Safety Equipment Checklist for Lifeguard Facilities

**Communication Equipment**
- □ Working communication equipment for staff communication in case of emergency
- □ Working telephone or other hard-wired communication device capable of directly dialing 911, shall be clearly provided and accessible

**First Aid Equipment**
- □ First Aid guide
- □ Absorbent compress
- □ Adhesive bandages
- □ Adhesive tape
- □ Sterile pads
- □ Disposable gloves
- □ Scissors
- □ Elastic wrap
- □ Emergency blanket
- □ Resuscitation mask with one-way valve
- □ Bloodborne pathogen spill kit

**Safety Equipment**
- □ Backboard(s) with head immobilizer and sufficient straps
- □ Rescue throwing device
- □ Reaching pole

**Lifeguard Equipment**
- □ UV protection for chairs and stands
- □ Backboard with head immobilizer and straps
- □ Rescue tube
- □ Identifying uniform
- □ Signal device
- □ Sun blocking methods (hats, umbrellas, sunscreen, etc.)
- □ Polarized sunglasses
- □ Resuscitation mask with one-way valve
- □ Disposable gloves (non-latex, non-powdered)
- □ Rescue throwing device* (U.S. Coast Guard approved)
- □ Reaching pole*

*Required at facilities with only one qualified lifeguard available per shift