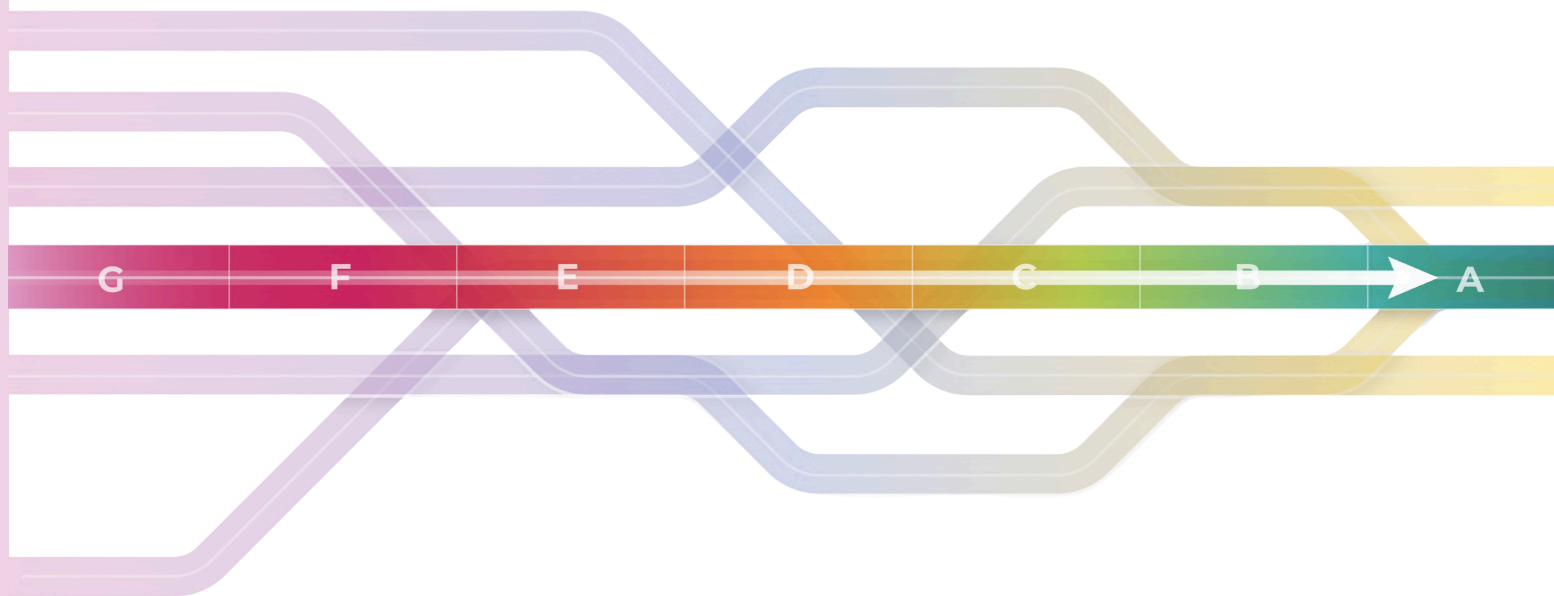


TEF-Health

Testing and Experimentation Facility
for Health AI and Robotics



UNLOCKING HEALTH - AI MARKET ACCESS

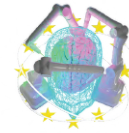
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1. Introducing TEF-Health and its advantages

The Testing and Experimentation Facility for Health AI and Robotics (TEF-Health) is Europe dedicated support infrastructure to help SMEs accelerate the translation of AI and Robotics solutions in the healthcare sector into market-ready offerings. By pooling the expertise of notified bodies, hospitals, research organisations and standardisation authorities across nine EU Member States, TEF-Health offers a unique “one-stop” access point for testing, validation, conformity assessment and real-world experimentation of digital health and robotic systems.

For SMEs, TEF-Health delivers several key advantages :

- **Faster time-to-market** via access to state-of-the-art infrastructure and cross-border validation pathways ;
- Reduced risk through **support for regulatory alignment** with the EU AI Act and harmonised health-technology standards ;
- Opportunity for **business scaling by connecting to a broad network of partners**, end-users and innovation nodes across Europe.

