



We teamed up with NGO groups in El Fashir, North Darfur to do a solar cooker workshop. Students came from both the NGO groups and from IDP camps surrounding El Fashir. Women from Abuja camp and Abshouk camps were eager to learn what solar cooking was all about. Even the Sudanese officials from the Humanitarian Aid Commission sent a lady to our sessions. We were happy to train her too!

Our host facility was the **House of Learning**



Teaching was done by lecture as well as hands on interaction with solar cookers and how to construct them

El Fashir Solar Cooker Training



Training



Practicing



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The students made all their own cookers from cardboard and aluminum foil. They painted the cooking pots black and got all their supplies ready for graduation day!



Graduation is a happy and great occasion but the real test is whether these students will teach others in the IDP camp!!!

A week later two of our students had trained another group of women

Back in Abshouk IDP area two of our women trainees took this solar cooking seriously. They began to gather a group of women that they had been teaching concerning fire issues and used it to teach about solar cooking!!



I was elated to try the food

