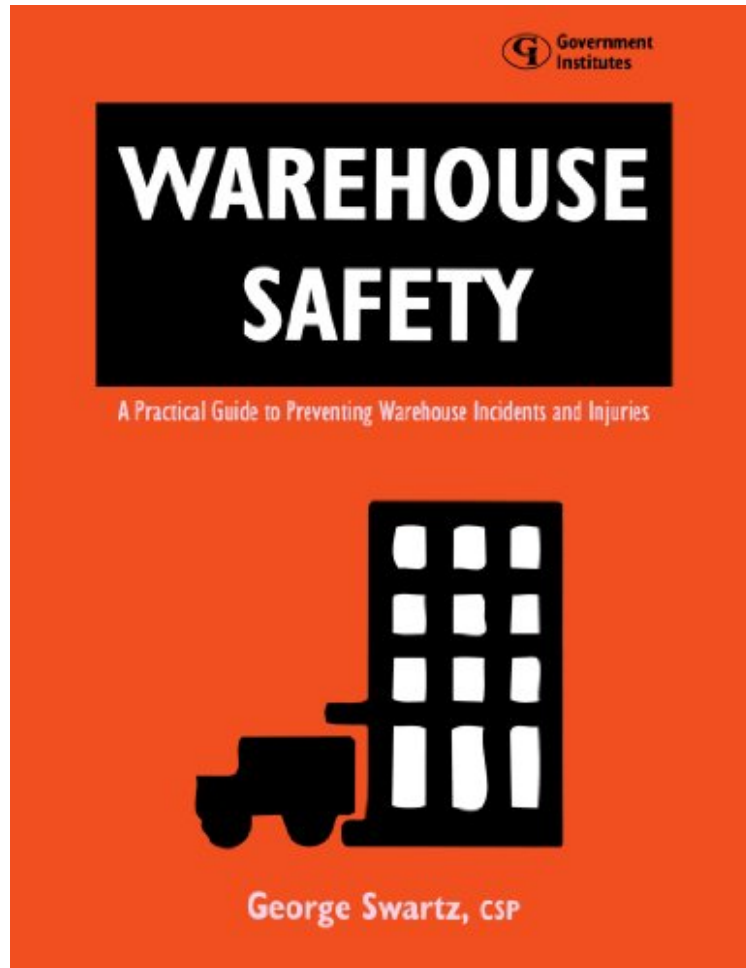


# Warehouse Safety: A Practical Guide to Preventing Warehouse Incidents and Injuries

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