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68 y/o unresponsive male

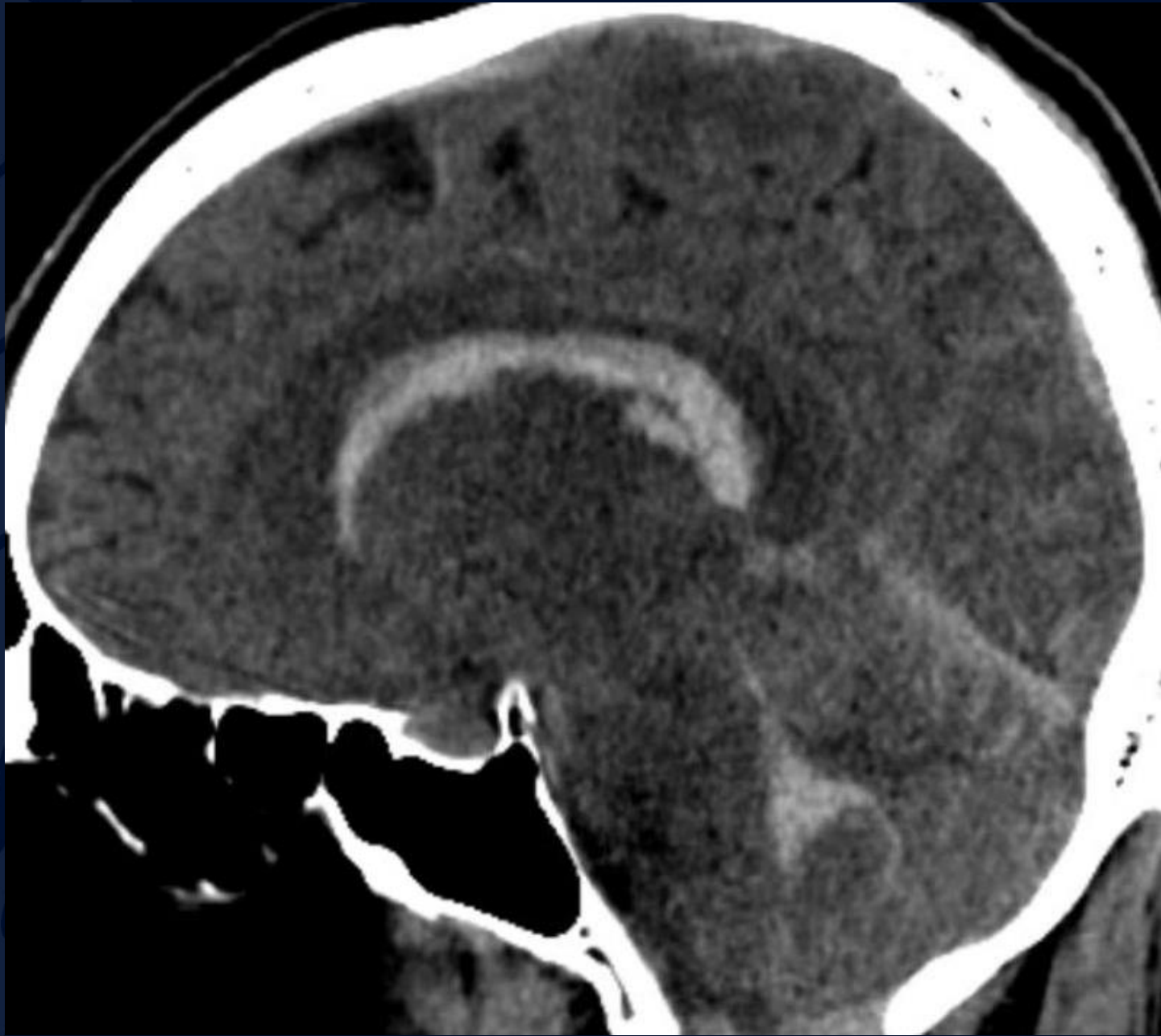