In short, TEF-Health empowers small and medium-sized enterprises to bring trustworthy, compliant AI and robotics health-solutions from concept to clinical deployment more efficiently, cost-effectively and with greater confidence.

We hope you will find in these pages the answer to your needs. Do not hesitate to reach out for assistance: cadji@multitel.be .

Enjoy your reading !

2. Services available in Belgium

With partners along the whole value chain from Hospital, to research centres and incubator, the **Belgian Node** is strongly positionned to support SMEs at every development stage of their AI and robotics solutions. As flagship services, we would highlight CETIC's service portfolio focused on **evaluating AI system reliability** and **cybersecurity**. HUmani's network of **five hospitals** expertise in the integration of advanced medical devices, **a structured patient data base**, as well as CRO (Clinical Research Organization)-like services for **clinical investigations**. Multitel's expertise in AI-based SaMD **technical conformity roadmap** guidance, its **EMC testing** (anechoic chamber with a 1,5m3 capacity), and VITO's comprehensive services and **specialized trainings** in regulatory science for AI in healthcare, encompassing **rigorous technical performance evaluation**, fairness and bias assessment, and **automated post-market monitoring** solutions.

APPLICATION TO TEF-HEALTH SERVICES

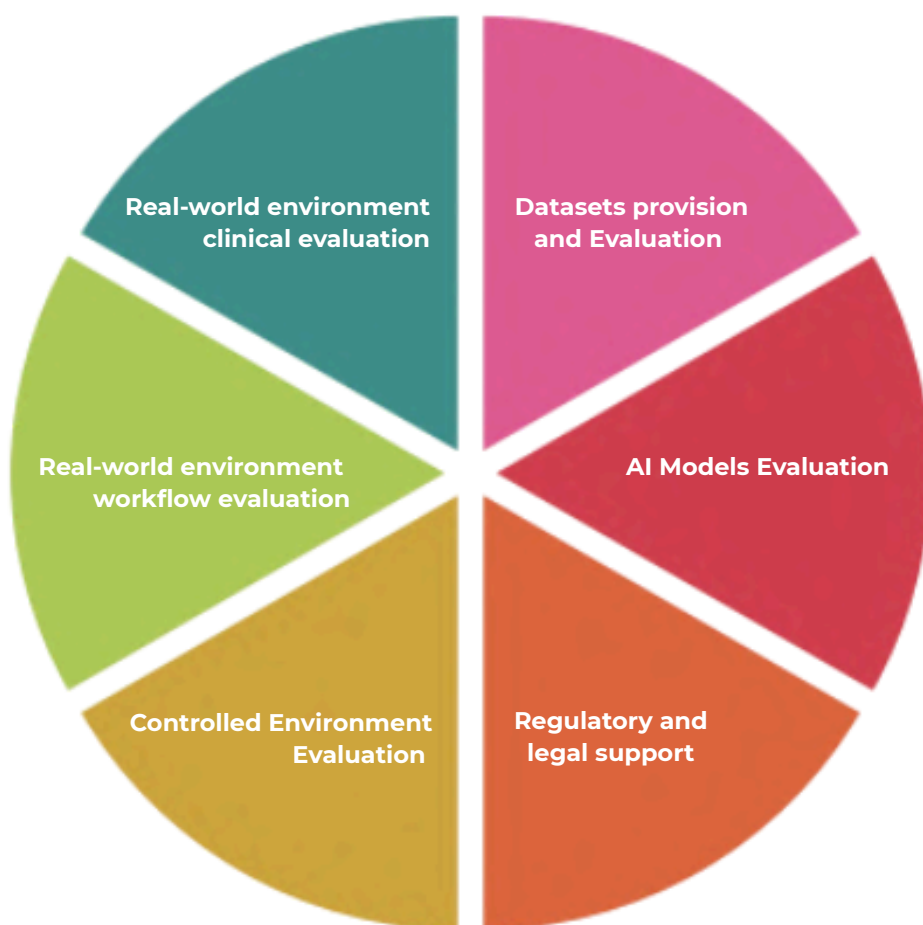
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For each service you will be given :

- The title (with a hyperlink in case you read the online version of this brochure)
- The price range (full and reduced)
- The provider

They are sorted according to six categories.



