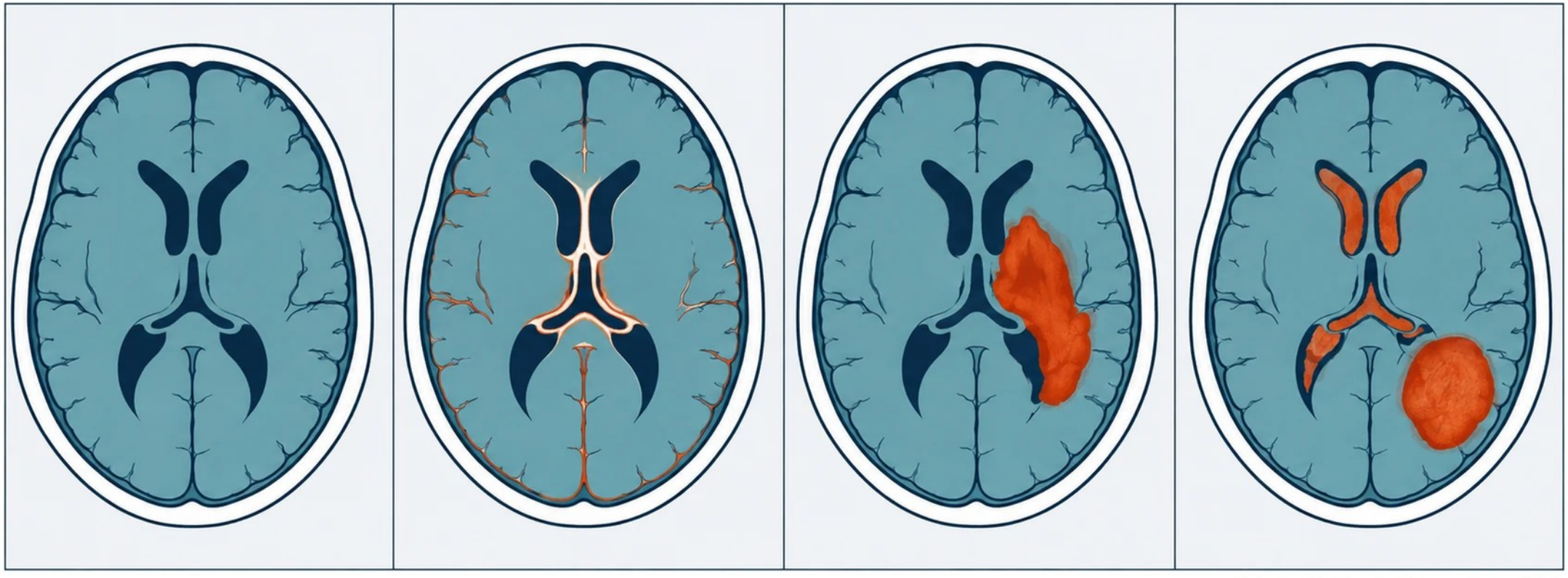
Fisher Scale

Amount of blood on CT in subarachnoid hemorrhage



Schematic illustration: not a real CT.

Grade I

No blood

Grade II

Thin diffuse layer
(< 1 mm)

Grade III

Localized clot or
thick layer (> 1 mm)

Grade IV

Intracerebral or
intraventricular blood

Predicts vasospasm risk: grade III carries the HIGHEST risk