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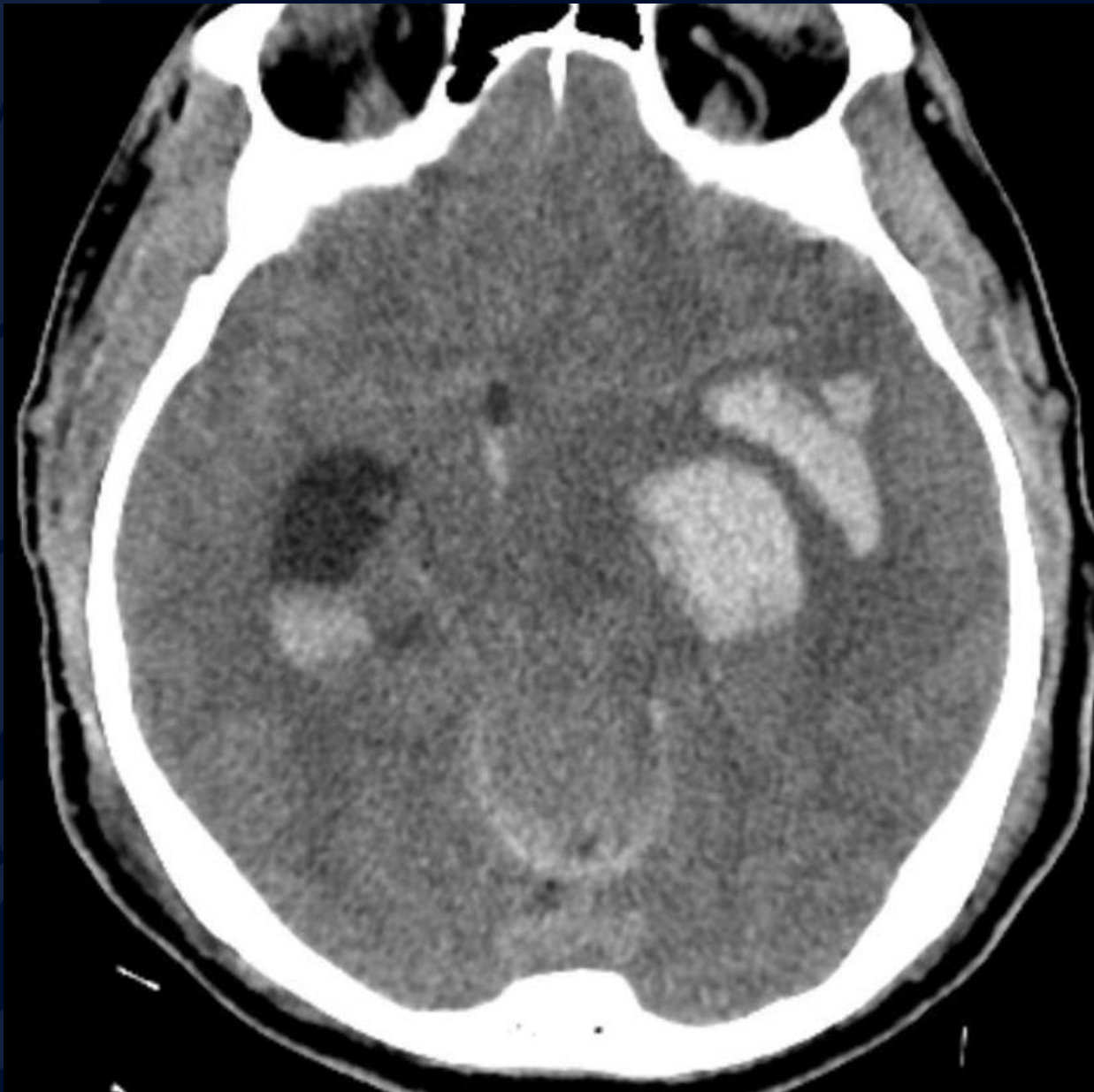