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SERVICES PER CATEGORY

1. DATASETS PROVISION AND EVALUATION

Providing datasets and assessing the quality of the data, e.g robustness or representativity, to assist in the improvement of the solutions and its evaluation.

Title	Price *	Reduced Price *	Provider
Backend development platforms - Data & AI OPS	1144€/day	858€/day	CET
Proof of Concepts and demonstrators for data collection from distributed heterogeneous IOT devices	1144€/day	858€/day	CET
Evaluation of dataset needs	63-265€/hour	48-202€/hour	HUM
Algorithm Integration into IT infrastructure for testing and evaluation by clinical and IT experts	63-83€/hour	48-64€/hour	HUM
Provision of structured clinical datasets	63-83€/hour	48-64€/hour	HUM
Provision of annotated and curated clinical datasets	63-265€/hour	48-202€/hour	HUM
Expert guidance for specific use cases	63-265€/hour	48-202€/hour	HUM
Cleaning and annotating external clinical datasets	63-265€/hour	48-202€/hour	HUM
Clinical validation	63-265€/hour	48-202€/hour	HUM

2. AI MODELS EVALUATION

Assessing AI models using additional and/or virtual datasets, simulations and platforms to evaluate performance, cybersecurity, safety and feasibility before physical or clinical trials. There are currently 4 services available under this category.

Title	Price *	Reduced Price *	Provider
AI Model Development and Improvement	1000-1300€/day	700-1000€/day	MTL
AI and Optoelectronics Prototype Optimization	1000-1300€/day	700-1000€/day	MTL
AI Technological watch and guidance and AI Technical tests and Feasibility Study	1000-1300€/day	700-1000€/day	MTL
Custom Pretrained Pipelines	1144€/day	858€/day	CET

* Prices updated January 2026

Title	Price *	Reduced Price *	Provider
AI Evaluation	175€/hour	0-100€/hour	VITO
AI Monitoring	175€/hour	0-100€/hour	VITO

3. REGULATORY AND LEGAL SUPPORT

Assessing AI models using additional and/or virtual datasets, simulations Conformity assessment in relation with applicable international, european and/or national requirements such as ethical guidelines (ICH-GCP, etc.), guidances (IEC 62366, IEC 62304, etc.), norms (ISO 14971, etc.), regulations (MDR, EU AI Act, etc.), and national laws. and platforms to evaluate performance, cybersecurity, safety and feasibility before physical or clinical trials.

Title	Price *	Reduced Price *	Provider
AI SaMD technical conformity assessment roadmap	1000-1300€/day	700-1000€/day	MTL
Clinical Research Unit : Regulatory support	70-91€/hour	54-70€/hour	HUM
Clinical Research Unit : Regulatory inspections and audit	70-91€/hour	54-70€/hour	HUM

4. CONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT EVALUATION

Testing prototypes in controlled physical environments (e.g., anatomical phantoms, cadavers, or motion labs) to simulate real-world conditions without patient interaction.

Title	Price *	Reduced Price *	Provider
Simulated Room for Radiated ElectroMagnetic Compliancy.	1400-1700€/day	1100-1400€/day	MTL
Conducted ElectroMagnetic Compliancy Pre-testing for Medical applications and non Medical applications	1400-1700€/day	1100-1400€/day	MTL
SimSteri : Digital twin for hospital sterilization facilities	1144€/day	858€/day	CET

5. REAL-WORLD ENVIRONMENT WORKFLOW EVALUATION

Testing solutions in live healthcare workflows (e.g., logistics, administrative tasks) to ensure usability, functionality, integration, and efficiency without involving patients. This is non-clinical.

