# DESCRIPTION

The Agent procedures install and uninstall Kaseya Agent Watchdog script. The Kaseya Agent Watchdog script, in turn, monitors services which Display Names are specified in the ***DisplayNames*** variable in the ***Install Kaseya Agent Watchdog*** agent procedure. The Display Names should me in single quotes and separated by commas.

Archive contains Agent Procedure file and folder with PowerShell scripts:

**Install-Watchdog.ps1** – Thisscript registers new task called “Kaseya Agent Watchdog” on target computer and executes Watch-AgentService.ps1 script with SYSTEM privileges at intervals in minutes specified in the ***minutes*** in the ***Install Kaseya Agent Watchdog*** agent procedure (30 minutes by default).  
 **Watch-AgentService.ps1** – Script looks for services by Display Names listed in the ***DisplayNames*** variable in the *Install Kaseya Agent Watchdog* agent procedure. The script checks if a listed service is stopped and makes attempt to start it if there are no active RDP connections. All events are logged to Application log.  
 **Uninstall-Watchdog.ps1 –** Script removes “Kaseya Agent Watchdog” task from the target computer and deletes Watchdog folder (under Kaseya Secure Working Directory) with all its content.

Script will send result of execution into Procedure Log and indicate success or failure.

# Install instructions

1. Extract the files from the attached zip file
2. Upload PowerShell scripts to the Shared Files/**Watchdog** directory of the Managed Files folder: <https://helpdesk.kaseya.com/hc/en-gb/articles/360017878358>
3. Import the XML into the agent procedure module: <https://helpdesk.kaseya.com/hc/en-gb/articles/229012068>
4. Execute the desired procedure on a target machine