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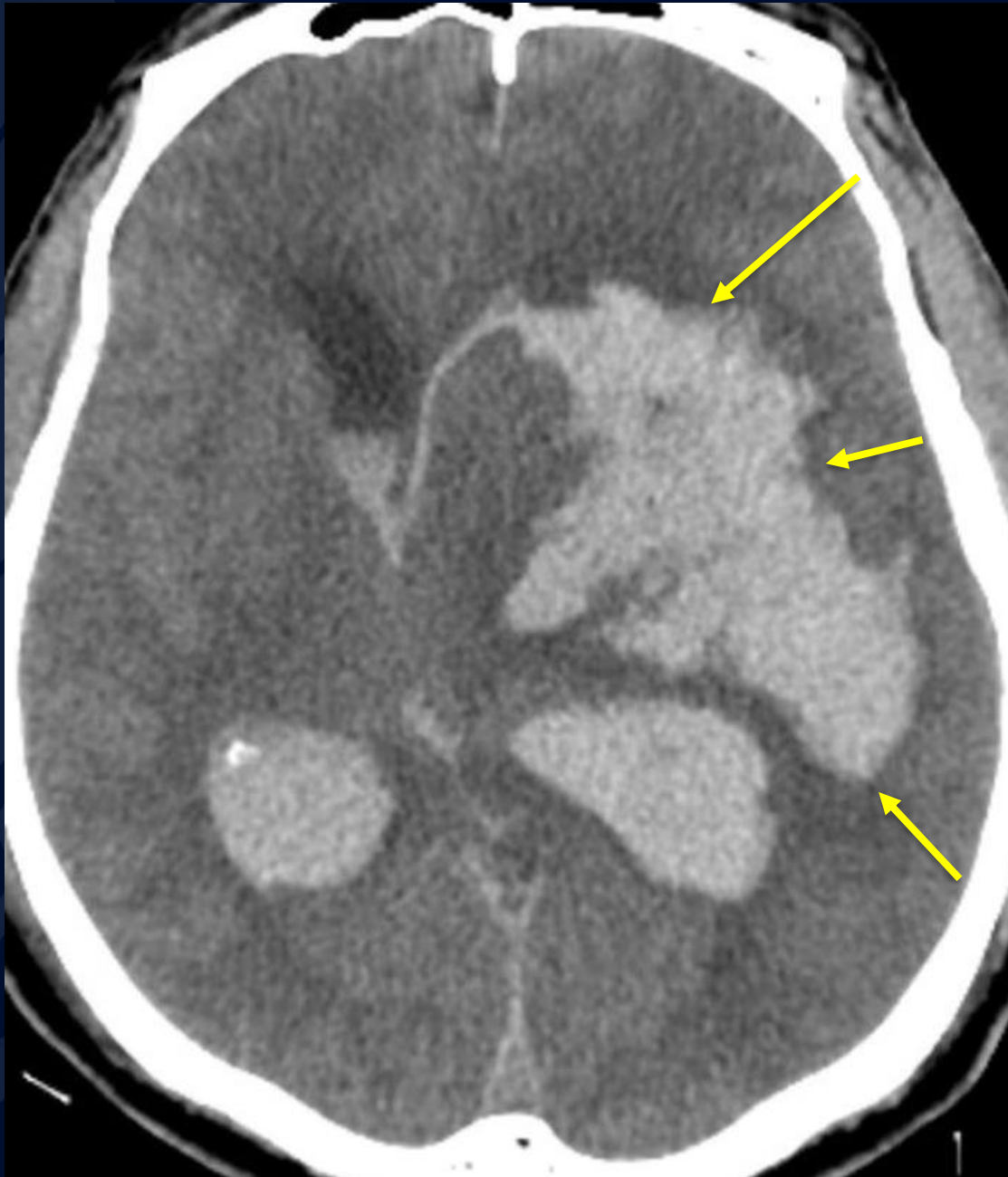