Title	Price *	Reduced Price *	Provider
Cyber-Physical Systems Cybersecurity Testing	1144€/day	858€/day	CET
Vulnerability Scanning and Penetration Testing for software-based products	1144€/day	858€/day	CET

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6. Real-world environment clinical evaluation

Conducting clinical studies with patients in real-world settings to assess safety, efficacy, and performance of medical devices or AI systems. This is patient-focused.

Title	Price *	Reduced Price *	Provider
Project assessment	70-91€/hour	54-70€/hour	HUM
Data management	70-83€/hour	54-63€/hour	HUM
Medical writing	70-265€	54-202€/hour	HUM
Feasibility study	70-83€/hour	54-63€/hour	HUM
Clinical operations - Implementation and Performance	70-83€/hour	54-63€/hour	HUM
Clinical operations - Study procedures	70-83€/hour	54-63€/hour	HUM
Scientific communication	83-265€/hour	64-202€/hour	HUM
Technical support (AI)	63-83€/hour	48-64€/hour	HUM
Biostatistics	265€/hour	202€/hour	HUM

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3. The other TEF-Health partners across Europe

TEF-Health builds on a network of **over 50 partners** public and private including hospitals, universities, research centres, associations of notified bodies. This section introduces these partners per country and provide their contact details. It also highlights what are the **expertise** and **flagship services** available in **each of these countries**.





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Metropolia is part of **Health Proof Helsinki** Ecosystem which combines Helsinki's three most significant public research, development and innovation environments (RDI environments) in the form of a unified service entity in the fields of health technology and medical technology.

Through a unified service package, companies in the industry have smooth access to tripartite's expertise and specialist facilities for the various stages of their product development activities; **Early-stage preclinical testing** environments and expertise (Metropolia Proof Health), **research and testing environments and expertise in primary health care and social work** (City of Helsinki), and research environments and **expertise in specialist care and diagnostics** (HUS Helsinki University Hospital).



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With three hospitals (*CHU Grenoble Alpes*, *CHU Rennes* and *Hospices Civils de Lyon*), the **French Node** has a strong focus on data provision services or helping SMEs with clinical investigations, for instance on biostatistics. In addition, several partners, such as *CEA*, can provide access to physical testbed, such as operating room or motion laboratory. Finally, french partners like *IHU Strasbourg* or *LNE* can provide extensive testing for your AI solutions, for instance by using databases. In general, the services from the French Node aim to answer the needs for both **AI software or Robotics in healthcare**.



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The **German Node** is especially renowned for clinical simulation environments, medical device regulatory expertise, AI validation, and feasibility testing in realistic clinical settings. As flagship services, we would highlight Charité's Berlin Simulation & Training Center (1,600 m²) for workflow, usability, and regulatory consulting (including MDR and post-market surveillance), together with Fraunhofer's AI validation platforms for trustworthy and explainable AI, TUM's simulation-based virtual testing for AI-enabled robotic systems and FAU's expertise in rapid prototyping and wearable devices.



Italy 



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Service providers of **the Italian Node** cover the following main areas and facilities: testing of robotic prostheses and rehabilitation exoskeletons, medical and surgical robotics, multi-modal AI algorithms, neuropathology applications, motion analysis lab, living lab for pediatric rehabilitation, and supported by AI data processing, analysis and consulting.

