2025 Changes

We are affordable!

GEMS is designed to provide cost-effective healthcare solutions, making it easier for public service employees to afford medical cover.

Changes to All Benefit Options:

- Benefit limits have increased for all options!
 An increase of 4.6% on all In-Hospital and
 Out-of-Hospital monetary benefit limits.
- © Continuous Glucose Monitoring (CGM) and insulin pumps

The Scheme will now fund CGM and insulin pumps, limited to one device per beneficiary every five years for beneficiaries under 19 (0-18 years) years with type one diabetes. Subject to Scheme Rules

Changes to Ruby, Emerald, EVO, and Onyx Benefit Options:

Frenectomies

Frenectomies will now be funded in-hospital for children under the age of 6 (0-5 years), as is the case with other dentistry procedures.



Tanzanite One and Beryl

(E) Dental Sealants

Dental sealants will now be funded for Beneficiaries under the age of 18 years (0-17), as is the case for other benefit options, subject to the use of a Network provider, under the Out-of-Hospital Preventative Care Services benefit.

Family Practitioner Services
Members on the Tanzanite One and Beryl options will now have to request authorisation for out-of-hospital Family Practitioner and nurse (combined) consultations from, and including, the 16th consultation and onwards.