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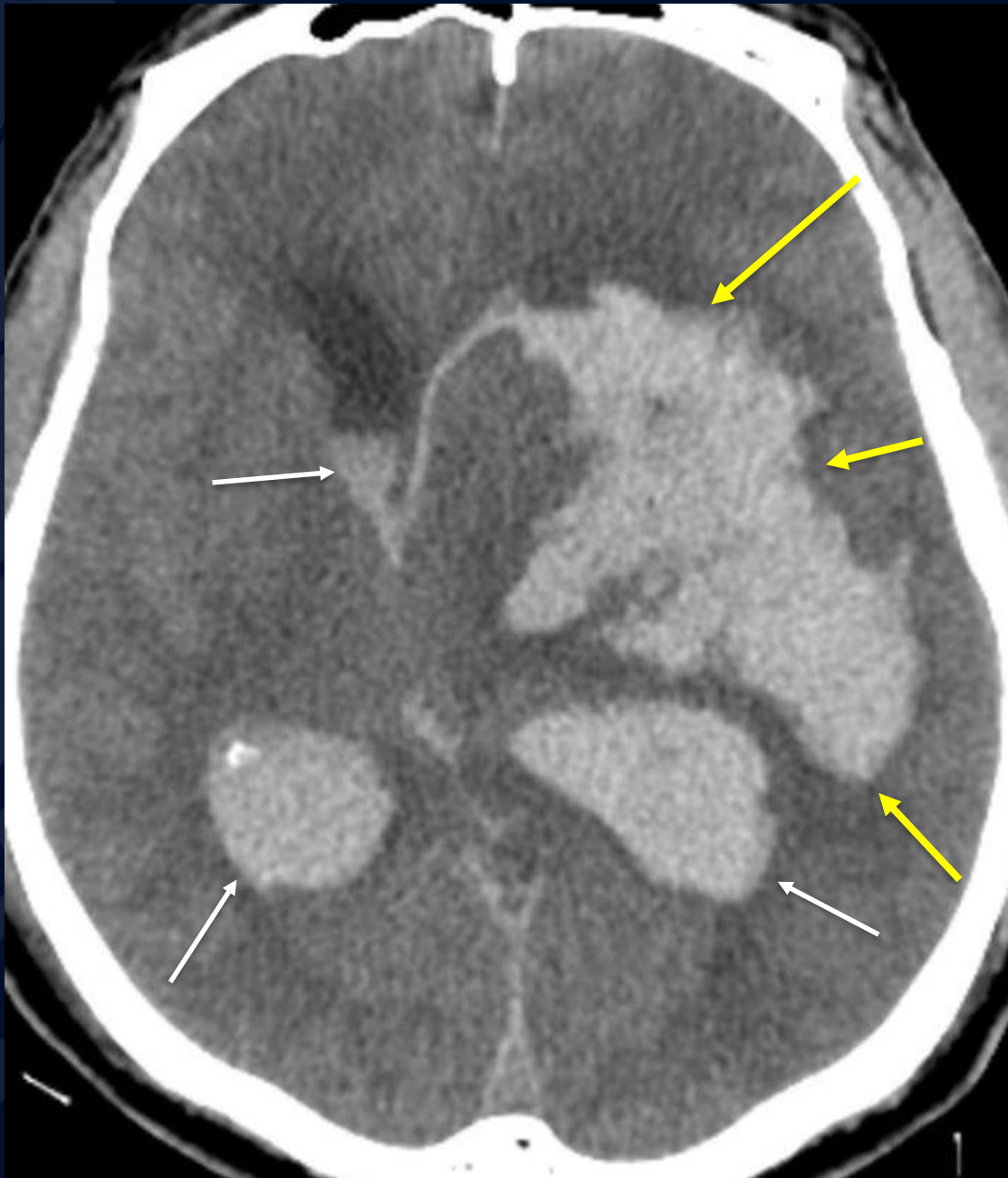