Portugal



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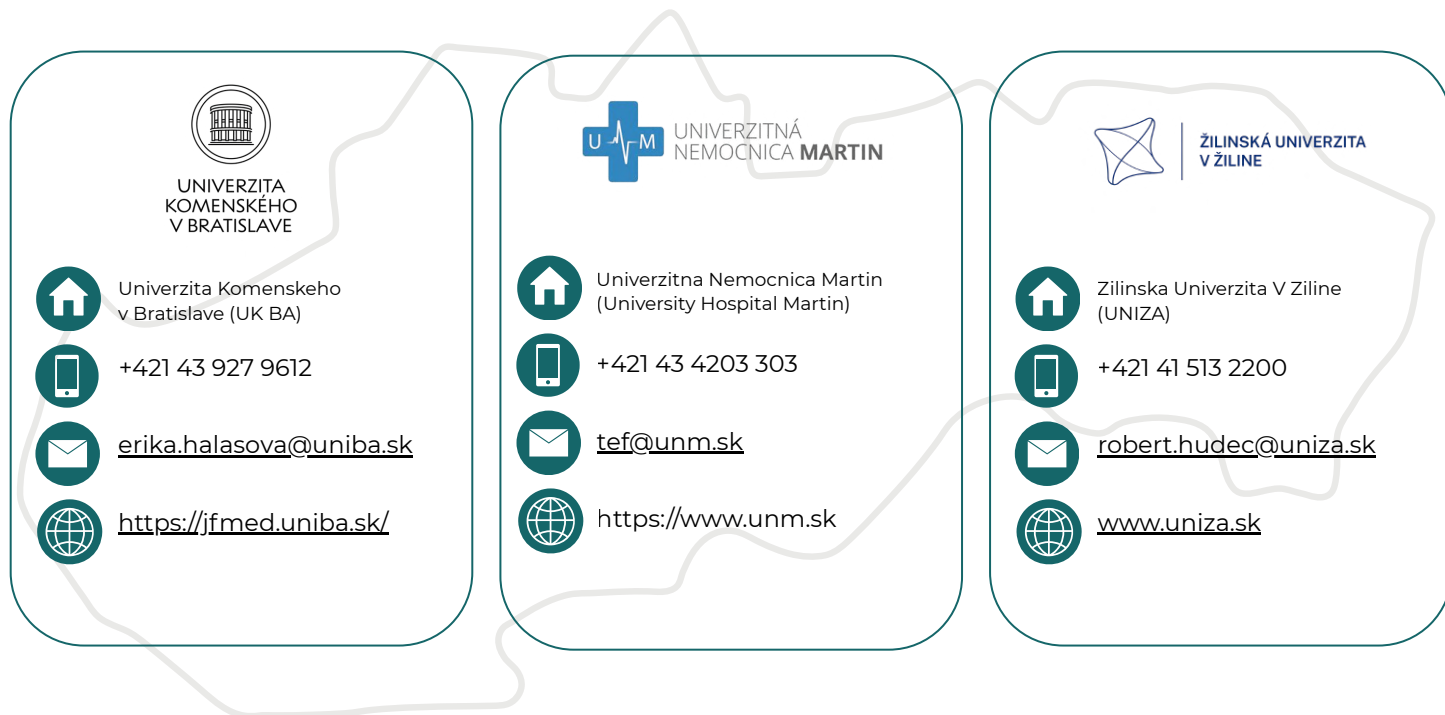
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Service providers of **the Portuguese Node** are especially renowned for **hospital-based testing and clinical validation** of health AI, software and robotics as well as **regulatory & market-access support**. As flagship services, we may highlight usability/human factors testing, pilot and pivotal studies, validation of clinical annotated datasets, support in the MDs and IVDs CE Marking Process, support in QMS Implementation and other regulatory requirements.

Slovakia



Service providers of **the Slovak Node** are especially renowned for bioanalysis, testing facilities in real world – hospital, serious games, benchmark tests 2D/3D data, and metric framework. As for flagship services, we may highlight DNA & RNA analysis, Real-world testing – functional testing, Serious game consulting and development, AI models consulting and development, and Chatbot development.



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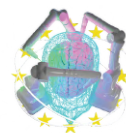
<https://www.rise.se/en>

Service providers of **the Swedish Node** are renowned for Precision Medicine, especially for multi-omics modalities in Cancer and our medical imaging facility in Neurology. As flagship services, we would like to highlight our Cybersecurity testing services from RISE and our Regulatory Strategy & MDR Guidance service combining AI development and regulatory expertises from SMAILE unit at KI.

