultations, video conferencing and medical/surgical follow-up. The vehicle is 40-feet long, 8-feet wide and accommodates two patient examination rooms, a laboratory, and a pharmacy. The mobile provides a number of medical and dental services including: primary care, specialty care, blood collection, diagnosis, treatment, referral, follow-up for serious medical conditions, health education, and federally-assisted health insurance program enrollment.

### **Ronald McDonald Family Room Program**

The first Ronald McDonald Family Room opened in 1992 in Kansas City, Kansas. Today, there are over one hundred family rooms in existence providing a haven within the hospital for the families of children undergoing treatment. The family room serves as a place of respite for family members to step away from the stressful hospital environment.

Designed to reflect a comfortable environment, many families use the family room to rest and reflect.

### **Ronald McDonald House Program**

The mission of the Ronald McDonald House program is to provide a "home away from home" for families of seriously ill children receiving treatment at nearby hospitals. The Ronald McDonald House provides a comfortable, supportive lodging alternative for these families. It serves as a temporary residence near the medical facility where family members can sleep, eat, relax and find support from other families in similar situations. In return, families are asked to make a donation ranging on average from \$5 to \$20 per day, but if that isn't possible, their stay is free.

### **Fields of Interest**

#### **Subjects**

Child development, services  
 Children/youth, services  
 Education  
 Health care  
 Health organizations  
 Medical research, institute  
 Youth, services

### **Geographic Focus**

National; international

### **Types of Support**

Building/renovation  
 Capital campaigns  
 Curriculum development  
 Emergency funds  
 Equipment  
 Professorships  
 Program development  
 Publication  
 Research  
 Scholarship funds  
 Seed money

**Publications**

Annual report  
 Application guidelines  
 Informational brochure

**Application Information**

Only those organizations with successful letters of inquiry will be invited to submit full proposals. Grant requests for programs or projects that focus on one-specific community or geographic area should be sent to the network of local RMHC Chapters for consideration. Application form required. Applicants should submit the following:

1. How project will be sustained once grantmaker support is completed
2. Statement of problem project will address
3. Population served
4. Brief history of organization and description of its mission
5. How project's results will be evaluated or measured

Initial approach: Letter of inquiry

Copies of proposal: 2

Board meeting date(s): Mar., Aug., and Dec.

Deadline(s): Aug. 31 and Dec. 29

Final notification: Within 3 weeks of board meetings

**Officers and Trustees**

*Note: An asterisk (\*) following an individual's name indicates an officer who is also a trustee or director.*

Linda Dunham,\* Chairperson

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Adele Jamieson,\* Secretary

Michael D. Richard,\* Treasurer

Linda Ardell

Dee Crawford

Alberto E. De la Cruz

Aggie Dentice

Wai-Ling Eng

John M. Falletta, M.D.

Chris Gabriel

Gray Granader

Alan A. Harris, M.D.

**Number of Staff**

None

**Memberships****Regional Associations of Grantmakers**

Donors Forum of Chicago

Grantmakers Forum of New York

**Financial Data**

**Year ended 12/31/06:**

Revenue: \$28,753,080

Assets: \$113,811,570 (market value)

Gifts received: \$22,118,194

Expenditures: \$22,410,493

Total giving: \$17,627,451

Program services expenses: \$18,725,501

Giving activities include:

\$17,627,451 for grants

\$1,098,050 for foundation-administered programs

**Additional Location Information**

County: Dupage

Metropolitan area: Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, IL-IN-WI



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