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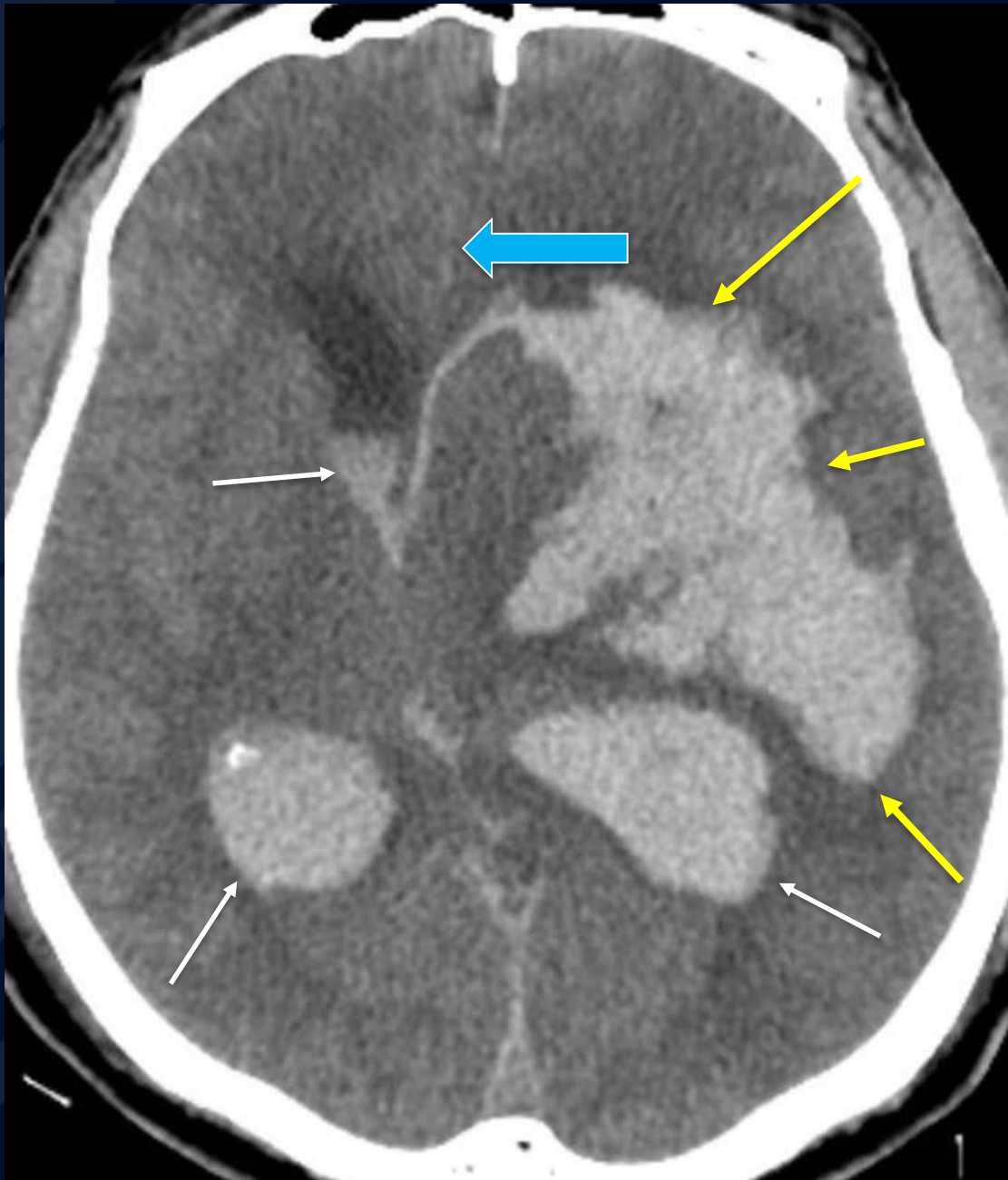