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1. Eligibility criteria for reduced price services

- 1) Your company qualifies as an **SME** as defined in the **EU Recommendation 2003/361/EC**.
- 2) Your company is legally incorporated and established **in an EU member state**.
- 3) Your company has not received **more than 300.000 EUR in state aid support** during the **3 previous fiscal years** (*EU Regulation n°1407/2013*). Please note **this cap is per country**.
- 4) Your company has the resources **to cover the expenses** not covered by the TEF-Health discount on the selected services

2. How to apply for services via the online platform ?

Read the instructions below or watch the short tutorial video by scanning this QR code :



1) **Browse to** <https://tef.charite.de/> and enter your credentials to log in. Click on “Enter Platform”.

2) In case you are not directed to the TEF-Health Application Portal, **enter the following URL** to access it: <https://tef.charite.de/portal/home>

3) Click on **My Applications** and **Open Service Requests**.

4) Click **New Application** to start a new Application or click on an old application below to continue with an existing application (draft).

6) **Fill-in** the fields of the application form.
(please note that you only need to create your applicant profile once. You may reuse it each time you apply to a new service). The template is quite simple and holds on one page (see below).

7) Use the lower-right buttons **Save Application** to save your progress, **Submit Application** when the application is ready for review, or **Ask a question** to get support from the TEF-Health Front Office Team.

Applicant Details

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Street, Number

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Incorporation Date

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Number of Full-Time Employees (FTEs)

Product Details

Select Registered Product

-- Select Product --

Product Name

Elevator Pitch 

Technology Readiness Level (TRL) 

Please select

Product Category

Please select

Which Regulatory Approvals does the product have?

Please select

Total Project Duration & Development Timeline

Justification for the selected TRL level

Market and Medical Domain

Medical Domain

Add or select...

Healthcare Delivery Type

☐ Home Care

☐ Hospital Care

☐ Primary Care

Technical Information

Solution Type

☐ Digital Platform or Application

☐ Software as a Medical Device (SaMD)

☐ Virtual Reality (VR)

☐ Medical Device

☐ Internet of Things (IoT)

Involvement of Medical Practitioners and Patients in Development

Services and Data Requirements

Describe precisely the need and objectives for utilizing TEF-Health services, particularly in terms of European AI Act Compliance and the expected impact on the TRL increase of your solution.

Detailed Description of Required Data (modality, volume, structure, quality, etc.).

Required Data Types

☐ Annotated Medical Images

☐ Electronic Health Records (EHRs)

☐ Lab Results

☐ None

☐ Annotated Medical Videos

☐ Patient Medical Histories

☐ Other

Legal and Consent

☐ Privacy Statement and Consent to the processing of personal data. By selecting this option, I hereby give my explicit consent to the processing of my personal data by the TEF-Health Consortium, acknowledging that I have been duly informed about the potential risks associated with such processing, my rights under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), and the available contact options as outlined in the Data Protection Information accessible at https://tefhealth.eu/files/tef-health/content/Information_Data-Subject_v1.pdf

☐ Disclosure of Company Name. By selecting this option, I hereby provide my consent for the disclosure of my company name to the TEF-Health reviewers assessing this application and, in the event of a successful discount funding award, to the European Commission.

Eligibility Criteria

☐ I confirm that my organisation qualifies as a small and medium sized enterprise as defined in the EU Recommendation 2003/361/EC

☐ We confirm that our company is legally incorporated and established in one of the EU member states. The ownership or shares are not held by individuals or entities outside the EU; ownership of shares are solely held by legal persons that are incorporated within the EU. The complete fulfilment of this request is made with an official declaration issued by the authorities of the company's headquarters address, together with information about the ultimate beneficiaries of the company's shareholding, when applicable.

☐ We confirm that we have not received more than 300,000 EUR in state aid support during the previous 3 fiscal years (EU Regulation n°1407/2013 of the European Commission). The fulfilment of this request is made with an official declaration issued by the authorities of the SME headquarters address (c.f. Attachments).

☐ We represent an EU member state company according to the EU definition (Commission Recommendation 2003/361/EC). The fulfilment of this request is made with an official declaration issued by the authorities of the SME headquarters address (c.f. Attachments).

☐ We have the resources to cover the expenses not covered by the TEF Health discount on the selected services.

Other

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