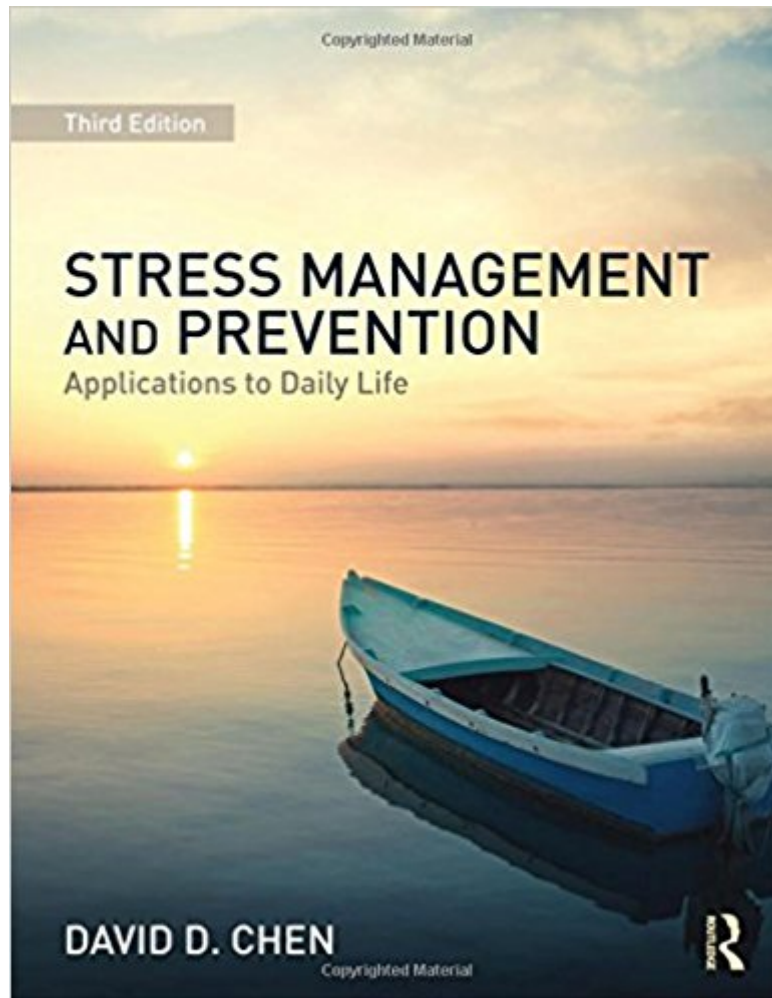




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•Karen Fazio, MSG, HHP, gerontologist, holistic health practitioner, health science and gerontology instructor, California State University, Fullerton

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•Gina Harmston, MS, Department of Kinesiology, Department of Health Science, California State University, Fullerton

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