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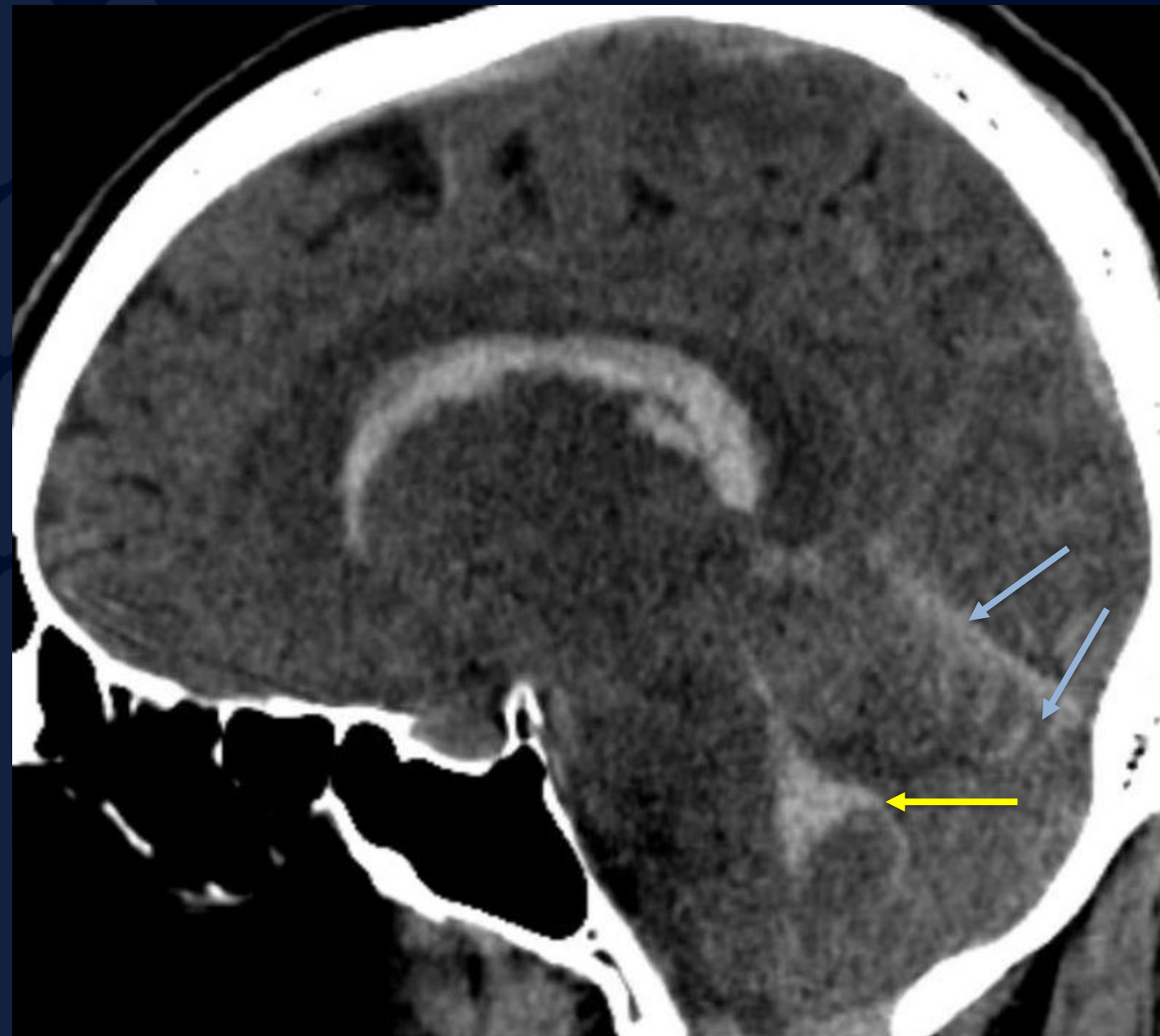




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Axial NECT of the head demonstrates intraparenchymal hemorrhage (yellow arrows) with extension of blood into the ventricular system (white arrows). There is subfalcine herniation to the right due to mass effect (blue arrow).



Intraventricular hemorrhage with extension into the fourth ventricle (yellow arrow). Subarachnoid hemorrhage is also present (blue arrows)

# Hypertensive intracerebral hemorrhage

## Intracranial hemorrhage:

Hypertension: Basal Ganglia, Thalamus, Cerebellum, Pons

Amyloid Angiopathy: Lobar, Elderly

Trauma: Cortical Contusions, Diffuse Axonal Injury

Arteriovenous Malformation

Hemorrhagic Transformation of Arterial Ischemic Infarct

Venous Infarct

Tumor: Glioblastoma, Mets

# Hypertensive intracranial hemorrhage

## Imaging features

NECT: round or oval hyperdense parenchymal mass

Heterogeneous density if coagulopathy or active bleeding

Intraventricular extension of hemorrhage common

Mass effect, hydrocephalus, herniation common

## Pathology

HTN can lead to chronic changes within the vessel wall

– Charcot Bouchard aneurysm (0.3-0.9mm)

- thrombosis, leak (microhemorrhage), rupture

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