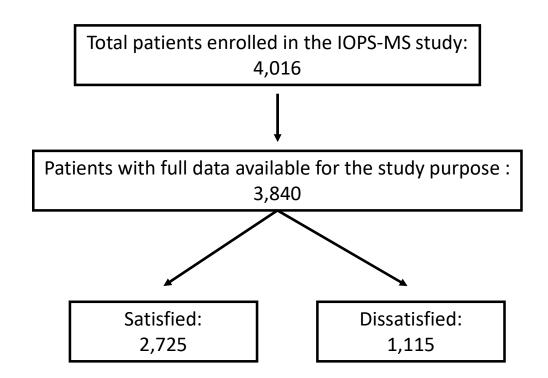
**Supplementary Figure 1**: Flow diagram of the study.



clinical and pathologic features recorded:
age
gender
setting and place of the visit
primary tumor diagnosis
extent of the disease
presence of ongoing anticancer treatments
Karnofsky Performance Status
background and BTc pain characteristics
analgesic drugs